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DANCED IN THE NEW.

Germans Have a Jolly New Year Celebration.

Gesang and Turn Verein Hall presented a lively spectacle to the onlooker Monday evening as the members of the society and their friends to the number of three hundred assembled to dance the old year out and the new year in.

A short entertainment consisting of vocal and instrumental music was given in the early evening, after which the merry dancers took possession of the floor and held it until the wee small hours of the morning. The fun was fast and furious and at the intervals of the dance the funmakers adjourned to the banquet rooms to partake of the good things provided by the generous hosts. At midnight the orchestra broke out in a perfect fusillade of music during which the entire party rushed around the hall wishing each other many Happy New Years.

N. H. Guttman furnished the music. The committee, to which great credit is due for the successful issue of the affair, consisted of Geo. Richter, president of the society; Herman Lenke, the recording secretary, and Messrs. Myer, Bender and Dyrier.

Beginning the New Year Right.

The big Newark dry-goods firm of Heath & Drake start the new year of 1895 by increasing their facilities of doing an immense business in various ways. One of these is by introducing themselves to the people of Plainfield through the columns of The Daily Press. On our last page today is the initial announcement of Heath & Drake, who at this time every year have what may be termed an honest closing out. When they say that prices on various lines of goods have been reduced our readers may accept the statement as fact. They are judicious advertisers, and careful to state nothing they will not carry out to the letter. Heath & Drake are pleasant people to deal with profitably.

Sons of Veteran Dance.

The first reception and dance of John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., held New Year's Eve in the Olympia, was a great success. About sixty persons were present and all enjoyed the excellent programme. The music was furnished by Mr. Guttman. The committee in charge, Willard V. Sutton, Charles F. Stephens and Cyrus Moore, served refreshments about midnight, after which part second of the order of dance was followed out. It was nearly 4 a. m. when the dancers left for home, and all felt well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

Queen City Elects.

The following officers were elected at the regular session of Queen City Lodge No. 226, I. O. O. F., Monday evening:

N. G.—Frank G. Smith.
V. G.—Alfred Barber.
Rec. Sec.—James D. Anderson.
Permanent Secretary—Henry S. Hoffman.
Treasurer—J. P. Allis.

A large number of brothers was present and several interesting speeches were made for the good of the order after the election. District Deputy Grand Master Staman and staff will install the newly elected officers Monday evening, Jan. 14.

Fife and Drum Dance.

The eighth grand dance of the I. F. and D. Corps at Central Hall, New Year's Eve, was a very pleasant affair, and reflected great credit on the efficient committee of arrangements, which consisted of H. C. Ackerman, L. B. Bodine, A. Allen, D. V. Force and W. W. Cook. Refreshments were served during the evening. Samuel D. Frazee furnished the music. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

Death of Veteran Snow.

Constable Wm. R. Mattox left for Morristown today to take charge of the body of Lew Mattox's father-in-law, A. D. Snow, an old army veteran who was taken to the asylum about a year ago by his guardian, Captain Frank Hubbard. The funeral services will be held in Newark.

Bowling for the Trophy.

Plainfield and Cranford will meet for the first time this season Thursday night on the Cranford alleys, in the tourney for the Elizabeth Journal trophy.

The Journal says that "Watters of Plainfield is said to be determined to win the county individual championship. He is a sure bowler, and has a great record for tournaments".

Anyone who has children will rejoice with L. B. Mulford, of Plainfield, N. J. His little boy, five years of age, was sick with croup. For two days and nights he tried various remedies recommended by friends and neighbors. He says: "I thought sure I would lose him. I had seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised and thought I would try it as a last hope and am happy to say that after two doses he slept until morning. I gave it to him next day and a cure was effected. I keep this remedy in the house now and as soon as any of my children show signs of croup I give it to them and that is the last of it." 25 and 50 cents bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manage

THE TYLER RECEPTION.

The New Year Charmingly Ushered in 'Mid Roses and Laurel.

Among the many social functions of the season none will be more pleasantly remembered by those who were present than the New Year's reception and dance given by Mrs. Mason W. Tyler at her beautiful home, 525 West Seventh street, Monday afternoon and evening.

Throughout the house the art of the floral decorator was in evidence, transforming the beautiful rooms into bowers of green intermingled with clusters of American Beauties, Jacqueminots, and pinks.

The parlors were garlanded with laurel, which hung in tasteful profusion from archway and wall. Huge vases filled with pinks and roses, whose sweet odor filled the house, graced mantelpiece and table; and passing through the rooms to large library the guests were charmed with the pretty array of greens which everywhere depended from bookcases and wall. The library is an elegant new fireproof apartment, and its walls are filled with cases of choice volumes. Its hardwood floor added much to the pleasure of the dancing.

Those who received with Mrs. Tyler were Mrs. Decker of Scranton, and Mr and Mrs. Wright. The guests at the reception numbered over two hundred and fifty.

The banquet room was done in pink and green, festoons of laurel being draped over the pictures, clustered in convenient corners to form a background for gorgeous bouquets of roses, or tastily twined around the beautiful candelabras.

Presiding at the samovars at either end of the banquet board stood Mrs. Daniel F. Ginna and Miss Catherine Yates, and assisting them were the Misses Maud and Elizabeth Van Boskerck, Miss Kittie Stewart, Miss Annie Murphy, and Miss Marion Dumont. Max Wiertz catered in his usual superior manner.

Both at the afternoon function and the dance which followed in the evening, Lander's orchestra of New York discoursed sweet music, and Lander himself did the honor to lead. Over two hundred honored the host and hostess with their presence at the evening dance, and the time passed merrily as the happy assembly of beautifully gowned women and gay gallants tripped to the melody of the waltz, gathered at intervals around their fair hostess to congratulate her upon the success attending the occasion, or sought quiet nooks to rest and chat a moment ere the dance continued. So swiftly sped the hours that the New Year's had made his debut long before the happy party dispursed.

Among the guests were:

Mrs Lincoln of New York, Miss Lincoln, Miss Lewis of Binghampton, Miss Margaret McIntyre of Philadelphia, Miss Cox of New York, Miss Dyckman of White Plains, Mr and Mrs Daniel Ginna, Mr and Mrs Marion S Ackerman, Mr and Mrs L G Timpson, Mr and Mrs Fred W Yates, Mr and Mrs James Hallock, Mr and Mrs Joseph Sandford, the Misses VanBoskerck, Holly, Stewart, Waring, Talmadge, Hunter, Pierson, Harte, Huntington, Lowe, Yates, Randolph, Cooley, Murphy, Woltmann, Vail, Whiton, Tracy, Reinhart and Depew, and Messrs. Cox, Huntington, Van Boskerck, Waring, Cooley, Murray, Walz, Place, Shepard, VanBuren, Moore, Erickson, Patton, Talmadge, Woltmann, Lowe, Dwight, Goddard, Wadsworth, Patterson and McGee.

Borough Horse Runs Wild.

A lively frolic was indulged in by a borough equine Monday afternoon. It was a gray horse driven by two lads, and owned by the estate of D. I. Smalley, to whose delivery sleigh it was attached. The start from the market at Somerset and Race streets was made with due decorum, but at the corner of Grove and Emily streets the sleight was overturned on a snowbank. The horse ran down Emily street, dragging the overturned sleigh, crossed Somerset street, and took to the sidewalk, falling at the door of J. K Arnold's grocery store. Regaining its feet, the horse started down the sidewalk, and fetched up against the iron railing at the Gesang and Turn Verein Hall, where it fell again and was caught. There was not any serious damage.

The Boys Club Christmas.

A great success was the Christmas entertainment at the Boys Club Saturday night. The boys greatly enjoyed the singing and playing of Miss Demaree, Mr. Hallock, and Mr. Bunyon. The funny songs of Mr. Bunyon were particularly relished. Miss Erskine, who is always popular with the boys, furnished charming piano music. At the end of the programme the members of the club all received packages which pleased them greatly, and which were prepared on the plan that the way to reach a boy's heart is through his stomach.

For rheumatism I have found nothing equal to Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It relieves the pain as soon as applied. J. W. Young, West Liberty, W. V. The prompt relief it affords is alone worth many times the cost, 50 cents. Its continued use will effect a permanent cure. For sale at Reynolds a Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Legal Transfer of the $10,000 Bequest of the Late George H. Babcock.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Free Public Library was held last evening. There were present A. C. Baldwin, M. W. Tyler, J. B. Dumont, Wm. H. Larrabee, Wm. M. Stillman, and J. Evarts Tracy.

The minutes of the meeting of Dec. 4 were read and approved.

The following bills were on motion ordered paid: F. A. Pope, $19 02; Miss Adams, $100; Miss Davis, $25; S. H. Allen, $41.46.

The following resolution was on motion duly passed:

"The executors of the will of Geo. H. Babcock, deceased, having made known to the Board their readiness to pay over the sum of $10,000 bequeathed by Geo. H. Babcock to the Trustees of the Plainfield Public Library for the purchase of industrial, mechanical and scientific books to be known as the Babcock scientific library; therefore

"Resolved, That the treasurer be, and he is hereby authorized to receive the same, and that the president and treasurer be, and they are hereby authorized on the receipt of the said sum to execute and deliver to the executors the proper refunding bond required by law, and a release in proper form acknowledging the receipt of the amount of the bequest, and discharging the executors from all further claim in respect thereof, and that a copy of the refunding bond, and the release and discharge so to be executed and delivered, be incorporated in the minutes."

On motion it was resolved that the sum of $10,000 be received from the executors of Mr. Babcock's will for the purpose of the "Babcock Scientific Library" when received by the treasurer, and the rents of real estate applicable to the support and maintenance of that library when received and on hand from time to the amount of $500 be deposited by the treasurer in the New York Life Insurance and Trust Company upon interest, in the name of the Trustees of the Plainfield Public Library and Reading-room, and that such money be withdrawn only under resolution of the Board. Resolved, That moneys deposited in the New York Life Insurance and Trust Company to the credit of the Board, be withdrawn only upon checks required by the president, vice-president and treasurer.

On motion, the communication from the librarian, respecting the use of additional room for periodical and the selection of additional periodicals, was referred to the Library Committee with power.

The Librarian's report for December was read, and on motion ordered on file. Adjourned. WM M. STILLMAN, Sec.

Has the Best Wishes of the Board.

One of the leading insurance papers of New York speaks as follows concerning the resignation of a prominent Plainfielder:

"The board of directors of the German-American Insurance Company met last Thursday and accepted the resignation of John W. Murray. Mr. Murray has been vice-president of the company since 1873. He has always been regarded as one of the ablest underwriters in the United States. A director of the company, speaking of Mr. Murray's resignation, attributed it to a desire on his part to secure relief from the cares of business. Mr. Murray leaves the company with the best wishes of every member of the board of directors."

A Holiday Souvenir.

The new year brought to the editor's desk a handsome and valuable souvenir from the Prudential Insurance Company, with the compliments of the local superintendent, R. M. Dawson. It is a massive silver paper cutter, envelope opener, and folder. The Press will find it a useful office assistant through 1895, and its user cannot avoid the reflection that it is symbolic of the Prudential in its sterling worth, nor avoid the impressive message graven on the handle, of "claims paid over $17,000,000."

Hemorrhage from a Tooth.

An attempt was made to extract an old root from the jaw of Miss Nellie Arnold, daughter of Borough Clerk Arnold, Monday, and a terrible hemorrhage set in. Over a teacupful of blood gushed out, and much concern was felt. Dr. Fritts was summoned, and after two visits he succeeded in stopping the dangerous flow.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Elves Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A business meeting of the W. T. A. Society will be held in Reform Hall tomorrow afternoon at 3.

—You love a good story? Then you are reading "An Arkansas Prophet" now running in The Daily Press.

—The general meeting of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein will be held Friday, January 4, at 8 p. m.

—The Third Regiment Cadet Corps will meet henceforth at Capt. Edwards's house Friday nights until further notice.

—The Park Bowling team will not go to Elizabeth Friday as the game with the E. A. C. has been postpond till the following Tuesday.

—Rogers the seafood man sold over 12,000 oysters for the New Year's trade, Monday and Tuesday, in addition to his other seafood business.

—Good values on merino underwear for men, women, boys and girls, and other Winter goods, are being offered just now at Edsall's Commercial Palace.

—The large number of people who took advantage of the excellent skating yesterday in Plainfield and vicinity proved that the sport is as popular as ever.

—The service in the Congregational Church this evening will be the preparatory service. The pastor's subject will be "Some New Things for the New Year".

—The loss of a mitten containing $5 occurred on North avenue yesterday. As the property is that of a poor woman, its restoration by the finder will be greatly appreciated. The Daily Press will gladly act as receiver.

—Copies of the issue of The Daily Press containing the exclusive report of the councilmanic committee on the water supply may still be had at this office, although the extraordinary demand for them has greatly reduced the supply.

—It is expected that the Y. M. C. A. Building will be formally opened Jan. 15. The gymnasium was used yesterday for the first time, and the regular classes will now be formed. The association temporarily occupies the downstairs stores.

—"Moses and Aaron; or, A One-Man Sin" is the characteristic title of the new story to be begun in this paper Friday. It is the latest production of Frank R. Stockton, and will appear in The Daily Press for the first time, being copyrighted to that paper's use.

Jerusalem Installs.

At a regular communication of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., held the first evening in the new year, the following officers were installed to serve this lodge for the ensuing year:

Worshipful Master—D. C. Adams.
Senior Warden—Stephen Beeching.
Junior Warden—W. F. Bartlett.
Treasurer—Alex. Titsworth.
Secretary—Chas. Yaeger.
Chaplain—John M. Lewis.
Senior Deacon—M. L. Connolly.
Junior Deacon—Stephen VanHorn.
Masters of Ceremony—Lewis S. Pocock, Frank W. Hand.
Stewards—L. B. Woolston, Henry Liefke.
Tyler—Kaspar Bolsterle.

Past Worshipful Brother William H. Sebring conducted the ceremonies and Worshipful Master C. C. Howard of Anchor, 149, officiated as Marshal.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies about fifty of the members and invited brethren repaired to the banquet room, where the fourth degree was conferred in excellent style, and the speeches that followed were of a high order. The brethren at about 11 o'clock departed for their respective homes, satisfied that they had spent the first evening of the new year very pleasantly.

In the Methodist Church.

There was a good attendance at the services on Monday evening. Excepting that the exercises closed at 9:45 instead of midnight, they partook of the character of watch-night meeting. The Drew Quartette were present, and greatly aided in the services. Rev. M. L. Andariese delivered an appropriate address, and the quartette singing amid hushed silence, "Where shall I be", and "Remember me, O Mighty One".

Many took part in prayer and testimony, and several requests were made in behalf of friends. No note was taken of the passing time, and many would have been pleased to remain until the coming of the New Year.

Meetings will be held every evening at 8, at which the quartette will sing and otherwise take part. You are invited.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

David Dunavan spent New Year's Day with friends in Freehold.

Stephen Rushmore returned today to his college life at Amherst.

Miss Cox of New York is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman.

Everett Dwight of Rockview avenue returned yesterday to Princeton College.

Ed. C. Schenck and family removed yesterday to their new home on Jackson avenue.

Mrs. Neely of Vine street is very low, only slight hopes being entertained of her recovery.

Miss Lillie Clickener of Manasquan is visiting her uncle, H. VanMiddlesworth, Liberty street.

Jules Chatelan of Brooklyn is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. August Trust of 222 Somerset street.

John J. Gallagher will spend New Year's week at his former home in Poughkeepsie, New York.

Miss Margaret McIntyre of Philadelphia is the guest of Mrs. John Doull Miller of East Ninth street.

W. H. Fulton returned to his home in Mauch Chunk yesterday after a pleasant visit with Plainfield friends.

Julia F. Bogert and Howard Bogert spent the Christmas holidays with J. D. Spicer of West Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Randall of New York spent New Year's Day with Mr Bromfield of East Sixth street.

Charles Vail of Orchard place has been ill since Saturday at home. He was able to be at work today, however.

Miss Edith Blackwell of Astoria is spending a few days with Miss Mabel VanDeventer of Willow avenue.

M. J. Cashan, musical director of St. Mary's Church choir, is visiting friends and relatives in Poughkeepsie.

Harold B. Hart, formerly of this city and now living in Brooklyn, spent New Year's Day among Plainfield friends.

Mrs. C. L. Goodrich is entertaining her sisters, the Misses Carter of Montclair, at her home on West Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vanderbeek and son Roy drove yesterday to South Branch, where they enjoyed the day with friends.

Miss Eleanor Williams of West Seventh street has returned to her home after a short stay with relatives in Philadelphia.

Ex-Councilman and Mrs. F. M. Slater entertained a few of their friends Monday evening at their home on Jackson avenue.

Miss Mabelle Smith of Westervelt avenue returned today from Glen Cove, where she has been spending the Christmas holidays.

After spending the Christmas holidays at his home on East Fifth street, John Chandor has returned to the school ship St. Mary'

Miss Valentine Chandor has returned to her home on East Fifth street after spending several days with relatives in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Albert of Coontown, near Sterling, spent yesterday with their son-in-law, Benjamin Harris of South Plainfield.

Miss Halsey, daughter of Judge Halsey of Rockaway, Morris County, is visiting her friend Miss Euphemia Johnston of East Fifth street.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Lauderdale of Fort Ontario, Oswego, spent New Year's Day at the hospitable home of Nathan Lane on Sycamore avenue.

Miss Pearl Edgerton, who has been spending a few days with Miss Lucie P Davis of East Fifth street, has returned to her home in Brooklyn.

Ralph Campbell of Netherwood avenue returned this morning to New York where he will continue his studies in the University of New York.

Mrs R C. Morse of Chatham street, who fell down stairs a few days ago, has not yet recovered from the effects of her fall, but is slowly improving.

Fred Hughes of Somerset street returned last night to his studies in the University of Pennsylvania, after a delightful holiday week at home.

Supt. H. M. Maxson of the public schools is slowly recovering his health, and, it is hoped, will soon be able to attend to his accustomed duties.

Miss Noel J. Bullock, principal of the Franklin School, and Miss Case also of the Franklin, who were guests of "The Whittier", Atlantic City, during the holidays, returned to Plainfield last evening.

Miss Caroline A. Barber, who so successfully teaches the "young idea" when they first enter the Franklin school, returned yesterday from her former home among the snow-capped hills of Bernardston, Massachusetts.

"It is a pleasure to sell Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Stickney & Dentler, druggists, Republic, Ohio, "Because a customer after once using it is almost certain to call for it when again in need of such a medicine. We sell more of it than of any other cough medicine we handle, and it always gives satisfaction." For cough, colds and croup, it is without an equal. For sale at Reynolds's, Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

Vacation is over and everybody is ready for work again. Dr. Probasco, President of the Board of Education, was present at the morning exercises, and addressed a few words to the school. Superintendent Maxson and Mr. Travell also spoke a few words appropriate to the new year. Quite a number of the graduates of '93 and '94 were present at the morning exercises and at the recitation of the Geometry Class in the Senior room. The Astronomy Class also entertained quite a number of visitors by the reading of several of the essays on certain diversions of Astronomy.

Among those who visited the High School were:

Miss Needham; Miss Alice Needham '94; Miss Florence Smith '94; Miss Nora Williams '94; Miss Helen Hasbrook '94; Miss Edith Lane '94. Miss Pheobe Lovell '94; Miss Julia Bourgeois '94; Miss Carrie Kellogg '94; Miss Mabel Mitchell '94; Thomas A Cuming '93; S. Clinton Crane '93; John C. Whiting '93; Nathan Lane, Jr., '94, Walter Raynolds '94.

NINETY-FIVE.

A New-Year-Day Tea.

At the home of James McGee in North Plainfield was given a pretty tea yesterday afternoon. His daughter, Mrs. Joy, received the guests assisted by her sisters, Mrs. Horne, Mrs. Ashbrook of Philadelphia, Mrs. Welch of Brooklyn and Miss Joy of Boston.

Mrs. VanVliet, Miss Horne and Miss Pearce of Boston were also of the receiving party. In the dining room which was prettily decorated in pink, was Mrs. Henry McGee serving bouillon at a dainty side table, while Mrs. F. G Foster and Mrs. Walter McGee served chocolate and coffee from the centre table.

The young ladies who assisted in the dining room were the Misses Ross from Brooklyn and Miss Gendell of Philadelphia. Among the many friends who called to exchange New Year greetings were:

Mrs F O Herring, Mrs August Baldwin, Mrs Walter Haviland, Mr and Mrs Scott Foster of New York, Miss Foster, Mr and Mrs W W Howland, Mr and Mrs D N Groendyke, Mrs Henry McGee, Mr and Mrs O T Waring, Mr and Mrs B A Hegeman, Jr, Mr and Mrs William Rooms, Mr and Mrs William L Saunders, Mrs Walter McGee, Miss Munger, Mrs Edwin T Douglas, Mrs Lucy Hooley, Mrs E S Hooley, Mr and Mrs George P Dupee, Mrs Alex Gilbert, Dr Ellis W Hedges, Rev Herbert Welch, William S Ashbrook, Mrs Talmage, Mrs Ege, Mr and Mrs G Harry Squires, Mr and Mrs L W Serrell, Mrs John Clark, George A Horne, Edward G Ashbrook of Philadelphia.

Librarian's Report for the Month of December, 1894.

Volumes on accession-book, Nov. 30, 1894	12,766
" added by purchase	2
Volumns added by gift	1
Volumes now in the library	12,769
Number of card-holders	3,402
Cash rec'd from fines	$ 19.30
" " " non-resident subscriptions	$ 5.00
Cash received from sales of catalogues	$ 5.00
Home Circulation.	
Fiction	1144
Juvenile	440
Biography	87
Travel	141
Philosophy	13
Religion	14
Sociology	27
Natural science	65
Useful arts	38
Fine arts	35
Literature	162
History	120
Bound magazines	11
Total	2297
Total for December, '93	2032
Increase	265
Visitors to building	2,931

EMMA L. ADAMS, Librarian.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Rev. E. Kionka has kindly consented to teach a class in German in the Y. M. C. A. educational course at the rooms in the new building. Quite a number have already enrolled their names, and others desiring to join the class can apply at the general secretary's office.

Visitors were received yesterday at the new building. All were delighted with its apparent and prospective comfort and usefulness.

The physical director has had his office adjoining the gymnasium fitted up comfortably and has a complete outfit of anthropometric apparatus for taking measurements and making physical examinations. Several have had their examinations already and quite a number of appointments scheduled on the physical director's notebook. Make an appointment with him soon. Secure your locker before the rush comes.

Mr. Ira P. Wetmore, a prominent real estate agent of San Angelo, Texas, has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for several years as occasion required, and always with perfect success. He says: "I find it a perfect cure for our baby when troubled with colic or dysentery. I now feel that my outfit is not complete without a bottle of this Remedy at home or on a trip away from home. For sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

MORTON IN THE CHAIR

First Republican Governor of New York for Years.

Inaugural Address of the New Executive and the Speech of Gov. Flower—Mrs. Morton and Her Daughters Present—Reception at the Executive Mansion.

Albany, Jan. 2.—For the first time in sixteen years New York finds a republican in the governor's chair. Levi P. Morton was inaugurated yesterday in the assembly chamber in the capitol.

A favored number, armed with cards of invitation from the secretary of state, were admitted to the floor. The rest looked on from the galleries.

The chamber was a rainbow of color. Over the top of the speaker's desk, extending out into the well nearly to the stenographer's desk, a platform had been built, and this and the entire wall of the chamber were completely covered with red, white and blue.

Extending along the balustrade of the ladies' gallery was a drapery of American flags, festooned over each other so as to carry out the idea of a painting. The two heavy pillars, one on each side of the speaker's desk, had been covered with flags, stretched from the ceiling to the base.

All around the carvings in the granite and at the sides of the platform were garlands of flags. Above the space on the platform, where the secretary of state administered the oath of office to Mr. Morton, was suspended a large red, white and blue star.

The platform, aside from the beautiful decorations made by flags and bunting, was adorned with a wealth of tropical plants, and behind the central seat, assigned to the governor-elect, was a large floral horseshoe, formed of rare blossoms.

Under military escort, Gov. Flower went from the Hotel Kenmore to the executive mansion, where he was met by Mr. Morton and his staff. The entire party then moved to the capitol in carriages, with the Albany republican league swelling the parade.

The party entered upon the platform in the assembly chamber through the speaker's room. Mrs. Morton, her five daughters and the flower of Albany society invaded the gentlemen's gallery by mistake and hastily retreated.

The inaugural ceremonies were presided over by the secretary of state, Hon. John Palmer. Doring's band was stationed in one of the gentlemen's galleries. It was but a few minutes after 11 o'clock when the Right Rev. Bishop William Crosswell Doane opened the exercises with prayer.

When Gov. Flower rose to speak he received an ovation from the throng. He said in part:

"Mr. Morton, in accordance with a time-honored custom, we are assembled here to witness the formal ceremonies which marks your installation into the high office of governor. As the retiring executive it is my duty, and as your personal friend it is my privilege, to welcome you to this capitol of the state and greet you as my official successor. The duties which you are about to assume are imposed upon you by a flattering and emphatic expression of the people's will.

"For, myself, I am pleased to announce that in rendering my account to the people I can point them to a state entirely out of debt and to a lower average state tax rate during the last three years than has been levied during the administration of any governor since 1854."

Then the new governor, who is not suspected of having kissed the Blarney stone of eloquence, made this short inaugural address, after being sworn in:

"Gov. Flower—Your cordial welcome and kindly words are but the continuation of the repeated courtesies which you have extended to me since the election and which I can but inadequately acknowledge; but they merit my gratitude and will be cherished in grateful remembrance.

"You will carry with you into your private life the good wishes of the people. During the 117 years that have passed since the adoption of the constitution of our state the office of governor has been occupied by many who were not alone distinguished in the state, but were foremost among the statesmen of the nation.

"Fellow-citizens, we are justly proud of the great state in which we live, and I should be restraining my feelings if I were to withhold this public acknowledgement of my appreciation of the honor which has been conferred upon me by my election as its chief executive."

The exercises closed with a benediction. Gov. Morton went to the executive mansion to hold a reception. Ex-Gov. Flower and Mrs. Flower left for Watertown.

Rich Oil Fields.

Findlay, O., Jan. 2.—Messrs. J. W. and T. E. Kirkbride who have drilled in the past few weeks two of the largest flowing oil wells in this country if not in the world, has added another big gusher to their list by drilling in No. 5, near their other big wells, in the Rollersville field. The estimated production of the new well is 10,000 barrels per day at the present price of 55 cents per barrel, will bring them an income from this well alone of $5,500 per day.

Fatal Dynamite Explosion.

Nashville, Jan. 2.—James Gray, James Alexander and James Fletcher, colored laborers employed in excavating for the foundation of the new state penitentiary, were engaged in thawing out a box of dynamite when the combustible became overheated and exploded. All three were instantly killed.

WHITE HOUSE CALLERS

Washington Turns Out To Greet the President.

Mrs. Cleveland Gained Fresh Popularity by Her Gracious Address, While Mr. Cleveland Shakes Every Extended Hand—A Precocious Youngster's Greeting.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The reception at the white house passed off quietly, there being no incidents of an unusual character to mar the pleasant scene and the usual crank failed to put in an appearance. One old man was present, however, who appeared to have a missive of some sort. He carried a voluminous document written in black and red ink, but if it was an "address" he intended to present, he was prevented from so doing by the celerity with which he was moved through the room. One patriotic youngster in his father's arms, removed his cap and shouted "Hurrah for Grover" while his father was shaking hands with Mrs. Cleveland. A man on crutches with both legs crippled was asked by Mrs. Cleveland to sit down and rest, which he did to the great delight of himself and wife until the ceremony was over.

"Grandmother" Chapman, aged 85, was invited behind the lines to rest. An amusing incident occurred when a doorkeeper attempted to prevent the passage of Secretary Lamont, and, earlier in the day, when the entrance to the blue room of Col. Wilson, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, in all the glory of his full dress uniform, was barred by one of his inferior officers who did not recognize him.

It was exactly six minutes before two o'clock when the end of the line reached Mrs. Cleveland. She shook the last hand as heartily as she did the first, and then began an animated conversation with those behind the line. It was about 12:30 when the general public, following the G. A. R., veterans, began to pass through the blue room, with the end of this column resting on Pennsylvania avenue between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets. By hurrying people along, all who had so patiently waited for their turn were able to greet the president and his wife before the gates were closed. By the time the populace began to pass through all those assisting had dropped out and Mrs. Cleveland bravely stood up alone, shaking hands at the rate of sixty a minute. Old and young, black and white were treated alike and some, afflicted with "stage fright" after passing Mr. Cleveland, became aware of the presence of the first lady of the land only by her reaching out and grasping the hand that had just been dropped by the president.

Secretary of State Gresham entertained the diplomatic corps at breakfast immediately after their departure from the white house, the brilliant scene of which they had formed the most interesting figures being reproduced in part at the Arlington at noon. The ceremony followed the time-honored custom in its details for rigid formalities. Mrs. Gresham assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Andrews of Chicago and her niece, Mrs. Fuller, wife of Captain Fuller of the army, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Rockhill, wife of the assistant secretary of the state, Mrs. Parker and Miss Reed of Illinois, received the guests, and at the end of of half an hour Secretary Gresham offering his own arm to Lady Pauncefote led the way to the dining room.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, followed with Mrs. Gresham, the French ambassador with Baroness Fava and the Italian ambassador escorting Madame Patenotre.

TWO FATALLY INJURED.

An Open Switch Causes a Smash-Up in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Train 111 on the Chicago & Northwestern railway consisting of five cars heavily loaded ran into an open switch near Fullerton avenue last night. The engine plunged into a freight car, the tender telescoping the first coach.

Two people were fatally injured and a dozen others less seriously hurt. The fatally injured are Mr. and Mrs. Preston, of Evanston. Mrs. Preston had one leg cut off and Mr. Preston's injuries are equally serious. Arthur Tipp of Evanston, was seriously cut.

Fast Service to the Atlantic.

Denver, Jan. 2.—The Adams Express company which for the first time appears in the Rock mountain country as an independent company have opened magnificently equipped quarters here under the management of C. M. Day, of Chicago, as general agent. The Adams from this point is to operate over the Burlington and Pennsylvania systems, making the fastest service yet secured to the Atlantic.

Five Prisoners Escape.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 2.—Five desperate criminals have escaped from the old Buchanan county jail. They are Patrick Growe, in jail for train robbery; Joe Dusty, under sentence of death for assault; James Owens, murderer, sentenced to be hanged in Atchison county; Harry Curtis, forgery, and Wm. Fullmar, house breaker. So far the authorities have no trace of the fugitives.

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WOMEN STRIKERS PARADE.

Stitchers Quit Work on Account of the Con ract System.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 2.—The striking women stitchers, to the number of 250, held a street parade yesterday. They formed at headquarters on Merrimac street and marched to Gray's shoe stitching rooms and called out his women employes, about 40 in number. The work done in the room was for W. W. Spaulding, and for this reason the strike was ordered.

Much is said as to the cause of the present labor troubles which have assumed gigantic proportions. One cause, and a prominent one, was the introduction of the so-called contract system, by which employes were compelled to leave a portion of their earnings in the hands of their employes, which they were obliged to forfeit if they quit work without giving two weeks' notice. This was introduced into Chick Brothers' factory and one or two others, three years or more ago, and has always been a bone of contention and produced much dissatisfaction among the help. But a still more important reason came from the fact that the employes want wages restored to where they were before the panic of 1893.

The panic broke these prices up and the wage earners worked for what they could get. But with the revival of business the old wages were not restored, and cut downs became frequent. To check this and to bring prices up again to the former standard, the strike was inaugurated, though the ostensible cause was the small earnings made by the operators on the consolidated method machine.

JOHN M'BRIDE IS HERE.

The New President of the Federation of Labor Takes Office.

New York, Jan. 2.—At the first meeting of the new executive council of the American Federation of Labor the following officers were present:

John McBride, the newly-elected president; James Duncan, of Baltimore, second vice president; T. J. Elderkin, third vice president; Augustin McCraith, general secretary, and John E. Lennon, New York city, treasurer.

Ex-President Samuel Gompers and ex-Secretary Chris Evans handed over to the new committee the books and papers of the federation.

President McBride said that he could not yet speak on any anticipated changes. He trusted and expected to see a grand union of labor men before another year, and believes a presidential candidate will be put in the field.

The business of the session was principally of a routine character.

Adolph Strasser and Andrew Furuseth were appointed as a legislative committee to watch the proceedings of congress at Washington.

PENNSYLVANIA POPULISTS.

An Active Educational Campaign Agreed Upon in Convention.

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 2.—The populist leaders of the state, about fifty in number, met in conference here, Dr. C. V. Bush of Huntingdon county, presided. An active educational campaign for this year was agreed upon and the industrial legion was indorsed as a means of raising funds for this work. The Omaha platform was indorsed and Senator Flynn's "Greater Pittsburg" and good roads bills and the financial schemes of congress were disapproved.

A resolution was adopted suggesting to congress the establishment of a board of charities, with a cabinet official at its head, with national powers adequate for the prompt relief that calamities such as the country has lately been subjected to require. Coxey's idea of good roads and bonds was indorsed, as was Governor Tillman's plan of dealing with the liquor traffic.

THE DELAVAN RUINS.

No Further Revelations of Victims in the Hotel Fire.

Albany, Jan. 2.—The list of fatalities in the Delavan house fire remains the same as last reported.

This morning Kate Crowley, one of the servants thought to have been burned, turned up, but another, Mary Fitzgibbons, is still missing, and it is believed that she met her death in the fire.

This makes the death list foot up to sixteen.

No attempt has as yet been made to search the ruins, the police disclaiming it to be their duty. The proprietors of the burned hotel have lost all and are taking no steps to look for the bodies.

Seven Hundred Laborers Strike.

Pittsburg, Jan. 2.—Seven hundred Slav laborers have struck at the Edgar Thomson steel works of the Carnegie Steel company at Braddock on account of a reduction in wages. Supt. Gayley of that company, says he will be able to fill their places to-day. The nine furnaces were banked and if the places of the strikers cannot be filled immediately 3,000 men will be thrown out of employment. The strikers were reduced from $1.40 to $1.20 per day and this caused the trouble.

Senator Wolcott's Rival.

Denver, Jan. 2.—Senator Wolcott has a rival in W. M. Stratton, of Cripple Creek, owner of the Independence and other mines in that district. He is reported to have come to Denver determined to get the senatorship. His candidacy has created considerable surprise among republicans.

The Minneapolis Docked.

Philadelphia, Jan. 2.—The cruiser Minneapolis, which was anchored near the mouth of the Schuylkill river, has been docked at League island it being deemed dangerous for her to lie at anchor, as heavy ice has formed in the river.

Wreck on the Big Four.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 2.—A freight wreck occurred on the Big Four at Yorktown, six miles west of here and several cars were completely demolished and four of the train men were injured. Wm. Shull, a brakeman, was killed.

Big Order for Steel Rails.

Harrisburg, Jan. 2.—The Pennsylvania Steel company has received an order for 8,000 tons of steel rails from the Pennsylvania Railroad company, to be delivered in two months.

Death of Ex-President Thorn.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 2.—John Thorn, ex-president of the Utica & Black river railroad, is dead, aged 84 years.

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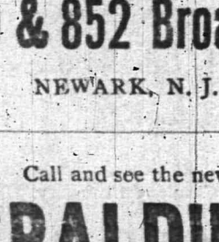

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"Well, parson," McMonigle began at last, "ef I had o' seen you standin' in the front o' the sto'e clean to the minute you come back here, I'd think you'd heerd more'n names.

"Of co'se we couldn't put it quite ez eloquent az you did, but we had jest everyone of us 'lowed that sense the day May Meredith dropped out o' Simpkinsville the sky ain't never shone the same.

"But for a story? Well, I don't see thet ther's much story to it, and to them thet didn't know *her* I reckon it's a common enough story.

"But ez to the old nigger, Proph', being mixed up in it, I can't eggsac'ly say that's so, though I don't never think about the old nigger without seemin' to see little May Day's long yaller curls, an' ef I think about her, I seem to see the old man, somehow.

"Don't they 'come to you all that-a-way?"

He paused, took a few puffs from his pipe and looked from one to another for confirmation of his story.

"Yas," said the doctor, "jest exactly that-a-way, Dan'l. Go on, ol' man. You're a-tellin' it straight."

"Well, that's what I'm aimin' to do." He laid his pipe down on the stove's fender as he resumed his recital.

"Old Proph'—which his name wasn't Prophet, of co'se, which ain't to say a name nohow, but his name was Jeremy, an' he used to go by name o' Jerry; then somebody called him 'Jeremy, the prophet,' an' from that it got down to 'Prophet' and then 'Proph'—and so it stayed.

"Well, as I started to say, Proph' he was jest one o' Meredith's ol' slave niggers—a sort o' quare, half luney, no-'count darky—never done nothin' sense freedom but what he had a mind to, jest livin' on Meredith right along.

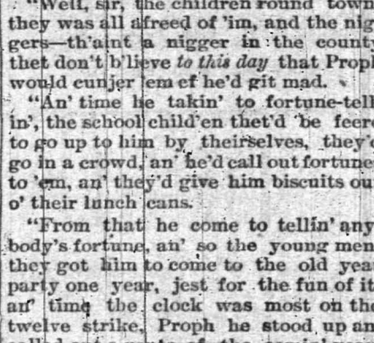
"He wasn't to say crazy but—well, he'd stand and talk to anything, a dog, a cat, a tree, a toad-frog—anything. Heap o' times I've seen him limpin' up the road an' he'd turn round sudden an' seemed to be talkin' to somethin' thet was follerin' him, an' when he'd git tired he'd start on an' maybe every minute look back over his shoulder and laugh. They was only one thing Proph was, to say, good for. Proph was a capital A 1 hunter—shorest shot in the state, in my opinion, and when he'd take a notion he could go out where nobody wouldn't sight a bird or a squir'l all day long, an' he'd fill his game bag.

"Well, sir, the children round town, they was all afreed of 'im, and the niggers—th'aint a nigger in the county thet don't b'lieve *to this day* that Proph would cunjer 'em ef he'd git mad.

"An' time he takin' to fortune-tellin', the school child'en thet'd be feerd to go up to him by theirselves, they'd go in a crowd, an' he'd call out fortunes to 'em, an' they'd give him biscuits out o' their lunch cans.

"From that he come to tellin' anybody's fortune, an' so the young men, they got him to come to the old year party one year, jest for the fun of it, an' time the clock was most on the twelve strike, Proph he stood up an' called out e-vents of the comin' year. An', sir, for a crack-brained fool nigger, he'd call out the smartest things you ever hear. Every year for five year Proph called out comin' e-vents at the old year party; an' matches that nobody suspicioned, why he'd call 'em out, an' shore enough, 'fore the year was out, the weddin's would come off. An' babies! He'd predic' babies a year ahead—not always callin' out full names, but jest insinuatin' so that anybody that wasn't deef in both ears would understand.

"But to come back to the story of May Meredith—he ain't in it, no ways in particilar. It's only thet sense she could walk an' hold the ol' man's hand he doted on her, an' she was jest ez wropped up in him. Many a time when she was a toddler he's rode into town, mule-back, with her settin' up in front of him. An' then when she got bigger



SET ON THE FLO' BY HER BED ALL NIHGT.

it was jest as ef she was the queen to him—that's all. He saved her from drowndin' once't, jumped in the creek after her an' couldn't swim a stroke, an' mos' drownded hisself—an' time she had the diptheria, he never shet his eyes ez long ez she was sick enough to be set up with—set on the flo' by her bed all night.

"That's all the way Proph is mixed up in her story. An' now, sense they're both gone, ef you 'magine you see one, you seem to see the other.

"An' *May Day's* story? Well, I hardly like to disturb it. Don't rightly know how to tell it, nohow.

"I don't doubt folks has told you she went wrong, but that's a mighty hard way to tell the story of May Meredith.

"We can't none of us deny, I reckon, thet she went wrong. A red-cheeked peach thet don't know nothin' but the dew and the sun, and to grow sweet and purty—it goes wrong when it's wrenched off the stem and et by a hog. That's one way o' goin' wrong.

"Little Daisy Meredith didn't have no mo' idee o' harm than that mockin' bird o' Rowton's in its cage there, thet sing, weekday songs all Sunday nights.

"She wash't but jest barely turned seventeen years—ez sweet a little girl ez ever taught a Baptist Sunday-school class—when *he* come down from St. Louis—though some says he come from Chicago, an' some says Canada—lookin' after some St. Louis land mortgages. An', givin' the devil his due, he was the handsomest man thet ever trod Simpkinsville streets—that is, of cos'e, for a outsider. Seen May Day first time on

HE SAW MAY GOING TO CHURCH AND LOOKED AFTER HER.

her way to church, an' looked after her—then squared back di-rect, an' follered her. Walked into church de-lib'rate, an' behaved like a gentleman, religiously inclined, ef ever a well-dressed city person behaved that way.

"Well, sir, from that day on, he froze to her and, strange to say, every mother of a marriageable daughter in town was jealous exceptin' one, an' that one was May's own mother. An' she not only wasn't jealous—which she couldn't 'a' been, of co'se—but she wasn't pleased.

"She seemed to feel a dread of him from the start, and she treated him mighty shabby, but of co'se the little girl, she made it up to him in politeness, good as she could, an' he didn't take no notice of it. Kep' on showin' the old lady every 'tention, an' when he'd be in town, most any evenin' you'd go past the Meredith gate you could see his horse tied there—everything open and above-board, so it seemed.

"Well, sir, he happened to be here the time of the old year party, three year ago. You've been here a year and over, ain't you, parson?"

"Yes, I was stationed here at fall conference a year ago this November, you recollect."

"Yas, so you was. Well, all this is about two year befo' you come.

"Well, sir, when it was known that May Day's city beau was goin' to be here for the party, everybody looked to see some fun, 'cause they know'd how free ol' Proph' made with names, an' they wondered ef he'd have gall enough to call out May Day's name with the city feller's. Well, ez luck would have it, the party was at my house that year, an' I tell you, sir, folks thet hadn't set up to see the old year out for ten years, come that night jest for fear they'd miss somethin'. But of co'se we saw through it. We knowed what fetched 'em.

"Well, sir, that was the purtiest party I ever see in my life. Our Simpkinsville pattern for young girls is a toler'ble neat one, ef I do say it, ez shouldn't, bein' kin to forty-leven of 'em. We ain't got no, to say, ugly girls in town—never had many, though some has plained down consider'ble when they got settled in years, but the girls there that night was ez perfec' a bunch of girls ez you ever see—jest ez purty a show o' beauty ez any rose arbor could turn out on a spring day.

"Have you ever went to gether roses, parson, each one seemin' to be the purtiest tell you'd got a handful, an' you'd be startin' to come away, when away up on top o' the vine you'd see one that was enough pinker an' sweeter'n the rest to make you climb for it, an' when you'd git it, you'd stick it in the top of yore bouquet a little higher'n the others?

"I see you know what I mean. Well, that was the way May Day looked that night. She was that top bud.

"I had three nieces and wife and she had sev'al cousins, there—all purty enough to draw hummin' birds—but I say little Daisy Meredith, she jest topped 'em all for beauty and sweetness an' modesty that night.

"An' the stranger—well, I donno jest what to liken him to less'n it is to one of them princes thet stalk around the stage an' give orders when they have play actin' in a show tent.

"They wasn't no flies on his shape, nor his rig, nor his manners, neither. Talked to the old ladies—ricollect my wife she had a finger wropped up, an' he ast her about it and advised her to look after it an' give her a recipe for bone-felon. She thought they wasn't nobody like him. An' he jest simply danced the wall flowers dizzy, give the fiddlers money, an'—well, he done everything thet a person o' the royal family of city gentry might be expected to do. An' everybody wondered what mo' Mrs. Meredith wanted for her daughter. Tell the truth, some mistrusted, an' 'lowed thet she jest took on that way to hide how tickled she was.

"Well, ez I say, the party passed off lovely, an' after awhile it came near twelve o'clock, an' the folks commenced to look round for ol' Proph to come in an' call out e-vents same as he always done.

"So d'rectly the boys they went out an' fetched him in—drawin' him 'long by the sleeve, an' he holdin' back like ez ef he dreaded to come in.

"I tell you, parson, I'll never forgit the way that old nigger looked, longest day I live. Seemed like he couldn't sca'cely walk, an' he stumbled, an' when he took his station front o' the mantel shelf, seemed like he never would open his mouth to begin.

"An' when at last he started to talk, stid o' runnin' on an' laughin' an' plea-sin' everybody like he always done, he lifted up his face an' raised up his hands, same ez you'd do, ef you was startin' to read in public prayer. An' then he commenced:

"Sez he—an' when he started, he spoke so low down in his th'oat you couldn't sca'cely hear him—sez he:

"'Every year, my friends, I stand befo' you an' look throo de open gate into the new year. An',' sez he, 'seem like I see a long percession o' people pass befo' me—some two by two, some one by one, some horseback, some mule-back, some afoot—some cryin', some laughin', some stumblin' ez they'd walk, an' gittin' up agin', some fallin' to rise no mo', some faces I know, some strangers.'

"An' right here, parson, he left off for a minute, an' then when he commenced again, he dropped his voice plain down into his th'oat, an' he squinted his eyes an' seemed to be tryin' to see somethin' way off like, an' he sez, sez he:

"'But, to-night,' sez he, 'I don't know whar the trouble is,' sez he, 'but, look hard ez I can, I don't seem to see plain, 'cause the sky is darkened,' sez he, 'an while I see people comin' an' goin' an' I see de doctor's buggy on the road, an' hear the church bell, an' the organ, I can't make out nuthin' plain, 'cause the sky is overshaddered by a big dark cloud. An' now,' sez he, 'seem like the cloud is takin' the shape of a great big bird. Now I see him spread his wings an' fly into Simpkinsville, an' while he hangs over it in the sky seem to me I can see everybody stop an' gaze up an' hold their breath to see where he'll light—everybody hopin' to see him light in their tree. An' now—oh! now I see him comin' down, down, down—an' now he's done lit,' says he. I recollect that expression o' his, 'he's done lit,' sez he, 'in the limb of a tall maginolia tree a little piece out o' town.'

"Well, sir, when he come to the bird lightin' in a maginolia tree, a little piece out o' town, I tell you, parson, you could a' heerd a pin drop. You see, maginolias is purty sca'ce in Simpkinsville. Plenty o' them growin' round the edge o' the woods, but 'ceptin' them thet Sonny Simpkins set out in his yard years ago, I don't know of any nearer than Meredith's place. An' right at his gate, ef you ever takin notice, there's a maginolia tree purty nigh ez tall ez a post oak.

"An' so when the ol' nigger got to where the fine bird lit in the maginolia tree, all them thet had the best manners, they set still, but seeh ez didn't keer—an' I was one of thet las' sort—why we jest glanced at the city feller di-rec' to see how he was takin' it.

"But, sir, it didn't ruffle one of his feathers, not a one.

"An' then the nigger he went on: Sez he, squintin' his eyes agin, an' seemin' to strain his sight, sez he:

"'Now, he's lit,' sez he—I wish I could give it to you in his language, but I never could talk nigger talk—'now he's lit,' sez he, 'an' I got a good chance to study him,' sez he. 'I see he ain't the same bird he looked to be, 'fo' he lit.

"'His wing feathers is mighty fine, an' they rise in gorgeous plumes, but they can't hide his claws,' sez he, 'an' when I look eicser,' sez he, 'I see he got owl eyes an' a sharp beak, but seem like nobody can't see 'em. They all so dazzled with his wing feathers they can't see his claws.

"'An' now whiles I'm lookin' I see him rise up,' sez he, 'an' fly three times round the tree an' now I see him swoop down right befo' the people's eyes, an' befo' they know it, he's riz up in the air ag'in, an' spread his wings, an' the sky seems so darkened that I can't see nothin' clair—only a long stream o' yaller hair floatin' behind him.

"'Now I see everybody's heads drop, an' I hear 'em cryin'—but,' sez he, 'they ain't cryin' about the thief bird, but they cryin' about the yaller hair—the yaller hair—the yaller hair.'

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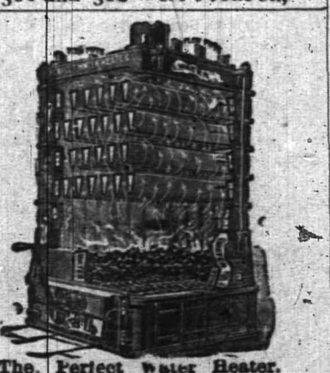

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A Forlorn Hope at Murfreesboro.

Jan. 2, 1863, saw the final and decisive repulse of Bragg's Confederates by Rosecrans' army at Murfreesboro. The last charge was made by General John C. Breckinridge's division, and the place of honor fell to Hanson's brigade of Kentuckians, known as "The Orphans." The task was in the nature of a forlorn hope. The Confederate army on the north side of Stone river lay in range of several Union batteries crowning a height on the south side. Those batteries must be silenced, or Bragg's army would be compelled to retreat. Breckinridge's division lay south of the river, Hanson's brigade being nearest the stream, and when the column was formed it marched along the bank under orders to fire a single volley when closing on the Union guns, then carry them with the bayonet.

The Union artillerists and their supports, finding their line virtually outflanked, rushed down the slope to the river for safety, closely pursued by the exulting Kentuckians. The north bank opposite this scene was occupied by General Thomas L. Crittenden's corps, Rosecrans' left wing, with an artillery brigade of 58 guns commanding the river fords. The moment the retreating Union soldiers across the valley got inside the range of those cannon, Crittenden ordered his chief of artillery to let loose the entire battery upon Hanson's men. The guns fired at the rate of 100 shots a minute. Forests which stood in the pathway went down as before a hurricane, and "The Orphans" were nearly annihilated. Hanson was killed, and the regiments in the van lost half their officers and men.

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GENERAL HANSON.

For the first time in twenty-five years the Sheriff of Union County has left Amos Moffett, the veteran constable, from the court list. The faithful services of this officer deserved better treatment.

Frank R. Stockton has written another of the stories such as only Frank R. Stockton can write; and as The Daily Press gets everything good that's going, in The Daily Press it will appear. The opening instalment will be printed Friday, Jan. 4, and everyone who loves Stockton stories (and who does not?) must now be on the lookout for "Moses and Aaron; or, A One-Man Sin". It will be published in this paper, and you'll read it there or nowhere.

"An Arkansas Prophet", the New Year's story now running in these columns from the pen of Ruth McEnery Stuart, will be completed tomorrow. Like all the Daily Press serials it is of reasonable length and of the highest merit that money can buy and genius produce. The most popular authors of the day are writing new serials for this paper for the new year, and no other Plainfield paper can get the stories to print because they are copyrighted to Daily Press use. Besides being the best Plainfield newspaper, The Press continues to maintain as high a literary grade as the leading magazines. To keep posted on the news and the best literature of the day, one needs only The Daily Press, and nothing else. The world's progress is its field, with Plainfield in the lead

Always endeavoring to improve the quality of its contents, The Daily Press begins the new year with additions to its already large list of novel and original features. Notable among these is the series of Short Stories of Heroism. 300 of these will be given during the year. Everybody likes to read an inspiring story of adventure, and these are brief, pointed, and true. They are arranged chronologically for publication on or about the date of the anniversary of each event recorded. Moreover, these Stories of Heroism are of great educational value, and it is proper to suggest to the attention of teachers the advisability of using these stories as a daily reading lesson. Marking, as they often do, the solving of gigantic issues of history or revealing instances of exemplary personal conduct or bravery, nothing can be more instructive, inspiring or interesting to the young. The typographical arrangement is striking, and gives an individuality to the feature, which, being copyrighted, will be found in The Daily Press, and in no other paper in Plainfield.

The Daily Press hopes much for Plainfield in 1895. The year just ended has been full of judicious planning, and within this year and the year succeeding Plainfield will acquire a phenomenal growth. She has been steadily progressing during the past twelve months, and under the new order of things she will boom with prodigious strides. The growth will be as permanent as rapid. Within the town, sewers have been begun, and the early Spring will witness the rapid-transit extensions which The Press has been praying for, and which mean so much for the place. The trolley roads to the outskirts will open up homes for the waiting throng, and the many advantages already possessed by Plainfield will be augmented to such extent that this will be New York's greatest suburban paradise. Already Plainfield is better and more favorably known than most towns within earshot of the metropolis, and with its new and completed attractions Plainfield will be the Mecca of the commuter who wants the best home at the least cost. Another factor in the growth of Plainfield will be the new electric railway from New York to Philadelphia. The competition thus created will eventually result in the reduction of railway fares, and transportation for the commuter will be lowered to a nominal figure. New York taxes have gone up and are going higher. The death rate has kept pace with the tax rate, and the people are longing for a cheaper community and a purer air. There is bound to be an exodus from the big city, and every indication is that Plainfield will reap the largest benefit. Here's to the greater Plainfield!

Death of Frank Talliant.

The many friends of Frank Talliant will be pained to learn of his sudden death, which occurred at the home of his sister, Mrs. John B. Sharp, Newark, Monday night at 8. He was as well as usual till Saturday night about 12, when he was taken very ill, and from that time till he died he did not regain consciousness. The cause of death was Bright's disease.

He was the only son of the late Cyprian L. Talliant, and was 27 years old.

A grief stricken mother and two sisters survive him, Mrs. John B. Sharp of Newark, and Mrs. Charles S. Greer of North Plainfield. His mother also resides in Newark.

The body was brought here for burial.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Greer, Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes officiating. The pall-bearers were: William Blimm, George Babcock, R. W. Schlereth, Peter Blimm, B. F. Crane, and George Mehl. Interment was made in the family plot in North Plainfield Cemetery.

The Bond Record.

In the new issue of The Cosmopolitan, it is noted that Harvey Fisk & Sons are offering to readers of the magazine free copies of The Bond Record. This is recognized as the authority on bonds throughout the country. For two years the property of the Fisks, it has become so great a publication that they have organized it into a stock corporation, and under their direction it is assuming even greater importance than ever. As the controllers are chiefly Plainfielders, they will doubtless take pleasure in supplying free copies to the readers of The Daily Press as well as to the readers of The Cosmopolitan. Write to the Fisks at 24 Nassau street, New York.

A Poodle Caused His Fall.

Al. D. Taylor of 21 Harmony street still has his hand bound up because of a peculiar accident which occurred a short time ago. He was going upstairs to bed, carrying a lighted lamp. At the top of the stairs lay a poodle. Not seeing the animal, Mr. Taylor tripped over it. Feeling that he was falling, as a result of the sudden loss of balance, and realizing that unless the lamp were extinguished the house would be set afire, Mr. Taylor had the presence of mind to throw behind him the hand holding the lamp, and in his fall he crushed the lamp under him and smothered the blaze. The broken glass cut his hand and thigh, and he fell to the foot of the stairs and was badly bruised

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BY THE WAY.

—The Christmas collection in St. Mary's Church was $530.

—D. S. Roberts holds at his stable a stray bay mare, awaiting a claimant.

—Fred Van Eps of East Fifth street, while skating, fell on the ice, spraining his wrist.

—Stephen Murphy was held by Justice Nash in $500 bail on the charge of assaulting George Barry.

—Sleighs of all description were skimming along the county roads yesterday, between this city and Westfield.

—William Jackson, Negro, was picked up on Somerset street last night, half frozen, and is now being treated in Muhlenberg Hospital.

—The Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital on Monday night established a training school for nurses in connection with the other hospital work.

—Scores of young people enjoyed the excellent coasting on Watchung avenue hill yesterday. The day was perfect, and the hill was never in better condition for the sport.

—An exciting bowling game is expected at Cranford tomorrow evening, when the Plainfield Bowling Club will meet the former in the contest for the Journal trophy.

—Louis Callman, one of Plainfield's most reliable merchants, noted for his honest dealings, has a new ad in The Press today. People who want courteous treatment and their money's worth should patronize him.

—Ernest White found a diamond in Senger and Turner Hall New Year's Eve, which the owner can have by calling at this office, describing the stone, and stating the number of "faucets" on its surface and stating its weight in "carrots".

—The usual New Year's feast took place in Hope Chapel, and was a great success. 700 people attended, and this is what they ate: 100 loaves bread, 71 turkeys, 28 lbs sugar, 21 lbs coffee, 4 boxes oranges, 25 lbs butter, 2 baskets apples, 73 cakes, 36 qts milk, 18 cans condensed milk.

—A happy party of sixteen New Brunswick sleighing enthusiasts made merry Monday night over an excellent supper provided by Caterer McVey in his commodious North Avenue dining room, and last evening the same bald-headed and jolly Boniface smiled on a party of ten from Rahway who were tempted from home by the excellent sleighing.

"Swim Out O'Grady, Swim Out."

Harry Frank, the night ticket agent at the North Avenue station, he of the sunny smile and the beautiful bronze mustache, went to New Market yesterday afternoon with a party of skaters. Shortly after their arrival on the ice Mr. Frank who by the way is an expert at the sport while executing some fancy figures ventured on the thin ice and went down. Fortunately the water was only shoulder high, and Harry immediately "Bobbed up serenely from below", while the merry skaters formed a circle around the hole and sang "Swim out O'Grady". Mr. Frank is none the worse for his involuntary bath and will be on deck as usual this evening.

Crystal Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Allen happily celebrated their crystal wedding at the old homestead, 154 Somerset street, last night. The guests, who, besides enjoying the feasting and merriment, brought many fine gifts, included: Mr and Mrs Mundy, Mr and Mrs Wyckoff, Mr and Mrs Cavalier, Mrs Rule of New Brunswick, Miss McCord, Mrs Allen, Miss May Younge, Misses Edith and Mabel Mundy, Emma Wyckoff, Miss Swain, Miss Schultz Miss Wise, Mr and Mrs Wm Allen, Mr and Mrs Huntington, Misses Hermann, Mr and Mrs Bovley and daughter, Mr and Mrs J Wyckoff, Mr and Mrs Meeker, Mr and Mrs J P Lane.

Sleighing Party.

A sleighing party arranged by J. A. Karet of Park avenue left town last evening and went to the Westfield Hotel, where the evening was passed pleasantly in dancing. An elaborate collation was served about midnight and the members of the party arrived home at 3 this morning. Those edjoying the affair were: Mr. and Mrs. William Newcorn, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Canfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Karet, Miss Brokaw, Miss Bertha Dreier, George Lederer, and Michael Karet.

C. E. Election.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Church of Christ have elected the following officers:

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Second Vice-president—Mabel VanMiddlesworth.

Recording Secretary—Benjamin William Hand

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Treasurer—Miss Ella Herrmann.

Skating Accident.

Willis West of Crescent avenue, in company with some young men, was skating on Hyde's pond yesterday when he fell and cut himself badly over the left eye. Max Honeyman, John VanWinkle, Jr., and Norman Probasco immediately went to his assistance and helped him to Dr. Probasco's office, where the physician took three stitches in the cut. He was able to walk home, though the loss of blood made him rather weak.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Lee Freeman of South avenue is visiting friends in New York.

Police officer Wm. Mattox is confined at home with a slight attack of pneumonia.

B. R. Cain and family of Grandview avenue spent New Year's Day in Waverly

Miss Nellie Fanning is spending a few days with Miss Stella Shotwell of College place.

Mrs. James T. Scott fell Monday and sprained both ankles, disabling her seriously.

Frank Splane of Summit avenue spent yesterday with his brother, M. Splane of Westfield.

A charming New Year's party was held at the home of Miss Marjorie Sterling of Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Overton and daughter spent New Year's Day with Mr. Overton of Rockview avenue.

John Lane of Pluckamin Mountain View Farm, Bedminster, is visiting Mr and Mrs. J. Van Eps of East Fifth street.

Dr. I. R. Glen of Pearl street is enjoying the holiday season with his family, having recently returned from an extended trip.

Mrs. David McKelway, who has been visiting Mrs. J. G. Daiziel of Plainfield avenue, has returned to her home in Philadelphia.

The Board of Managers of the Children's Home will meet at the home of Mrs. Kimball, 219 East Fifth street, tomorrow morning at 10.

George Weber, Jr., efficient head nurse on the men's floor of Brookside Retreat, was married yesterday to Miss Adrey Anna Redin of Scootch Plains, by Rev Dr. Parks.

Mrs. Steinhauser and her daughter Miss Marie, returned to their home in Jersey City after spending the holidays with Mrs. Steinhauser's sister, Miss Rose Verdon of Somerset street.

Alexander Willett, the successful footwear merchant of 107 Park avenue, finds business so prosperous and the young man's services so faithful that he has taken his son A. K. into partnership This is a meritorious recognition of a popular young man.

Dr. George Bedford entertained a happy home party at his residence 117 Lafayette place last evening. Laughter and song, pleasant chat and well-timed jokes made the evening pass most pleasantly. A candy pull which was one of the features of the evening was enjoyed by the entire party.

The New Year's Assembly was a great success. The list of subscribers was increased since the opening, and they danced to Elliott's music Wiertz was the caterer. The waitresses receiving were: Mrs Burnett, Mrs Reinhart, Mrs Saumders, Mrs Timpson, Mrs M S Ackerman and Mrs Hegeman

B. H. Doane, wife and baby, of New York, and Samuel Davis of South Carolina, were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hervey Doane of LaGrande avenue. Mr. Doane is an employe in the Court of Appeals, and Mr. Davis is in Judge Ingraham's Court, New York, Mr. Doane is a brother of Mrs. Hervey Doane.

New Year's Sleighing.

Splendid sleighing and a delightful evening added much to the pleasure of eighteen young people of Plainfield who spent New Year's Eve on a strawride. Westfield, and return by the way of the Springfield road, was the route of the gay party.

Miss Arlene Crane and Bert Hinrichs were the chaperons, and the others who enjoyed the ride were: Miss Nettie Langdon, Miss Elsie Jobes, Miss Lillian Schoonmaker, Miss Lillian Glenn, Miss Percy Emmons, Miss Stella Shotwell, Miss Edith Hurlbut, Miss Mary Luckey, Herbert Schutt, Clifford Crane, Volney F. Green, Sidney R. Titsworth, Carl D. Pfender, Benjamin O. Bowers, Jr., Allen Taylor, Seymour Smith, Jr.

—A lad named George Pope broke his collar-bone by a fall on Hyde's hill yesterday.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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is cloudy, we always have a large stock of Rubbers
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NOW IS THE TIME
To order your winter supply of
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We have completed our large plant on South avenue and are prepared to supply you with the best quality of Lehigh in the market. Also
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12 large barrels best kindling wood for $2.
Leave orders at office, 171 North avenue, opposite depot.
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DULL TIMES
Compels us to offer you inducements, and we do. It has always been our aim to give you more for your dollar than any other house in the city.
Listen to the Story That We Tell
We have just received a car load of Furniture which we are going to give away to every purchaser of $10, $15 and $25. We furnish you with a card and every purchase you make the amount is punched out. With the amount of $10 you are entitled to a fine chair, easel, book rack or hanging hat rack. With the amount of $15 you can select either a fancy table, rocker or plush rocker. With a $25 purchase you have your choice of a fancy plush rocker, fine oak rocker or toilet set. These goods are on exhibition in our large front window and you are welcome to a card by calling for same.
We Are the Only House
in the city where you can get FIBRE CHAMOIS. This goods takes the place of hair cloth, is cheaper and much warmer Also warranted cold proof. Only 35c a yard and 1 yard wide. We will be pleased to show you these goods at any time.
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Miller Lamps,
10 piece toilet sets decorated $1.25.
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Next to Post-office.

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DEALERS IN
Lumber. Coal. Mason's Material. &c.
Our stock is under cover and we can always deliver dry stock. Agents for Adamant Wall Plaster. Orders solicited.
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A NEWSPAPER STORY.

Last March was a very eventful period in the history of the Echo. So many things happened then to turn our own immediate world upside down that we have not recovered from the effect yet—indeed, they are only just beginning to be felt.

In the beginning the editor accepted a position on a New York paper and his place was filled by Austin Marlow, a friend of our former chief and a man who surpassed him, if such a thing were possible, in severity and industry.

About that time, too, the Avalanche, a contemporary that had appeared before the public in a blaze of glory about six months before, was declared insolvent and died out in a flicker of despair, and its corps of reporters and editors were compelled to accept the disagreeable occupation of seeking positions elsewhere. By some device, one of them, a man who had something of a power in the management of the defunct paper, contrived to be appointed managing editor of the Call, and another one drifted around our way and found refuge under the wing of the Echo.

She was the second girl we had ever had on the force, for in spite of the brilliant record Belle Scott had made for herself before she ended her career as a professional reporter by marrying the then city editor, the Echo had persistently refused to allow another woman within its portals, and we had gradually resumed our cast-off habits and had become almost as badly demoralized as we were when our first girl appeared among us. But, when Eva Jamison came over from the Avalanche the new management considered the matter of accepting her for awhile and then, to our mingled joy and regret, she became one of us.

The man from the Avalanche, who had become manager of the Call, evidently had ideas of his own about running a newspaper, and he was rapidly transforming the staid columns of that conservative old journal into a series of sensational headlines and thrilling paragraphs that made timid readers tremble and wonder what the world in general and journalism in particular was coming to.

One evening in the beginning of August the Call contained a rather startling statement about the departed Avalanche. It affirmed that the premature demise of that paper was caused by many crooked deals among some of the business managers, transactions by which a few interested profited at the expense of the others, and which, if exposed, would result in severe punishment being inflicted upon the guilty persons; and, it added, it was known beyond a doubt that there were, at the time of the writing, people in the employ of the Echo who were seriously implicated in the disgraceful affair.

Our city editor smiled when he read it, and decided that, although the article savored of war in the near future, it was undoubtedly the better part of valor to let the tomahawk rest a little while. But Eva Jamison was eager to accept the challenge at once and in some way she succeeded in getting a vigorous reply in the Wednesday morning Echo.

That day about ten o'clock she received a note from the editor of the Call. It was brief, but emphatic. "Please call at our office before twelve o'clock, or you will surely regret it." She asked the advice of no one, but went as requested.

"You are prompt," the editor said with a smile. "You must have understood the full meaning of my message."

"No," she answered, "I did not understand that in the least, but I understand you well enough to know that there is some villainy afoot, and I wish to know what it is."

"You are frank, as usual," he told her blandly. "No, there is no villainy afoot, now, Miss Jamison, only an attempt to expose past fraud. The reason I sent for you is this. You were in the confidence of all the leading lights of the Avalanche and I want you to give me all the information you can about the matter hinted at in the Call last night. I know there are many things connected with that enterprise that will not bear investigation. I am going to write the affair up fully in this paper, and if you don't tell what you know, I shall take it for granted that you are in with the head schemers hand and glove and I shall denounce you as an accomplice."

"You are right," she said, "in stating that I had the confidence of my employers. They trusted me far more than they ever did you, even though you tried so hard to ingratiate yourself enough to learn the ins and outs of the business. I do not know that there were ever any unfair dealings. But if I had positive knowledge that there were, I would let you denounce me a thousand times over before I would give one particle of information to such a disreputable sheet as you have made this paper. In its columns your own character is mirrored. I suppose you are doing this in remembrance of that little unpleasantness last winter."

"Well, not altogether," he said, coolly. "I don't mind admitting that I do entertain a little more animosity toward you than any one else, for a man never forgets such a decided rejection as you gave me. But I hold a grudge against the whole concern. They never treated me right, considering the power I could have had in managing the paper. But I've got 'em now where I can lambaste 'em to my heart's content, and I am going to do it. I've given you a chance to escape, for I never like to be harsh with a woman, but as you refuse to do as I request, you'll have to take it along with the rest them."

She came back to the office and took up her work that afternoon as usual. The Call's editor was true to his threats, and that night a long list of unprincipled actions, either real or fancied were made public, and Eva Jamison was charged with being one of the most unscrupulous of the schemers.

Justin Marlow called Eva to his desk after having read the article, and pointing to her name in the headlines, asked: "What are you going to do about it, Miss Jamison?"

"Nothing," she answered. "What can I do?"

"You can deny it. You can prove that the accusations are not true. I insist upon you doing so."

"I am very sorry that you view the matter in that way," she said, "for I am determined to pay no more attention whatever to his attacks."

"That would be an acknowledgement of your guilt."

"If people choose to construe it so, very well."

"If that is your decision, Miss Jamison," he said, slowly, "I must ask you to sever your connection with the Echo, for reasons which must be obvious to you I cannot afford to have the paper injured."

"Of course not," she answered, choking back the tears. "When shall I get At once!"

"It would be better so," he replied curtly.

And so she went. For more than two months we lost sight of her, and during that time life became so nearly unbearable for all who were under the city editor's sway that never a day passed but each worker vowed he would go away, but for various reasons all remained true to the Echo.

The first week in November the city editor left the sanctum, saying he could not tell exactly when he would return. His assistant asserted with an air of confidence that Justin Marlow was breaking his heart about Eva Jamison and that he had gone to hunt her. Subsequent events proved that for once the assistant was pretty nearly right.

In a little compartment of the Globe office he found her.

"I want you back, Eva," he told her. "Not to the Echo, but to me."

"I have never proved myself innocent of those charges which the Call made against me," she said quietly.

"I don't want you to," he retorted. "I know that you are an angel. Why should you care what the Call says?"

"I never did. It was you who cared."

"Yes, I know I was an idiot," he admitted, magnanimously. "Can you forgive me?"

Evidently she could, for yesterday the destiny of our second girl reporter was linked with that of our second city editor, an event which we considered but a proper complement to a trial that was held in Justice Kell's court room last week, when the former proprietors of the Avalanche proved themselves and Eva Jamison innocent, and the editor of the Call, the instigator of the charges, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment for theft and slander.—Chicago News.

FUDGER AT VASSAR.

A Delightful Home-made Confection That is Herein Explained.

"Nearly every night at college, said the Vassar girl, "some girl may be found somewhere who is making 'fudges' or giving a fudge party. Fudges are Vassar chocolates, and they are simply the most delicious edibles ever manufactured by a set of sweetmeat-loving girls. Their origin is wrapped in mystery. We only know that their recipe is handed down from year to year by old students to new, and that they belong peculiarly to Vassar."

"To make them take two cups of sugar, one cup of milk, a piece of butter one half the size of an egg, and a teaspoonful of vanilla extract. The mixture is cooked until it begins to get grimy. Then it is taken from the fire, stirred briskly and turned into buttered tins. Before it hardens it is cut in squares. You may eat the fudge either cold or hot; it is good either way. It never tastes so delicious, however, as when made at college over a spluttering gas lamp in the seclusion of your own apartment. The various difficulties that this method entails makes the fudge taste sweeter."

The Inspiration of Treasure Island.

R. L. Stephenson told of the way he came to write "Treasure Island." One day he was having fun with pen and ink and a box of water colors. It occurred to him to make a map of an island; so an island he drew. "It was elaborately and beautifully colored; the shape of it took my fancy beyond expression; it contained harbors that pleased me like sonnets, and with the unconsciousness of the predestined I ticketed my performance 'Treasure Island.'" And this was the beginning of that famous first book, "the map itself with its infinite eloquent suggestion" having most to do with the growth of the story in after life. The original title was "The Sea Cook." Mr. Stevenson concluded the reminiscences of this first performance thus: "It is my contention—my superstition, if you like—that who is faithful to his map and consults it and draws from it his inspiration, daily and hourly, gains positive support, and not mere negative immunity from accident. The tail has a root there; it grows in that soil; it has a spine of its own behind the words." As the writer studies it "relations will appear that he had not thought upon; he will discover obvious, though unsuspected, short cuts and footprints for his messengers; and even when a map is not all the plot, as in 'Treasure Island,' it will be found to be a mine of suggestion."

Hubby's New Cigars.

She got out of her carriage and walked into the cigar store, at the same unfastening her sealskin coat.

"I want a box of cigars for my husband please. Let me see all kinds."

"Now here are some Key West goods we can sell for eight dollars, and here are domestics from that down to $2.50," said the obliging clerk.

She looked at them carefully.

"You may wrap up that box at $2.50," said she with great dignity. "I like the shade better. It will about match his smoking jacket."—Indianapolis Sentinel.

Resources of a Populist Newspaper.

The Mississippi Populist, a paper recently started here to reform the politics of the State, is no more. Editor McDowell has also disappeared, leaving this note to the employees:

"I leave two lamps, bucket and dipper, coal scuttle, shovel, broom, washpan, coal-oil can, and about 700 pounds of coal. Divide same between you."

"The world," whispered the comforter, "will throw the broad mantle of charity over you."

The weary sinner raised her streaming eyes in hope.

"Can you," she faltered, "make it a close fitting sacque with puffed sleeves?"—Town Topics.

BURNS, M. P., LUNNON.

My name is Burns,
John Burns, M. P., of Lunnon, England.
I'm the Grand Panjamdrum of the British toilers,
And a Socialist, too, for revenue only,
For I want my share of the stuff—every time.
I am Sir Oracle—second edition.
And when I ope my mouth—something drops.
Please to observe the conformation of my jaw.
Is there a strike? I crook my finger, That settles it.
Me and Steed are a great team.
We know it all and a great deal more.
But let me tell you, "If Christ came to Chicago"
He wouldn't be in it with me,
For Chicago is only a ha' penny hell,
That's a bloomin' good joke, he—he!
—Chicago Journal.

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
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I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon. JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleeping and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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" " "	27	40
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Ladies cashmere gloves	25	35
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LOST—January 1 on North or Watchung aves., mitten containing a $5 bill. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at 226 Park avenue.

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MARRIAGES.

WEBER—REDIN—In Scotch Plains Jan. 1, 1895, by the Rev. J. H. Parks, D. D., at the residence of the bride's parents, Miss Addey Anna Redin of Scotch Plains, to George Weber, Jr., of this city.

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NO HURRIED ARMISTICE

Unofficial Report Received by Minister Kurino.

The Liberals Demand the Investment of Pekin by the Japanese Troops—What Their Representative Thinks the Effect Has Been on the Prosperity of the Country.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Information, though not through official sources has reached Japanese Minister Kurino to the effect that the liberal party leaders in Japan had presented to the Japanese parliament an aggressive manifesto concerning the prosecution of the war against China, the main feature of which is a thorough disinclination to consent to any policy which will lead to an armistice in advance of the investment of Pekin by the Japanese forces.

This action, if confirmed, Minister Kurino thinks, though it may have a very important bearing on the situation in Japan owing to the fact that the liberal party is one of high standing and great influence, he does not regard as possessing any great significance as affecting the attitude of the government which following the fixed line upon which the war has been thus far prosecuted will be followed from the standpoint already adjudged best for the public welfare, regardless of partisan decree or manifestos.

So far as an armistice is concerned, that is a matter yet somewhat more in future than the proceedings already taken with that view indicate. It cannot be an immediate matter and certainly there can be no abatement of actual hostilities until the assembling of the ambassadors empowered to formulate the plans for peace. The signing by these plenipotentiaries of a request for an armistice and consequent cessation of hostilities thus forming the basis of a definite peace arrangement, it is thought by Japanese officials, here, will be the only method of leading to a truce. This will require time.

There may be long discussions in quieting dissenting views likely to be manifested by some of the officials participating in the peace convention and altogether it is too early to predict anything looking to an immediate armistice. The strong views of the liberal party in Japan may give impetus to the demands upon them, which the representatives of that government, including the American diplomat, Mr. Foster, acting in his personal capacity may regard beyond the pale of reasonable request. The diversity of views thus arising would naturally prolong a consummation of the main event and the matter lends additional strength to the opinion of Miniser Kurino that there can be no hurried armistice.

Minister Kurino who was a prominent participant in the American ceremonies of the new years season was conspicuous at the executive mansion, not only on account of his representative character but also because of his fine appearance in a uniform replete with royal scarlet, bronze and jeweled decorations. He was not averse to speaking of the material resources of Japan to friends who conversed with him during the day.

The war spirit, he says, has not deteriorated the material prosperity of the country the internal resources of which adequately withstands whatever the drain may be upon them for the uses of war. Where, at the opening of the war there was some decline in business a lively lessening of stocks, there was an early recovery which still maintains itself. All parties are united in support of the government and whatever its decision is to be either as to a continuance of hostilities or consenting to an armistice the active patriotism of all classes is so thoroughly widespread as to leave no doubt of the stand that will be taken receiving full endorsement. The work of the army and navy, thinks the Japanese minister, tells for itself. The completeness of these organizations and the magnificent material equipment of each have already proved their standard.

London, Jan. 2.—The Daily Graphic learns from Shanghai that Gen. Sung narrowly escaped being captured by the Japanese near New Chwang.

Will Make Her Final Vows.

Philadelphia, Jan. 2.—This day week, Mother Katharine Drexel will make her final vows as a religeouse in the community which she founded for the special work of evangelizing the Indians and negroes of the United States. Archbishop Ryan will officiate at the solemn service which will take place at the convent of the Blessed Sacrament near this city. Mother Katharine is a daughter of the late Francis A. Drexel, of the great banking house of Drexel & Co,

Diamond Smuggler Arrested.

Santa Rosa, Cal., Jan. 2.—A Mrs. Reinecks, wanted in New York for embezzling $10,000 worth of diamonds, which she had smuggled into the country for several New York firms, has been arrested here. The arrest was made by Mrs. M. E. Darragh, detective and searcher in the New York customs service, who followed Mrs. Reinecks across the continent.

Osborne's New Year's Gift.

New York, Jan. 2.—James W. Osborne, who has been first deputy assistant district attorney has been promoted by Col. Fellows to be assistant district attorney in place of Henry D. Macdona, resigned. The promotion advances his salary from $6,000 to $7,500.

Ice War on the Hudson.

Albany, Jan. 2.—The old trouble between rivals for possession of ice fields on the Hudson has been renewed this year. Hangers on about the docks cause much trouble to ice dealers by staking out claims and holding until dealers are obliged to buy them off.

20,000 Prisoners Benefitted.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 2.—More than 20,000 prisoners will be benifitted by the czar's decree of amnesty. Many of them have been already liberated.

Local Weather Forecast.

Fair; warmer; southwest winds.

SEVEN PERSONS INJURED.

Sewer Gas Explosion Causes a Panic in a Chicago Street.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—A building was wrecked and seven people were badly injured here by an explosion of sewer gas. The cover was blown off a manhole at Harrison street and Fifth avenue and the concussion which followed could be heard several blocks away. The Lincoln hotel, a five story tenement house was the nearest building to the explosion. Its front walls were badly cracked, windows and floors were twisted out of place and the structure looks as if it had passed through a severe earthquake.

Mr. Stafford and his wife who are proprietors of the building were sitting in a front room on the second floor and say they were thrown four feet away. A heavy safe on the second floor was thrown from an improvised foundation to the floor. The following persons were injured:

Timothy Garry, Jacob Cohen, John Clark, Terry Van Sky, Henry Worthington, George Hartley, and Patrick Ryan.

Garry was a bar tender in a saloon on the first floor of the house. He was blown ten feet and badly bruised. Cohen was walking on the street. His head was badly crushed and he was taken to the hospital together with Van Skye, who was also on the sidewalk and hit by a flying stone. The other men were in the building and are painfully though not seriously wounded. The pavement for twenty feet around the man-hole was torn up.

THE NEW GUN CARRIAGES.

Proposals Opened and Many Bids Received at the War Department.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Proposals have been opened at the war department for supplying gun carriages for the ten-inch coast defense rifles. Among the bidders were the Pond Machine company of New York; Philadelphia Engineering works; Bethlehem Steel company; Farrell Foundry & Machine company of Ansonia, Conn.; Robert Poole & Son, Baltimore; Wm. Cramp & Sons, Philadelphia; Southwark Foundry & Machinery company, Philadelphia; Welman Machine works, Lebanon, Pa.; Builders Iron foundry, Providence; Wm. Tod & Co., Youngstown, O., and the Morgan Engineering company, Alliance, O.

The bids range in round numbers from $14,000 to $19,00 for each carriage while the bidders were also required to specify a time within which the carriages could be delivered and this clause, which is variously met together with the different amounts named by the bidders, will necessitate careful calculation before a decision as to awards can be made by the department.

The lowest bidders are Pond Machine company of New York at $14,273 each, and the highest the Morgan Engineering company of Alliance, O., $19,278 each.

THE EMPEROR TALKS AGAIN.

He Thinks Germany Will Triumph Over Its Internal Foe.

Berlin, Jan. 2.—The mild weather and bright sunshine attracted large crowds to witness the parade of the Berlin garrison. The troops of the garrison marched through Unten den Linden, halting in front of the arsenal, where the entire staff of officers, including Prince Arnulph of Bavaria, Prince George of Saxony and Prince Leopold of Prussia, were assembled to receive the watchword of the day.

The emperor addressed the officers saying: "We stand in the face of serious times, but as in 1870 when the princes of the German nation stood together in triumph over a foreign enemy, so to-day they stand together in the presence of their royal commander, giving shining proofs of the union of Germany's princes and her people. Germany will also triumph over a more serious internal foe, which is confronting the empire. The army is the fundamental basis of the empire, for the army is the nation armed."

BAD SLEIGHING ACCIDENT.

Three People Killed at a Railroad Crossing in Keene, N. H.

Keene, N. H., Jan. 2.—One of the most shocking railroad accidents that has happened in this vicinity in years occurred last evening. As the 6:03 train on the Fitchburg railroad was coming in, a sleigh containing Charles Brooks, aged 60; his daughter Ada, aged about 25, and Tennis Bergeron, a boy about 15, attempted to cross the tracks at the Water street crossing, when the engine struck the sleigh squarely, throwing it and its occupants nearly one hundred feet, killing all three instantly, although the horse escaped.

Mr. Brooks recently moved here from Sullivan and was building a new house on Wilbur street. His daughter was employed in Lancaster's shoe factory. It is said that this is the third of the Bergeron family killed on a railroad here. The bodies were all badly mangled and were taken to Woodbury & Howard's undertaking rooms.

State Senator Floyd a Candidate.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 2.—J. B. Floyd, ex-state senator, has announced himself a candidate for United States senator to succeed Senator Camden. Mr. Floyd is a republican and is in strong oppositon to Stephen B. Elkins. Floyd recently left the democratic party and has been elected once on the republican ticket to the lower house of the legislature.

Bebler Under Arrest.

Bloomsbury, N. J., Jan. 2.—Dr. E. L. Riegel who participated in the fight with William Bebler, of Belvidere, in which both drew their revolvers and had a French duel at short range without much injury to either, has caused the arrest of Bebler on a charge of murderous assault.

Bell Is Wanted in Maryland.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Irving Bell, who is under arrest in New York city awaiting requisition papers from this city, came here from Marlboro, Md., and is wanted on the charge of obtaining money on bogus checks.

The Funeral Ship Arrives.

Halifax, Jan. 2.—The steamer Blenheim, with the remains of the late Sir John Thompson, arrived here and the body was taken ashore amid imposing ceremonies.

Big Fire at Heflin, Ala.

Heflin, Ala., Jan. 2.—A whole block of business houses were burned here last night.

STILL ANOTHER STORY

Later Reports Increase the Armenian Horrors.

The Most Probable Estimate Is 15,000 Killed and Fifty-five Villages Plundered—The Boston Armenians Thank Mr. Gladstone for His Sympathy and Aid.

Boston, Jan. 2.—Letters have been received by well-known parties in this city from reliable sources in Turkey giving still further testimony regarding the outrages in eastern Turkey. The following letter comes from a city not a great distance from the scene of the outrages. The writer of the letter is a man in whom the highest confidence may be placed, who has spent more than a third of a century in that region and knows the country and people perfectly. This testimony is from a source which is entirely independent of any which has been given before. Later accounts increase, if possible, the horrors of what has taken place.

The letter just received is as follows: The Armenians, oppressed by the Kurds and Turks, said they could not pay taxes to both Kurds and government. Plundered and oppressed by the Kurds they resisted them; there were some killed. Then false reports were sent to Constantinople that the Armenians were in arms in rebellion, orders were sent to the Musher at Erzington to examine them, root and branch. The order read before the army, collected in haste from all the chief cities of eastern Turkey was: "Whoever spares man, woman or child is disloyal." The region was surrounded by soldiers of the army, and 20,000 Kurds also are said to have been massed there. Then they advanced upon the centre, driving the people like a flock of sheep, and continued thus to advance for days. No quarter was given, no mercy shown. Men, women and children were shot down or butchered like sheep. Probably when they were set upon in this way some turned to save their lives and resisted in self defense while those who could fled in all directions, but the majority were slain.

The most probable estimate is 15,000 killed, 55 villages plundered and burned. Women were outraged and then butchered. A priest was taken to the roof of his church and hacked to pieces and set on fire. A large number of women and girls collected in a church were kept for days, violated by the brutal soldiers and then butchered. It is said the number was so large that the blood flowed out of the church door. The soldiers contended over a beautiful girl; they wanted to preserve her, but she too was killed. Every effort is being made and will be made to falsify the facts and pull the wool over the eyes of European governments. But the bloody tale will finally be known. As a confirmation of the report the other day several hundred soldiers were returning fom the seat of war and at a village near us one was heard to say that he alone with his own hand had killed thirty pregnant women. Some, who seem to have some shame for their atrocious deeds, said: "What could we do, we were under orders?"

In consequence of a meeting of the Armenians of Boston, held in Friendship hall last Sunday evening, the following cablegram has been sent to Hon. William E. Gladstone, London, Eng.:

"Armenians of Boston thank you for your sympathy and aid."

Armenians of this city feel that the diplomats of Europe will never take interest in the affairs of their countrymen, unless it is shown that every act in their favor is keenly appreciated, and they take this means of expressing their sincere gratitude for the stand taken by Mr. Gladstone in his speech last week.

Odessa, Jan. 1.—Journals in the Caucasus say that domiciliary visits and searches are still made daily in Armenia, and numerous arrests are made. The local prisons are crowded. The Bitlis prison is filled with Armenians, among them a priest more than 70 years old, who was arrested for refusing to betray his son's hiding place. The Armenians Catholics have appealed to the pope.

Vienna, Jan. 2.—Dispatches from Constantinople tell of numerous arrests throughout Armenia. The whole province is disturbed. Many troops have left Constantinople for various parts of Asia Minor in the last few days. The pretext was that their time had expired, and they were returning home, but there is good reason to believe that they were destined for the military centres, notably Erzinghian. The recall of Abdullah Pasha, the most fearless member of the commission of inquiry, has been cancelled, owing to the porte's anxiety to dispel the unfavorable reports to which it gave rise.

May Be Impeachment Proceedings.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 2.—The board of police commissioners have voted to accept the report of the investigating committee which has been looking into the acts of Messrs. Gilhuly and Clancy, two of the members of the board. The report will be referred to the council, where, in all probability, impeachment proceedings will be instituted.

Fell on the Cook Stove.

Asbury Park, N. J., Jan. 2.—Mrs. Mary Miller was so severely burned last night that she will probably die. She was cooking supper at her home in West Grove when taken with a fit. She fell forward on the stove and her clothing caught fire. She was badly burned about the face, head, neck breast and arms.

N. Y. A. C. Challenge Accepted.

London, Jan. 2.—The Chronicle says that the London Athletic club has accepted the challenge of the New York Athletic club, issued on Nov. 28 last. There will be nine events, and the matches will, if possible, take place in New York in May.

A Victim of Progress.

St. Louis, Jan. 2.—Charles Yeager, printer, was found dead in a viaduct in Forest park. A letter on his body explained that he had killed himself because typesetting machines had driven him to want.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05 9 26, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 3 59, 6 38, 8 08, 8 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

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For Lambertville, Philipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 6 36 p. m., and 5 40 p. m. Sunday.

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For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via Monmouth Junction, week-days.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 3 05 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations on High Bridge Branch, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c, Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 P. M., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

7 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

7 19 P. M. for Flemington.

8 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

9 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 58 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 9 09 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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In a store window was a hollow glass globe filled with pins. The placard beneath read: "Where do all of the pins go? Here's a pound of them. How many in the globe?"

Then followed an announcement that the lucky guesser would receive a necktie. The guesses ranged all the way from 500 to 100,000.

One day a well dressed young Yankee walked into the store and said: "Are all of the pins in the globe of the same size?" He was told that they were. At once he said: "There are 7,800 pins in the globe," and he walked out with a bright red four-in-hand gleaming on his shirt front.

He was a pinmaker, and had worked in a factory where fifty machines made 8,000 pins every minute or nearly 5,000,000 a day. By working 300 days in a year that factory could turn out 1,500,000,000 pins, or about 21 for every man, woman and child in the United States.

People wonder how it is that pins can be sold so cheap. The reason is found in the fact that machines do the work and turn them out too rapidly for them to be counted.

Pins are made of an alloy of copper and zinc—two parts of the first to one part of the second. The metal is first cast in ingots in an iron mould about 6 feet long, 3 inches wide and half as thick. These bars are rolled into sheets about one-eighth of an inch thick. The pressure of the rolls makes the metal inflexible and somewhat brittle, and the bars are annealed or softened by heat and slow cooling several times while being reduced from ingots to sheets. When the sheets have reached the required thinness they are passed through slitting rolls, which slice up the sheets into rods one-eighth of an inch square and these rods are drawn into wire.

The metal, though somewhat stiff, is too soft to spring out straight, and as the drawing reels are of a smaller diameter, the wire is kinky and "set" and must be straightened before it is ready for the pin-making machine. The kinks are taken out of the wire by putting it through a series of small straightening rolls, with horizontal and vertical rolls alternating in the series. The wire is then wound on a large reel which is hung over the wonderful pin-making machine.

In this machine the pin is cut from the wire, headed, pointed, sharpened and polished. It is a complicated, interesting combination of steel fingers, rollers, cams, toggle joints, headers, revolving files and belts. The wire, caught by a pair of rollers, is drawn forward into the machine, and quick as a flash the wire is cut just the right length; then come two raps from a cam and toggle and the head is on the pin.

A steel finger puts the headed blank on a wheel under the heading dies and the pointless pin is carried down between two revolving steel disks. One of them revolves faster than the other, so that the pin is turned around as it travels forward. Just at this point it comes in contact with four revolving files, which point the pin, and then an emery belt puts the first polish on the household necessity. The pins drop from the machine at the rate of 160 a minute and faster and fall into a hopper, from which they are taken to the tinning room.

In passing through the pin-making machine the pins become covered with oil and dirt, and this is removed by putting them into a revolving iron barrel with sawdust, where they are tumbled about for ten minutes and thoroughly scoured. They are then ready to be tinned. For four hours they are boiled in a preparation of pure tin, and are then washed with strong soapsuds to give them a smooth surface. After another tumbling in the sawdust they are ready to be stuck into the papers.

The sticking machine is another ingenious piece of mechanism, for it crimps the paper and sticks in the pins at the same time. The pins are put in a hopper which feeds the sticking machine. An inclined steel plate, furrowed with little "runs" or channels, leads from the hopper to the machine. The pins are caught by revolving steel fingers and pushed forward upon the inclined plate into the "runs." The runs converge to a plate which moves slightly back and forth across the rows of slots. This "cutting-off" plate catches the pins, and when the holes are full a number of small rams or hammers shove the pins into the crimp of the paper, which is formed a second before the pins are stuck in.

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In answer to this advertisement, which appeared in a local newspaper a few days ago, a bright Roxborough girl wrote as follows:

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"Can correspond or speak in French, German, Spanish, Italian and Greek, with a smattering of Latin and Hebrew, and have had a supplementary course in a business college. If there are leisure moments, would be willing to teach your offspring cheerfully. I own a good machine which will suit you. I guarantee to keep it in repair at my own expense. Being of an artistic nature could be used in home social circles as pianist. Can amuse babies or help in the kitchen if needed. Will come on trial one month. If not suitable, no charge."—Philadelphia Record.

Baths at Night.

The women who say and think that a daily bath is debilitating should remember that all unusual exercises are weakening, and that it is only by gradually accustoming one's self to them that strength is gained and maintained. Any one who fears the effect of a daily tub bath should begin by taking a daily sponge each morning. Then she should take first two, then three, and so on in increasing numbers, tub baths at night. She will have the night's rest to recover from the effect, and she will soon not only be able to take a tub bath at any time, but she will feel actually uncomfortable without it.

CHILDREN OF THE ESKIMOS.

Queer Lives that Infants Lead Under the Arctic Circle.

They are born in the snow. They are cradled in ice. The shrieking of the north wind is the only lullaby they hear. They live—most of them—in huts that are built of snow, and they go to sea—when the sea is not frozen—in boats of sealskin and bone. They are clad in sealskin and otter, and they wear indescribably warm inner garments of birds' skins—birds' skins dressed with the feathers on.

The Eskimo babies are carried in their mother's hoods in the greater part of the immeuse territory in which their tribes dwell. But in Labrador the babies are carried in the boots of their mothers. These boots have a long pointed flap in front, which is made for this purpose, and which is very much like a snug box, into which the baby can be tightly and cosily squeezed.

"Doesn't his mother's skirts smother him?" His mother wears skirts so very divided that we really need not call them skirts at all. And she wears them well tucked in her boots.

AN ESKIMO BABY.

The Eskimo children are born into the most peaceful, the most orderly, if not the most luxuriantly comfortable community on earth. The Eskimos have no magistrates. They have no laws. Yet they maintain among themselves an ideal good order. Perhaps they find the fierce and constant war that they needs must wage against the elements too exhausting to admit of their voluntarily waging war among themselves. At all events, a quarrel among Eskimos is almost unknown, and when it does occur it never goes further than a difference of opinion, which the disputants settle by separating.

If two members of an Eskimo family do not pull together comfortably, they separate, quietly and definitely. If two sections of an Eskimo tribe fall out, one section moves a few miles away. That is the way in which every Eskimo quarrel terminates. Even the children play together peacefully, and never quarrel among themselves; doubtless because they never see aught that approaches quarrelsomeness among their elders. As soon as an Eskimo baby is born it is sewn into innumerable layers of warm clothing.

Johnson—Tipton.

The Tribune is indebted to a correspondent in Chamberlain, S. D., for the full particulars of the marriage of Mr. Hans Johnson and Miss Ollie Tipton at that place a few days ago. Says the correspondent:

"Those present; seemed to richly enjoy the occasion and, the following, is Elder Babcock's address to the newly wedded pair; right there; as soon as the usual greetings; such as hand shakings, bride kissing, etc., had ceased.

"The Elders address, ran thus:

"God bless you; this Bridegroom; and, also the Bride;
Who now, at this altar, stands close by your side:
These ties are the strongest; and, bind the most sweet
Two persons in one; God's plan; here; how neat.
* * * * *
"Some wives, say they love; but, claim they conceal it;
That; is giving the Devil; a fine chance to steal it;
Friend Ollie; already; you've given Mr. Johnson to see;
That, among all you cherish; the dearest, is he.
"Oh; keep that thought toward him; as long as you live;
And; to you: Mr. Johnson; the advice I would give;—
Is; that; since you are lucky; in finding a mate;
A sweet little woman; may your comfort be great.
"As you are now wed; 'tis your love; makes you smile;
And, may this affection; increase; all the while;
When a month shall be past; I hope you can say,
That; your love is then stronger; than, on wedding day."

We regret that a lack of space forbids the insertion of the Elder's poetical address in full, as the other stanzas are equally good; and we join in hope so eloquently expressed that the lapse of a month, even in South Dakota, may not weaken the ties that bind Mr. and Mrs. Hans Johnson together.—Chicago Tribune.

Bad Sign.

"How's your boy Jeems gettin' along down to Boston?" inquired a Centreville resident of Mrs. Peter Rickets, familiarly known as the Widow Peter.

"Well, Jeems says he's gettin' on fust-rate," answered Mrs. Peter, "an' he's allus been a truthful boy. But there's one thing worrits me, an' I declare I might jest as well out with it, seein' you're sech an old friend.

"He come on from Boston with a colored shirt on, an' a white collar. He brought a white shirt in his bag, so's to appear matched up while he was here; but it come over me jest like a flesh when I stood off to take a good look at him, that my boy Jeems, that had a father that wouldn't owe a cent any more'n he'd steal one—my boy Jeems has fell behind with his washerwoman!"—Philadelphia Record.

Conclusive.

Two men met in the country road, perhaps on the way to and from market.

"How are you, old Ben Russell?" called one.

"Come, now," said the other. "I'll bet you I ain't any older'n you. Tell me what's the earliest recollection you can put your finger on."

"Well," said the other, thinking a moment intently, "the very fust thing I can remember is hearing people say, when you went by, 'There goes old Ben Russell!'"—Philadelphia Record.

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"Ain't that about yore riccollection o' how he expressed it?" said McMonigle, pausing now in his recital.

"Yas," said old man Taylor, "he said it three times, I riccollect that ez long ez I live—an' the third time he said 'the yaller hair' he let his arms fall down at his side, an' he sort o' staggered back'ards, an' turned round to Johnnie Burk an' sez he: 'Help me out, please, sir, I feels dizzy.' Do you riccollect how he said that, Dan'l?

"But you're tellin' the story. Don't lemme interrupt you."

"No interruption, Pete. You go on an' tell it the way you riccollect it. I see my pipe has done gone out while I've been talkin'. Tell the truth, I'm most sorry that you all started me on this story to-night. It gives me a spell o' the blues—talkin' it over.

"Pass me them tongs back here, doctor, an' lemme git another coal for my pipe. An' while I've got 'em I'll shake up this fire a little. This stove's ez dull-eyed and pouty ez any other woman ef she's neglected.

"Hungry, too, ain't you, old lady? Don't like wet wood, neither. Sets her teeth on edge. Jest listen at his quar'l while I lay it in her mouth.

"Go on, now, Pete, an' tell the parson the rest o' the story. 'Tain't no more'n right thet a shepherd should know all the ins and outs o' his flock ef he's goin' to take care o' their needs."

"You better finish it, Dan'l," said Taylor. "You've brought it all back a heap better'n I could a-done it."

"Tell the truth, boys, I've got it down to where I hate to go on," replied McMonigle, with feeling. "I've talked about the child now till I can seem to see her little, slim figure comin' down the plank walk the way I've seen her a hundred times, when all the fellers settin' out in front o' the sto'es would slip in an' git their coats on, an' come back—I've done it myself an' me a grandfather.

"Go on, Pete, an' finish it up. I've got the taste o' tobacco smoke now, an' my pipe is like the stove. Ef I neglect her she pouts.

"I left off where ol' Proph finished prophesyin' at the old year party at my house three year ago. I forgot to tell you, parson, thet Mrs. Meredith, she never come to the party—an' Meredith hisself he only come and stayed a few minutes, an' went home count o' the ol' lady bein' by herself—so they wasn't neither one there when the ol' nigger spoke. An' ef they'd ever been told what he said I don't know—though we have got a half dozen smarties in town, thet would 'a' busted long ago ef they hadn't 'a' told it I don't doubt.

"Go on, now, Pete, an' finish. After Proph had got done talkin' of co'se hand shakin' commenced, an' everybody was supposed to shake hands with everybody else. I reckon, parson, there knows about that—but you might tell it anyhow."

"Of co'se, parson he knows about the handshakin'," said Taylor, taking up the story, "because you was here last year, parson. You know that it's the custom in Simpkinsville, at the old year party, for everybody to shake hands at twelve o'clock at the comin in of the new year. It's been our custom time out o' mind. Folks thet'll have some fallin' out an' maybe not be speakin' 'll come forward an' shake hands an' make up—start the new year with a clean slate.

"Why, ef 'twasn't for that, I donno what we'd do. Some of our folks is so techy an' high strung—an' so many o' 'em kin, which makes it that much worse—thet ef 'twasn't for the New Year handshaking, why in a few years we'd be ez bad ez a deaf and dumb asylum.

"But to tell the story. I declare, Dan'l, I ain't no hand to tell a thing so ez to bring it befo' yo' eyes like you can. I'm feerd you'll have to carry it on."

And so old man McMonigle, after affectionately drawing a few puffs from his pipe, laid it on the fender before him, and took up the tale.

"Well," he began as usual, "I reckon thet rightly speakin' this is about the end of the first chapter.

"The handshakin' passed off friendly enough, everybody jinin' in, though there was women thet 'lowed thet they had the cold shivers when they shuck the city feller's hand, half expectin' to tackle a birdclaw. An' I know thet wife an' me—although understand, parson, we none o' us suspicioned no harm—we was glad when the party broke up, an' everybody was gone—the nigger's voice seemed to ring in our ears so.

"Well, sir, the second chapter o' the story I reckon it could be told in half a dozen words, though I s'pose it holds misery enough to make a book.

"I never would read a book thet didn't end right; in fact, I don't think the law ought to allow sech to be printed. We get enough wrong endin's in life, an' the only good book makin' is, in my opinion, is to ketch up all sech stories an' work 'em over.

"Ef I could set down an' tell May Day Meredith's story to some book writer thet'd take it up where I leave off, an' bring her back to us, she could even be raised from the dead in a book of need be, my Lord, how I'd love to read it, an' try to b'lieve it was true! I'd like him to work the ol' nigger in at the end, too, ef he didn't think himself above it. A ol' harmless, half-crazy nigger, thet's been movin' round amongst us all for years, is ez much missed ez anybody else when he drops out, nobody knows how. I miss Proph' jest the same ez I miss thet ol' struck-by-lightnin' sycamo' tree thet Judge Towns has had cut out of the co't-house yard. My mother had my gran'pa's picture framed out o' sycamo' balls, gethered out o' that tree forty year ago.

"But you see I'm makin' every excuse to keep from goin' on with the story, an' ef it's got to be told, well—

"Whether somebody told the Merediths about the nigger's prophesy, an' they got excited over it, an' forbid the city feller the house, I don't know, but he never was seen goin' there after that night, though he stayed in town right along for two weeks, at the end of which time he disappeared from the face o' the earth, an' she along with him.

"An' that's all the story, parson. That's three year ago lackin' two weeks, an' nobody ain't seen or heard o' May Day Meredith from that day to this.

"Of co'se girls have run away with men, an' it turned out all right—but they wasn't married men. Nobody s'picioned he was married tell it was all over, an' Harry Conway he found it out in St. Louis, an' it's been found to be true. An' there's a man living in Texarkana thet testified thet he was called in to witness what he b'lieved to be a genuine weddin', where the preacher claimed to come from Little Rock, an' he married May Day to that man, a-standin' in the door in brown dress she run away in. She was married by the 'Piscopal prayer book, too, which is the only thing I felt real hard against May Day for consentin' to—she being well raised, a hard shell Baptist.

"But o' co'se the man thet could git a girl to run away with him could easy get her to change her religion."

"Hold up there, Dan'l!" interrupted old man Taylor. "Hold on there! Not always! It's a good many years sense my ol' woman run away to marry me, but she was a Methodist, an' Methodist she's turned me, though I've been dipped, thank God!"

"Well, of co'se, there's exception. An' I didn't compare you to the man I'm a-talkin' about, nohow. Besides Methodist an' 'Piscopal are two different things," returned McMonigle.

"But tellin' my story—or at least sense I've done told the story, I'll tell parson all I know about the old nigger, Proph, which is mighty little.

"It was jest three days after May Meredith run away thet I was ridin' through the woods twixt here an' Clay Bank, an' who did I run against but old Proph'—walkin' along in the brush talkin' to hisself ez usual.

"Well, sir, I stopped my horse, an' called him up an' talked to him, an' tried to draw him out—ast him how come he to prophesy the way he done, an' how he knowed what was comin', but, sir, I couldn't get no satisfaction out o' him—not a bit. He 'lowed thet he only spoke ez it was given him to speak, an' the only thing he seemed interested in was the stranger's name, an' he ast me to say it for him over an' over—he repeatin' it after me. An' then he ast me to write it for him, an' he put the paper I wrote it on in his hat. He didn't know B from a bull's foot, but I s'pose he thought maybe if he put it in his hat it might strike in."

"Like ez not he 'lowed he could git somebody to read it out to him," suggested the doctor.

"Like ez not., Well, sir, after I had give him the paper he commenced to talk about huntin'—had a bunch o' birds in his hands then, an' give 'em to me, blowin' all the time he hadn't had much luck lately, 'count o' his pistol bein' sort o' out o' order. 'Lowed thot he took sech a notion to hunt with his pistol thet twasn't no fun shootin' at long range, but somehow he couldn't depend on his pistol shootin' straight.

"Took it out o' his pocket while he was standin' there, an' commenced showin' it to me. An', sir, would you believe it? While we was standin' there talkin' he give a quick turn, fired all on a sudden up into a tree, an' befo' I could git my breath, down dropped a squir'l right at his feet. Never see sech shootin' in my life. An' he wasn't no mo' excited over it than nothin'. Jest picked up the squir'l ez unconcerned ez you please, an', sez he: 'Yas, she done it that time—*but she don't always do it.* Con't depend on her.'

"Then, somehow, he brought it round to ask me ef I wouldn't loand him my revolver. Jest to try it an' see if he wouldn't have better luck. 'Lowed that he'd fetch it back quick ez he got done with it.

"Well, sir, o' co'se I loaned it to the ol' nigger—an' took his—then an' there. I give it to him loaded, all six barrels, 'n', sir, would you believe it? No livin' soul has ever laid eyes on ol' Prophet from that day to this.

"I'm mighty feered he's wandered way off som'ers an' shot hisself accidentally—an' never was found. Them revolvers is mighty resky weepons ef a person ain't got experience with 'em.

"So that's all the story, parson. Three days after May Day went he disappeared. an' of co'se he's, livin' along at Merediths all these years, an' being so 'tached to May Day, and prophesying about her like he done, you can see how one name brings up another. So when I think about one I seem to see the other."

"Didn't Harry Conway say he see the ol' man in St. Louis onc't an' thet he let on he didn't know him—wouldn't answer when he called him Proph?" said old man Conway.

"One o' Harry's cock an' bull stories," answered McMonigle. "He might o' saw some ol' nigger o' Proph's build, but how would that old nigger git there?—anybody's common sense would tell him better'n that. No, he's dead—no doubt about that."

"I suppose no one has ever looked for the old man?" the parson asked.

"Oh, yas, he's been searched for. We've got up two parties an' rode out clair into the swamp lands twic't—but there wasn't no sign of him.

"But May Day—nobody has ever went after her, of co'se. She left purty well escorted an' ef her own folks never follered her, 'twasn't nobody else's business. Her mother ain't never mentioned her name sense she left—to nobody."

"Yas," interrupted the doctor, "an' some has accused her o' hardheartedness, but when I see a woman's head turn from black to white in three months' time, like hers done, I don't say her heart's hard, I say it's broke.

"They keep a-sendin' for me to see her, but I can't do her no good. She's failed tur'ble last six months.

"Ef somethin' could jest come upon her sudden to rouse her up—ef the house would burn down an' she have to go out 'mongst other folks—or ef they was some way to git folks there, whether she wanted them or not—

"Tell the truth, I been a-thinkin' about somethin'. It's been on my mind all day. I don't know ez it would do, but I been a-thinkin' ef I could get Meredith's consent for the Simpkinsville folks to come out in a body—

"Ef he'd allow it, an' the folks would be willin' to go out there to-night for the old year party—take their fiddle an' cakes an' things along, an' surprise her—she'd be obliged to be polite to 'em; she couldn't refuse to meet all her friends for the midnight handshakin', an' it might be the savin' o' her. Three years has passed. There's no reason why one trouble should bring another. We've all had our share o' trials this year, an' I reckon everyone o' us here has paid for a tombstone in three years, an' I believe ef we'd all meet together an' go in a body out there—

"Ef you say so, I'll ride out an' talk it over with Meredith. What's your opinion, parson?"

"My folks will join you heartily, I'm sure," replied the parson, warmly. "They did expect to have the crowd over at Bradfield's to-night, but I know they'll be ready to give in to the Merediths."

And this is how it came about that the Merediths' house, closed for three years, opened its doors again.

[TO BE CONCLUDED.]

"WELL, SIR, I LOANED IT TO THE OLD NIGGER."

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Yale Wins in Plainfield.

The hockey season commenced yesterday morning with a game between a team of Yale students and a team of Plainfield boys, on the New Brooklyn pond. After a very exciting game the Yale team won by a score of 6 to 1.

The teams consisted of the following: Plainfield—Albert Woltmann, August Huntington, Tom Smith, Brereton Platt, Edgar Terrell. Yale—Henry Rider, George Ricer, Dean Rider, Charles Hyde, Clarence Peck, Clement Morgan.

Spoiled the Skating.

Yesterday afternoon as a happy crowd of skaters had gathered to the number of one hundred and fifty to enjoy the ice between Westervelt avenue and Elm street, Warren Engine Co., appeared on the scene with their apparatus and despite the protests of the skaters to which was added the request of the owner of the adjacent property cut a hole in the ice and spoiled the afternoon's sport. The water from the hole flooded over the surrounding ice and the angry and disappointed skaters either went further up stream or took off their skates and started for home.

—There is increasing interest in the coming of America's greatest colored tragedian, R. Henri Strange, who gives dramatic, elocution, humorous and song recitals at Bethel Chapel tomorrow evening.

Odd Fellows to Move.

Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., had the lease signed Monday afternoon which secures for them new and elegant quarters in the Babcock Building. The lodge rooms are on the front of the fifth story just by the elevator, and when completed and furnished in accordance with the desires of the new tenants will be among the finest in the State. It will hardly be necessary to wear overcoats or rubber boots while attending the lodge as it sometimes is in their present quarters. Doubtless most, if not all the societies who sublet of No. 44 will follow them to their new quarters.

—A stag sleighing party will leave the County Club-house tomorrow night for Hotel Beechwood, Summit.

—Chas. Smith, the Plainfield Negro who beat Mr. Collins and Mrs. Tobin, was sentenced by Judge McCormick Monday to one year in prison. James Corrigan of Plainfield for wife beating got five months in jail.

—Minnie Lester, who is to be in Music Hall next week, brings a company of 25 people. She will repeat her success in "Annette, the Dancing Girl". L. A. Havens, advance man, is in town paving the way to big houses.

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Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good". Price 50c. Sold by all druggists.

The young woman with a strange infatuation for the clerk in the gun store, called to see him in a wild mood. He had grown cold, as men are apt to do when there is some one else to keep the fires up, and she had come in to have a talk with him.

"Give me a revolver," she asked after she had not received full satisfaction.

"What do you want with it?" he inquired coyly, for he knew that danger lurked in that sort of a thing, and that it sometimes had a way of coming out of the muzzle of it in a demonstrative and dangerous fashion.

"I'm going to kill myself with it," she sobbed.

"Oh," and he appeared to feel relieved. "What size caliber do you think you will need?"

"A forty-four caliber," she replied as one knowing something about those things, as indeed she did, having heard him talk shop so often.

"My dear young woman," he protested, "don't do that. As sure as you do, some of those heartless reporters, who write up those things, will say you took that size to match your age. Here, here's a twenty-two; try that."

It was a cold-blooded way he had of talking, but he was no fool, and the young woman got so mad that she not only left the place, but shook the young man forever.—Detroit Free Press.

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Hanged by Vigilants.

Oneill, Neb., Jan. 2.—Barrett Scott, defaulting treasurer of Holt county, to the extent of several thousand dollars is supposed to have been hanged by vigilants, who then weighted the body and threw it into the quicksand in the Niborara river.

Celebrated Their Golden Wedding.

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 2.—George Y. Nickerson and wife celebrated their golden wedding last night. Mr. Nickerson is well known and was accorded a large reception. Many handsome presents were received.

Old Warship Retired.

Newport, R. I., Jan. 2.—The old ship Portsmouth has ended her cruising days, and this week will be dismantled of her guns and put out of commission. It is probable that she will be assigned to Connecticut for the use of the naval reserve.

Archbishop of Adelaide.

Adelaide, Jan. 2.—The pope has appointed the Right Rev. Father O'Reilly, bishop of Port Augusta, to be archbishop of Adelaide.

Unfortunately Placed.

Bishop Wilberforce was much beloved in Yorkshire, and in Hull the house where his boyhood was spent has always been regarded with reverence. With the Wilberforce monument, however, which stands in St. John's church, an absurd incident is connected, one which vastly amused the good bishop. By some unlucky chance the statue of William Wilberforce, the great man on the top of the column, was so placed as to face some noted wine and spirit vaults, while its back was turned toward St. John's. Some sailors saw the joke first and managed to scribble on the pedestal:

"So, Billy Wilberforce, thou'st left us in the lurch:
Turn'd thy face to the ginshop, and thy back to the church."

—Youth's Companion.

Mashler Won Easily.

Newburgh, N. Y., Jan. 2.—At the skating races yesterday on Orange lake, Howard Mashler won easily from James Donoghue, best two heats out of three, 440 yards.

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TRADESMEN MEET.

They Seek to Establish a Uniform Scale for Retailing Flour.

A largely attended meeting of the leading tradesmen handling the Pillsbury flour in Plainfield, Westfield, Fanwood, Dunellen and other nearby towns was held in Trade Temple last evening.

The meeting convened for the purpose of discussing a uniform price for the Pillsbury products, which at present are sold in many instances below cost.

The New York representatives of the Pillsbury interests addressed the gathering, and urged the advisability of a uniform price which would secure a reasonable margin to the dealers and stated that by the middle of the present month a universal schedule would be adopted by all dealers or agents who handle the flour throughout the United States and Europe. No demands have been made by the Pillsbury Company, but it is understood that dealers who refuse to accept the schedule will be unable to obtain the product. The local handlers will doubtless fall into line at once.

AMUSEMENTS.

Minnie Lester All Next Week.

Commencing next Monday evening, Jan. 7, Miss Minnie Lester, together with her own company, band and orchestra, will be at Music Hall in a repertoire of new plays and former successes. Monday evening the play will be "Annette the Dancing Girl". This is the play in which Miss Lester made such a "hit" last season. The same famous orchestra remains with the organization, but new faces will be seen in the cast, as Miss Lester has surrounded herself with an entirely new stage company, which, it is claimed, is superior in every respect to that of last season. Women's tickets for Monday night will be distributed shortly and are worth 30 cents each if properly used. Look out for them. Despite the size of the show the prices will remain at 10, 20 and 30 cents. Box office open daily.

Muhlenberg Hospital.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary Board of Muhlenberg Hospital, held Dec. 28, the following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, To extend a vote of thanks to all who participated in the Christmas festivities at the Hospital and by their kind and valuable assistance contributed to make the entertainment for the enjoyment of our patients a marked success.

Resolved, To express special gratitude to the following friends of the institution:

To Mrs. Freeman and her choir of young ladies who in their usual highly satisfactory manner provided the musical part of the programme; also to Miss Nellie Whiton, who rendered a variety of beautiful violin solos, and to Elmer Runyon, who with his ever pleasing tenor voice delighted the audience with a number of choice songs. To William Madden for his untiring and faithful services, having again as in many previous years proved such a valuable help to the ladies committee in dressing the Christmas tree. To our storekeepers and other benevolent friends who so liberally sent in contributions, especially the kind donors of a barrel of flour, boxes of oranges, turkeys, and other provisions.

And last but not least to the editors of our daily papers for their encouraging words and accurate accounts of the entertainment. To all, once more, sincere and grateful thanks.

EMILIE SCHIPPER,
Corresponding Secretary.

A Copper and Lead Party.

Among the novel entertainments put forth by the versatile borough folks New Year's Eve to celebrate the old year out and the new year in, was one provided at the residence of Joseph R. Hall on Washington avenue by his son-in-law Henry M. Western. Each guest on entering the room was furnished with a neatly prepared oblong card, at the top of which was a copper cent, snugly concealed in a small envelope. Under this followed a series of questions, numbered up to twenty-six, which were to be answered on the reverse side of the card with a lead pencil.

The answers were to be suggested by the features and letters on both sides of the penny. For instance, What did our forefathers strive for? Liberty, etc. Prizes were offered to both ladies and gentlemen to those guessing the highest number correctly also a progressive prize to those who came next highest. Each party of the company was supposed to act independently of the others and no conferring or exchanging of answers was permitted, but this rule, however, did not appear to work well as far as two betrothed couple were concerned. The contest created a good deal of merriment, and the representative of The Press came in second best, much to the delight of the company, which inferred that The Press ought to be first in everything. About fourteen couple were present and all joined in singing Auld Lang Syne when the new year was announced.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

INDIANS.

Chiefs of Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Raised to Their Stumps.

A large and enthusiastic party of Indians assembled in the Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque wigwam last evening to witness the ceremonies attending the raising up of the chiefs to their respective stumps for the current term of office.

District Deputy Westlake of Elizabeth and his staff performed the work in a most satisfactory manner. Following the exercises an hour was pleasantly spent in listening to several very interesting "talks" from the visiting deputation and the newly raised chieftains. After the council fire was quenched Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Council, No. 1934, of Haymakers, went into session.

A commission, accompanied by a cordial letter to the new companions, was submitted from E. J. Lake, President of the State Haymakers Association. President Lake conferred great honor on the new loft by appointing P. C. H. John H. Carney the deputy-president of this district, and when his commission was read Plainfield's popular little Dutchman received an invitation in true Haymakers style. This evening in Sangerbund Hall an invitation entertainment, reception and dance will be given by that growing young tribe No. 193, which, though not yet a year old, is among the largest, most popular, and most influential in the State of New Jersey, embracing, as is well-known, many of Plainfield's leading citizens.

AGAINST CARELESS SHOOTING.

Grand Jurors Urged to Investigate the Reckless Handling of Firearms.

When the oaths had been administered to the grand jurors at the opening of the December term of court in Elizabeth yesterday, Judge VanSyckel briefly charged the grand jurors in reference to the recent shooting accidents in Plainfield and the county. In substance he said:

"The Court has been informed that since the last term three citizens of the county have died from wounds received through the careless use of firearms by boys. This is a startling fact and shows the absence of that care and restraint which should be exercised by parents and guardians over their children. You, gentlemen, will recognize the importance and necessity of taking some action whereby human life may be more secure. The use of firearms in a careless manner, causing injury to another, makes the person amenable to the criminal law, and if death results the offender is guilty of manslaughter.

"I am informed that these boys had no intent to do any harm. If there was this intention, the offense would be murder, but the absence of such intention reduces the grade of crime to manslaughter.

"This is a disagreeable duty which is devolved upon the Court and grand jury, but a due regard for the safety of persons and human life impels us to take such action as will be a warning to boys, and to their parents and guardians, and prevent the handling of weapons which are a constant menace to the lives of their companions and friends. The prosecutor will submit the evidence in these cases, and it will be your duty to take such action, after consideration, as the facts justify."

Judge VanSyckel mentioned no other matter as a special charge, and the grand jurors retired to their room. The Plainfielders on the jury are John T. Fritts, William Thompson, George W. Rockfellow and William H. Moore.

Borough Property Changes.

Following are North Plainfield real-estate transfers recently recorded in Somerville:

John C. Zimmerman and wife to Gertrude Vandenburgh, $2,200.

William B. Codington and wife to John B. Mills, $1,000.

Mary B. Woolston and husband to Frank E. Woodruff, $3,100.

William G. Morse to Tillie B. Schenck, $900.

Henry H. Brokaw and wife to Newton B. Smalley, $600.

Shot in the Hip.

Harry Dodwell, the seventeen-year-old son of Conductor Dodwell of the Central, while removing a revolver from his pocket New Year's morning caught the hammer, discharged the weapon, and received the bullet in his hip. Dr. Brakeley found the bullet imbedded in the fleshy part of the thigh. The plucky young man started for school after the operation.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say; "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

NEWS OF NEAR NEIGHBORS.

Scotch Plains and Fanwood.

Miss Jennie Coyt of Orange is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mead of Fanwood.

Fanwood Council, Royal Arcanum, has made arrangements for the public installation and reception to be held Jan. 8.

Good Will Lodge has elected the following: C. C.—Robt. Jahn; V. C.—Henry Cook; Prelate—Charles Francisco; M. at A.—Louis Duxler; K. of R. and S.—August Klunser; M. of F.—Theodore Burchmann; M. of E.—John Flannery; M. of W.—John Haskard; Trustee—J. E. Flannery; Representative to Grand Lodge—August Klunser; Alternate Representative—Edward L. Hand; I. G.—Henry Schreimer; O. G.—John Archbold.

F. K. Clark has been suffering from a severe cold and neuralgia.

The committee appointed by the Town Committee to get signers for the trolley to run on Park avenue, are meeting with good success on the Scotch Plains end of the avenue. Wait until they get to the Fanwood end; then there will be trouble.

The local hotel keepers are reaping a harvest from sleighing parties.

Election for fire department officers for the ensuing year will be held in the different headquarters Jan. 8.

John Archbold has severed his connection with the firm of Archbold & Reynolds. Mr. Reynolds will keep on with the business.

The blacksmiths of the village have been kept very busy since the snow. Some have been obliged to work nights.

N. H. Guttman has commenced an action on contract against W. A. Coddington before Judge Moore. The summons is returnable Jan. 9.

Larry Wallace entertained the residents of North avenue to a rather noisy if not musical serenade, New Year's night. Complaint was made, but the complainant was persuaded by the Judge to drop it on account of the festal day on which the offense was committed. Larry must admit that Judge Moore treated him with great leniency on this occasion, and it is hoped that the offense will not be repeated, else Wallace may be sent to join those who have gone before.

John Hunter, a driver for F. K. Clark, the liveryman, had an exciting runaway the other evening. While talking to a customer the horse took fright at the slamming of a door, upset the sleigh throwing Hunter out. He managed to get hold of the reins, but after being dragged quite a distance was obliged to let go. The horse started and run to Mountain avenue straight on into Springfield, where all trace of the rig was lost. Mr. Clark had parties out all night looking for it but could not trace it further than Springfield. Next day a description of the rig was telegraphed to the surrounding towns, and finally it was found.

Ernest Hunns, who mysteriously disappeared from home Christmas morning, has been heard from. His father received a letter Friday saying he was staying with his uncle in Parkersville, Warren County. He gave no reason for leaving home the way he did.

Manning Frazier of Stony Hill drives to his work at Seely's Mill every day. After hitching the horse to the wagon the other evening, he neglected to tie him while he shut the stable door. The horse went home alone; so did Manning.

Mrs. Lynus Walpole and children have been spending a week with Mrs. Walpole's sister in Elizabeth.

Misses Ada and Cora Miller of Front street have been spending a few days with friends in Newark.

Miss Susie Parse of Front street has been spending a week in Brooklyn.

Miss Nancy Wade spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wade.

Hollingsworth's mill is again shut down for an indefinite period.

Miss Lizzie Stamets of Westfield has been the guest of Miss Kittie Buckley for a few days.

Robert Murphy's new house at the corner of Park and Westfield avenues will soon be ready for occupancy.

Charles Stumpf has taken a position with George Reynolds the butcher.

School commenced the new year yesterday morning with a full attendance.

Miss Nellie Allen of VanCourt Inn, Roselle, spent New Years with Miss Susie L. Parse of Front street.

George Johnston is doing jury duty at Elizabeth.

John R. Marsh has invested in a new horse and light wagon.

The Baptist Church choir will meet for rehearsal in the church Saturday evening.

One of Robert Jahn's workman had a very narrow escape from being crushed this morning. While working at a pressing machine part of it broke and fell at his feet. Had it fallen on him it would have seriously maimed him as it weighed over 300 pounds.

The Town Committee will meet at their rooms Friday evening to transact such business as may come before them.

Miss Hattie Wilcox and Miss Hoyt of Brooklyn spent New Year's Day with Miss Wilcox's mother, Mrs. Mary Wilcox of Front street.

The Ladies Circle of the Baptist Church meet at the "Manse" this afternoon.

An election for Fire Department officers for the ensuing year will be held Tuesday evening, January 8.

Fanwood Council, R. A., have sent invitations out for their public installation and reception to be held Tuesday evening, January 8, at Excelsior Hall.

Miss Lulu Robison has returned to school at Trenton after spending two weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Robison.

A large sleigh-load of young people of the village journeyed to Milburn New Year's Eve where the old year was danced out and the new year in.

The Scotch Plains Choral Union meet tonight at the Chapel to reorganize for '95 and to take steps towards making the organization a permanent one.

Hollingsworth Mill is closed again owing to there being no market call for manufactured stuff.

Dr. Robert Lee has moved from the Taylor cottage on Front street to Mrs. West's cottage on Union avenue.

Mrs. Thomas Paff, Jr., has returned from a two weeks visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

W. R. Buckley has been obliged through bad business to close up. He has made a plucky struggle, but bad debts and hard times have forced him to succumb.

BY THE WAY.

—Wm. Helick of Chimney Rock cut 18 inches of ice New Year's Day.

—Every member of Senate Lodge, No. 3542, K. of H., is wanted at the meeting tonight.

—The tin sign at the corner of Front and Grove streets, indicating the location of the fire-alarm box keys, needs revision.

—Joseph Jacot on his swift bob ran into the rear of a bob ridden by a young man named Merritt and was badly cut on the right hand and bruised on the right hip.

—New-year resolves are easily broken, but one which will be to your material good and financial profit to keep is: Buy all your laces and embroideries this year at Peck's.

—Business without profit this month, says Mr. White, who does not believe in having dull times, and he has put prices on his stock that will interest everyone. He quotes special low prices on muslins and sheetings.

—The home department of the Rockview School, 317 East Front street, is a feature appreciated highly by parents who want their children carefully trained as though under the direct charge of their own father and mother.

—Being the season when tender-skinned people are annoyed by the chapping of their flesh, it is proper to remind them of the merits of Reynolds's preparation of lemon juice and glycerine, which is valued by all who have used it as a sovereign remedy for the attacks of Winter.

—Secretary Hobart Clark has issued notices that the annual meeting of Union County Branch State Charities Aid and Prison Reform Association of New Jersey, will be held in the Chapel of Trinity Church, North Broad street, Elizabeth, Monday, January 7, 1895, at 8 p. m.

—A man's shirt is a matter of much concern, and when he can get such a splendid garment for so little money as offered by Louis Callman he should hasten there and lay in a supply. The number is 222 West Front street, and the "Pride" shirt sold there saves money and adds pride to the wearer.

—A miniature oil-derrick, perfect in all its parts, ornaments the office of W. H. Rogers, the bicycle dealer. Power is supplied from a small electric motor, and during the evening it drills as regularly as its larger brothers in the oil regions of Pennsylvania. The interesting piece of mechanism was constructed by Alfred C. Rogers.

—The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational Church is planning for a grand concert to be given in the church on Thursday evening, January 17. Instrumental and vocal music of a high order, together with recitations by Plainfield's talented elocutionist, Miss Addie Parker Jackson, will provide an evening of rare pleasure.

—An event of artistic merit awaits visitors to Bethel Chapel tonight, when R. Henri Strange, the celebrated elocutionist and tragedian, gives a wonderful performance. He is styled the Booth of the Negro race. Rev. W. A. Alexander deserves great credit for giving Plainfield people this advantage of seeing the famous interpreter of human eloquence, and the chapel deserves to be crowded, as it doubtless will be.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

If you find that trade goes slowly
And is never at its best,
With an ad just press the button—
Watch The Press ad do the rest.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Harry Williams of Netherwood avenue is visiting friends in Trenton.

H. K. Southwick and family of 16 Sycamore avenue have moved to Providence.

Ernest Conover of Elmwood place, who has been quite ill with a cold, is improving.

Dr. T. S. Davis was able to be out yesterday for the first time after a short illness.

William J. R. Thiers returned yesterday his studies in the University of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smock of Red Bank are visiting their Plainfield relatives.

George Wilson of Hillier & Co., is kept at his home, 98 Somerset street, with a severe cold.

Miss Marie Waters of St. George, Md., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theodore French of East Front street.

F. W. Weeks of New York city is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shutt of Leland avenue, Netherwood.

Philip Kirch of Somerset street opened the new year among friends in Adamsville, Somerset County.

Edward Kober was given a birthday surprise last evening at his home on Wilson avenue, North Plainfield.

A bright little boy was added to the little family of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Hargrave of Vine street, Sunday.

Miss Katie E. Saverd and Miss Katie A. Dorgan celebrated New Year's with Miss Minnie Quirk of Flatbush.

John King, who has been spending the past week with relatives in Trenton, returned to his home in this city yesterday.

Miss Laura VanNess of North Plainfield, assisted by a few friends, arranged a very pleasant sleighing party last evening.

Julius Lusardi received a letter a few days ago from his brother, Aleck Lusardi and bride, telling of their safe arrival in Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Titus have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their six-year-old son Ellsworth, of diphtheritic croup.

B. Rockfellow and family of Somerville have leased the house on Somerset street for a term of years, formerly occupied by John H. Kitchen.

James A. Greene, formerly of Simpson, Crawford & Simpson's, has been engaged by Isaac Lederer, for his popular dry-goods house, West Front street.

The wedding of Henry Albert of Coontown to Miss Lizzie Rose of Mount Horeb will take place Jan. 16 at the residence of the bride's parents, Mount Horeb.

Charles J. McNabb of Rahway road has severed his connection with Reed & Coddington to take a year's course of studies in the New York University of Law.

Mrs. Frank Broehart of Jersey City who has been spending the past few days with her sister Mrs. Samuel Wakefield of Johnson avenue, returned to her home yesterday.

The possession of the George Watson property on Crescent avenue is transferred to Mr. and Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman January 10 and after improvements are completed they will move in about April 1.

Policeman Cooney has been a great sufferer from neuralgia of late. In three years of service he has not lost any time, and though he feels far from being well he does not want to lay off duty now, and therefore pluckily stays on his beat.

A happy New Year's Eve party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perrine, 220 West Second street, attended by fifty friends. Music for dancing was furnished by Mr. Perrine and John Willis, and refreshments were served in abundance.

The Amateur Opera Society of Plainfield was formally organized at the residence of Miss Jeannette Bryant, 80 Mercer avenue, North Plainfield, last evening. Henry M. Western was chosen musical director of the society, which will give operettas and cantatas.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Weber entertained the choir of the German Lutheran Church of Grove street at their home on East Third street New Year's night. The evening was passed very pleasantly with music, singing and dancing, after which a generous collation was served.

A pleasant time was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Gray, 217 Grant avenue, last evening. About 25 were present, and the time was passed in singing, dancing, games and various other amusements. Refreshments were served about 12, and then all departed for home very much pleased with the hospitality shown by the host and hostess.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The parochial school does not reopen till Monday.

—The Crescent Wheelmen will hold a special meeting January 4.

—In St. Joseph's R. C. Church the Christmas collection amounted to $230.

—Installation of Reform Club officers will be held this evening at 8 in Reform Hall.

—The Christmas entertainment of the First Church of Christ will be held tonight.

—William Richards of West Second street will conduct a meeting at Locust Grove Sunday evening.

—The case of Sebring against Moore, on contract, was adjourned by Justice Nash this morning to Feb. 7.

—The Christian Endeavor meeting at the First Baptist Church tomorrow evening will be of especial interest.

—Two members resigned from Gazelle Engine Company last evening to join the Exempt Firemen's Association.

—The officers elect of Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., were installed by District Deputy Fred Sears last evening.

—Every man is better off if he wears an Eighmie shirt, and Hallock of 109 West Front street is the man to fit you out.

—Street Commissioner Robert Meeker is having the super-abundance of snow removed from the principal streets about town.

—Superintendent H. C. Squires has started a beneficial savings society among the Hope Chapel people, styled the Penny Provident Fund.

—Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, will conduct the meeting at the East Third Street Mission this evening.

—The old-fashioned way is good enough, especially the old-fashioned way of curing colds. Licorice is the stuff, and 5 cents gets a big stick at Leggett's.

—The State Encampments G. A. R., Women's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans will be held at Trenton, Feb. 6 and 7. Plainfield will be well represented.

—Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., will meet this evening, and the officers-elect will be installed by Dr. Wagoner of Somerville, Grand King of the State.

—Through an error of course unintentional the patronesses of the New Year's Assembly were referred to as the "waitresses", which is one on the proofreader.

—The following cases are returnable in Justice Nash's court January 10: Tolles, assignee against McCarty. Mumford, Guinee, Sheehan, and Hand against Hoagland.

—The Christmas issue of The War Cry is having a large sale. It is a fine paper of 16 pages, fully illustrated, and giving a wealth of holiday and Christianizing literature and Army news.

—District Deputy Sister Fippe and Sister Moore of Elizabeth and Past District Deputy Sister Newcorn raised up the chief-elect in Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, last evening. A collation followed the ceremonies.

—The officers-elect of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., will be installed this evening by District Deputy Charles I. Young. The Good and Welfare Committee will probably provide something of interest to the members.

—"Moses and Aaron; or, A One-Man Sin" is a great story because Frank R. Stockton wrote it, and being a great story and a brand-new one it is to be published in The Daily Press. The first instalment appears tomorrow, and if you don't get that issue of The Press you'll miss the story, as it has been copyrighted to Daily Press use.

—The committee who so faithfully administered the Hope Chapel New Year reception chronicled in The Daily Press yesterday consisted of Messrs. Munger, McInnes and Hansen. Those who carved the 72 turkeys were Mrs. McInnes, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Gow. In charge of the tables were Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Rushton and Mrs. Montgomery. The coffee was prepared by Mrs. Munger.

—Frank Hedden, the round-faced and genial autocrat of the well-known East Fourth street stables, is shy just one duck and three guinea fowls, and offers a large reward for their return. About 9 last evening the birds were placed in a large bag and hung outside to keep cool. Perhaps the party who "borrowed" them will "keep cool" but the former owner promises to warm him up if he will call during office hours at the stable.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

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JOHN BURNS AT BOSTON

He Compares English with American Labor.

Says That Mechanics in England Secure More Days' Work in the Year Laborers No Better Off Here Than on the Other Side—Cost of Living Much Higher.

Boston, Jan. 3.—John Burns, the English labor advocate, when questioned as to how the condition of labor in this country compared with conditions of labor in Great Britain said:

"I hardly think that there is so great a difference as appears on the surface. Your mechanics may draw higher wages, but there is in this country a greater intensity of labor. Take the bricklayer for illustration. In New York and Chicago and other cities I went up on buildings in process of erection and watched the men work. They were wrought up to the highest tension. Every man was doing his utmost.

"I asked the foremen how much the men were paid and he replied, 'From forty to fifty cents an hour.' But see what the men have to do and how they work.

"Men do not work so in the old country. Even our mechanics in the building trades in England secure more days' work in the year, notwithstanding that we have a few more holidays than you have in this country. The season for your 'out-of-door' mechanics is from six to seven months.

"So you see when you take off the gilt of high wages from your gingerbread of lost time and greater intensity of labor, even your mechanic is not much better off than is his prototype of my country. As for your laborers, they are no better off than they are in Great Britain. The textile workers in America are no better off so far as I am able to judge.

"The cost of living is higher in this country, and for a good house the workman in this country pays a higher rate than he would be obliged to pay in England. In this country you are getting the maximum of production from your workmen through your intensity of labor and labor-saving machinery. There is an international universality of production and compensation for labor going on.

"It is leveling up or down process as you please.

"In this country after wages have been high, it is, perhaps, a leveling down process. In some other countries it may be a leveling up process.

"In any event, a thorough organization of labor is needed and a wise policy is demanded in order that the grinding down process may not take place.

"I am confident that the workingmen in the future will, aided by the public spirited and humane society and guided by intelligence on his own part, make the leveling process up in all countries.

"I am as much interested in the problem of municipal reform as in the general labor movement.

"Now, if municipal reform shall be carried out it will be impossible for some of the boodlers who have attached themselves to the American labor movement to pursue their present occupations. They see this, and hence their desire to misrepresent and weaken the general effort to reform anything.

"This is the basis of the misrepresentations concerning Mr. Holmes and myself."

Mr. Burns is positive that the municipalities are to be reformed; that political corruption is to be reduced to the minimum, and is confident that the honest and sincere and intelligent members of the trades unions are to assist in bringing about this much-desired result.

FATAL TENEMENT FIRE.

Mother and Two Children Burned to a Crisp.

New York, Jan. 3.—Three lives were sacrificed yesterday in a fire at No. 25 Pitt street. The victims were Lena Lehman, 24 years of age, and her two children, Sarah and Henry, aged respectively two years, and three months.

The fact that lives were lost in the fire was not discovered until some time after it was extinguished when firemen found the three bodies, burned to a crisp, lying beneath a heap of debris in the turn of a stairway on the third floor.

The woman lived on the fourth floor and was trying to escape to the street when she and her infants perished in the flames.

Foglia Indicted for Murder.

New York, Jan. 3.—Bernard Foglia has been indicted for murder in the first degree. On Nov. 22 the body of his young wife was found in front of a mirror in their apartments, with a wound in her right temple and a pistol lying by her side. Foglia had fled but was arrested at Natchez, Miss. He declares his wife committed suicide.

An Insane Son's Deed.

Port Washington, Wis., Jan. 3.—The insane son of Charles Buehrle, a farmer, set fire to his father's barn and in attempting to extinguish the fire Mr. Buehrle was burned to death and his wife was seriously injured. The house and barn were burned to the ground.

Valuable Deposits of Asphaltum.

Washington, Jan. 3.—J. B. Rawlins, United States coal mine inspector for Utah, accompanies his annual report submitted to the secretary of the interior with a map showing valuable deposits of asphaltum in that territory.

SUFFERING AT OKLAHOMA.

Women Without Wraps and Shoes and the Thermometer at Zero.

Boston, Jan. 3.—The circle of suffering in parts of the west is widening. It includes the Cherokee strip in Oklahoma, which was opened for settlement a year ago. The country is emphatically new. The missionaries of the Congressional Home Missionary society, in forwarding special correspondence relating to the situation, states there is special need of clothing. With the thermometer below zero, there were thirteen men at a religious service who wore no overcoats and were known not to own any. Some of the women were without wraps of any kind. A mother and daughter alternately wear the same pair of shoes.

Women have been found barefoot at home, not possessing any kind of an old shoe. One home missionary writes as follows:

"I have no means whatever. We have no members who are able to do anything. Out of my limited amount of $125 per quarter I have divided with two or three of our families to keep them from absolute suffering. But I can't do anything more. Think the strip, which is only a year old, will be in a much better condition in another year, as they will raise considerable crops. They will be sod crops, of course, but will help. A meeting has been held to petition congress for help, but we can't wait for congressional action. It takes every cent our ladies' society can raise to get books, keep up the Sabbath school and purchase fuel for our church. The building is new and not yet furnished. The ladies recently purchased a stove. The blizzard struck us Christmas, since which time some families have suffered simply for want of clothing of any description."

The Home Missionary society has already forwarded clothing to these sufferers, and will gladly be the almoner of the public in so doing.

VON WALDERSEE HONORED.

Order of Black Eagle Personally Presented by the Emperor.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—The decoration of Count von Waldersee with the Order of the Black Eagle has been officially gazetted.

The North German Gazette says the decoration was personally handed to General von Waldersee by the emperor, who addressed him in the most cordial manner.

In his speech to the officers assembled in front of the arsenal the emperor impressed upon them the desirability of their observing the greatest economy in the matter of their expenditures. His majesty highly praised the Japanese, who, he said, had for many years been slowly preparing for action and were now showing great endurance and military enthusiasm.

General von Werder, who was absent from the gathering, has tendered his resignation to the emperor.

The General Anzriger says that Prince Hohenlohe accepted the chancellorship upon the condition that he was to retain it only until the passage of the anti-revolution and tax reform bills, when he should be relieved, his successor having already been agreed upon by the kaiser and Prince Hohenlohe. It is generally believed that the succeeding chancellor will be General von Waldersee.

CATTLE MEN ALARMED.

Closing of Antwerp to American Beef Causes a General Protest.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—The packers and shippers of the cattle and dressed beef for export in this city are much alarmed over the latest embargo action of the European authorities, the closing of Antwerp to American beef. They were indignant and determined to protest against the embargo as an outrage as well as a vital blow at the cattle raising industry of the country. They declared that the sugar schedule in the Gorman-Wilson bill was responsible for the closing of the continental ports and that the pleuro-pneumonia excuse was only a subterfuge.

All the livestock exchanges in the west will take concerted action for the purpose of prevailing on congress to bring about by legislation a removal of the embargo.

Nelson Morris, the only Chicago packer who ships to the continent, said there was no question but that the embargoes were intended for retaliation only and that the restrictions of the French government meant practical prohibition.

Trouble in Samoa.

Auckland, Jan. 3.—Dispatches from Apia, Samoa, say that serious disturbances have occurred in the district round the town. No attempt has been made to collect the year's taxes. One native has been shot and others have been imprisoned for killing three of their fellow tribesmen. When arrested they were making ready to eat their victims.

Anarchist Mowbray Indicted.

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—The grand jury found a true bill of indictment against Charles W. Mowbray, the English anarchist, charging him with making a seditious speech. Mowbray was arrested here last Friday night after addressing a meeting of anarchists.

To Investigate Fish Irregularities.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Secretary Carlisle has designated George F. Cross special agent at New York, and T. C. Martin, special agent at Baltimore to investigate the alleged irregularities in admitting fish at Gloucester Mass.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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WILL LIKELY DISAGREE

The China-Japan Peace Negotiations Threatened.

Believed That the Japs Will Decline To Make Further Postponement of Arrangements to Await for Mr. Foster—The Difficulty May Be Settled Before His Arrival.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Danger threatens the peace negotiations between China and Japan and from present indications it is exceedingly probable that hostilities may be renewed with even greater vigor, and the cry "On to Pekin" once more become the slogan of the Japanese forces. Despite a prevailing belief to the contrary it is not unlikely that the Japanese government will decline to make further postponement of the actual commencement of the negotiations in order to await the arrival of Mr. John W. Foster, the Chinese advisory counsel, and it is even probable that arrangements for the settlement of the dispute will have been completed before Mr. Foster reaches Hiroshima, where the representatives of both the warring powers will meet. Mr. Foster will sail from Vancouver on January 6, providing he is not snowbound, and is due in Yokohama January 19 or 20. Two days will give him ample time to reach Hiroshima so that the Chinese cannot ask for a postponement after the 22d inst. The two Chinese ambassadors of peace are due in Shanghai on January 6 and expect to reach Hiroshima on the 9th, and the probabilities are that they will be asked to begin the negotiations without delay. The danger that threatens the settlement, which has seemed such a certainty, will arise at this point, for the Japanese government will refuse, without doubt, to agree to any temporizing on the plea that Mr. Foster has not arrived and that the Chinese ambassadors cannot proceed without his assistance. It may be stated with some degree of positiveness that a direct declination by the Chinese envoys to begin the negotiations until Mr. Foster reaches Hiroshima will result in positive disagreement and the breaking off of the overtures, which will place the possibilities for peace further away than ever and cause the Japanese forces to push their way with greater vigor toward the Chinese capital. In that event nothing short of the fall of Pekin is likely to put an end to hostilities.

It has been known for some time that the Japanese government is suspicious of the good faith of their enemies in the overtures for a suspension of the war. First came the Detring affair in which Mr. Detring was sent to Japan ostensibly for the purpose of making terms of peace, but really armed only with "a letter from the Chinese court" to use his own expression, directing him to make "inquiry" into the prospects for a settlement. When Mr. Detring's mission failed, the overtures on which the present negotiations are based were made by China to Japan through Mr. Denby, the American minister at Pekin, and Mr. Dun, the American minister at Tokio. Japan expressed a willingness to treat with China if the Pekin government would send an ambassador, duly accredited and armed with full power to negotiate a peace treaty. To this the Chinese government sent answer that it could hardly agree to such a proposition until it knew the basis on which the Japanese wished the arrangement for peace to be made. Already inclined to look with suspicion on the Chinese professions of good faith, the Japanese government found in this answer ample confirmation of its growing belief that the Chinese were attempting to ascertain what their enemies would seek to exact from them as indemnity in order to be prepared with arguments to secure a modification, and it was for this reason that Viscount Mutsu, the Japanese minister for foreign affairs, declined to have further dealings with Pekin on the subject until the peace ambassador was appointed. After some delay China appointed not one, but two envoys, and it was thought that the negotiations would begin in a very short time. But a few days ago the appointment of Mr. Foster was announced as counsel to the Chinese ambassadors, and it is believed that the Chinese envoys will ask Viscount Mutsu to suspend the commencement of actual negotiations until Mr. Foster has arrived at the place of meeting.

The Japanese peace commissioners are not likely to give any formal recognition to Mr. Foster. He will certainly not be allowed to attend the sittings of the commission, provided he arrives at Hiroshima before its business is concluded, and if frequent requests for adjournment are made by the two Chinese envoys in order that they may consult with him, the Japanese commissioners will probably refuse to proceed further unless these requests cease.

Mr. Kurino, the minister of Japan to the United States, said to-day that the statement that Mr. John W. Foster received official notice from the Japanese government that he would be cordially welcomed to Japan as one of the Chinese representatives in the peace negotiations was erroneous. No such notice has been given and Mr. Foster has not been officially recognized by Japan. Although Mr. Foster is a friend of Viscount Mutsu, the minister for foreign affairs, the latter will not allow personal considerations to cause him to extend any unusual favor to the representative of Japan's enemies.

Seely Begins His Term.

New York, Jan. 3.—Samuel C. Seely, the defaulting bookkeeper of the National Shoe and Leather bank has been transferred from Ludlow street jail to the King's county penitentiary.

Miss Stevenson Much Improved.

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 3.—Miss Stevenson is so much improved that her father, Vice-President Stevenson, has returned to Washington.

Six Miners Seriously Injured.

Rich Hill, Mo., Jan. 3.—Six miners were seriously injured by an explosion of a keg of powder in Martin & Sees coal mine near here.

PAIN BANISHED SLEEP.

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METROPOLITAN NOTES.

Interesting Facts and Opinions Chronicled by the Daily Press of New York.

The subject of rapid transit is again being considered by a commission consisting of Alexander E. Orr, the President; Seth Low, John Claflin, William Steinway, and John H. Inman.

The latest scheme for underground traffic is presented by Chief Engineer W. B. Parsons, who estimates the cost of building at sixty-six millions of dollars. It is proposed to traverse the entire length of New York by an underground road as soon as a feasible scheme shall be presented. Above Fourteenth street the underlying rock comes close to the surface, and tunnelling can be carried on through this with comparative cheapness

and expedition, either by opening the surface of the streets or by working entirely under ground. Below Fourteenth street the rock lies deeper, and over it are beds of unstaple sands. The great buildings which line Broadway would render tunnelling through these sands at any great depth a very unsafe operation. Along a great part of this route, too, sidewalk vaults extend to the curb line, and these would have to be cut into and a part of them occupied in order to get room for a four-track road such as has been advocated and provisionally adopted. The practical impossibility of making such a subway without tearing up the whole street and stopping traffic on the cable road has been admitted.

The Wall street swindlers operate under names that are calculated to deceive persons with whom they deal. Nearly every well known name in the financial world has been slightly distorted and adopted by the bucket shop manipulators, who operate what they call "investment combinations and discretionary pools." Such names, for instance, as Drexel, Baring, Morgen, and Vanderbilt. They operate almost entirely through the mails, and it may be possible that the authorities who are making such strenuous efforts to discourage them may succeed in reaching them through the United States laws. An illustration of the methods adopted by these concerns is furnished by a recent scheme of one of them to entrap the clerks of a big insurance company in this city. By some means or other the swindlers got hold of the names and addresses of the clerks, upward of 1,000 in number, and for several weeks each clerk has been receiving at his private address an artfully worded circular asking him to contribute anywhere from $25 to $1,000 to a pool which it was asserted was sure to make money. The letter says: "We assure you that you will make a fortune within six months if you will turn your savings over to us. There is absolutely no risk in the matter. By massing together the money of many small investors into one large sum we are able to operate exactly as do Addison Cammack and George Gould.—N. Y. Sun.

New York never does things half way and she has a perfect right to be proud of herself in that regard. Whether it's submitting to Tammany or whipping Tammany, or doing or undoing other things too numerous to mention, she does them in a whole-hearted, open-handed sort of way that is very exasperating to would-be rivals. And now she has set another example of broad gauge policy in giving the stranger within her gates a chance to view 23 miles of her attractions and points of interests for five cents. That is a rate that for mileage alone cannot be approached in the whole world. It would be a remarkable thing to ride along that many miles of prairie for that price, but when one can ride that distance through the metropolis of America for a nickel, it is something to be classified in the world's wonders. The trip begins at 155th Street and Eighth Avenue and makes a circuit of Manhattan Island by way of the Battery.—Advertiser.

James Gordon Bennett will soon be back in New York. Although the famous owner of the New York Herald has a perfectly appointed private editorial room in his new building, he has appeared in it, I think, but once or twice, and that a year ago. Yet few editors know the inner workings of his newspaper more thoroughly. Mr. Bennett may be at Baden Baden, or Monaco, or Paris, or Prague, but he keeps in touch with his paper by making the cables under the ocean hum. Mr. Bennett looks more like his famous father than he once did. There is gray in his hair and mustache, and his features have resolved into the strong lines that marked the elder Bennett's features. Altogether, the Bennett of to-day looks a much better man than he did fifteen years ago. For some reason he avoids New York and Newport. A good many years ago he set a fast pace for the young bloods in both places.—N. Y. World.

The testimony brought out by the Lexow investigation may well startle a community long accustomed to sensations from this source. In all the hearings before the committee there has been no scene more dramatic, no revelation more startling or damning, than when Captain Creeden, in full uniform, displaying the insignia of thirty years' service, was moved to confess, with deep feeling and reluctance, that he had paid a bribe of fifteen thousand dollars for the captaincy he now holds, and that he gave this with the understanding and intention that it was to go to the Commissioner who appointed him and who now by the appointment of a Tammany Mayor sits as a criminal magistrate on the bench of one of the city's police courts. This extraordinary confession was followed and corroborated by the reluctant confession of the go-between, a political heeler and saloon keeper, who paid over the bribe money and secured the appointment.—N. Y. Sun.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

BIG TOM REED WEARS CLOTHES THAT DO NOT FIT HIM.

Congressman English Has Faith in American Manufacture and the New South. The Persistency of the Seekers After Places.

There is no use in denying the fact that Tom Reed of Maine, while a pretty big man physically, is growing in greatness every day. I recently had an opportunity to see him at very close range. There is a magnetism about him that is rare for a politican. He speaks frankly in private as well as in public. He tells a good story, and, better than all this he is a splendid listener. Somehow, you feel when he comes into a gathering of men as though an intellectual giant had stepped in out of somewhere and made his presence felt. His face is as babyish as the caricaturist have pictured it. His head is shaped like a dome. His eyes sparkle with good nature, and his cheeks are alive with health. I saw him walking through the corridor of the hotel the other day with a small derby hat perched on the back of his head, an overcoat that seemed much too small for him, and trousers at least a couple of inches too short. He moved along as gracefully as an elephant on parade, paying no heed to those ill-bred people who stood in rows and gaped at him. There is no style in his manner or in his dress, but when it comes to brains, he can probably discount any of the people he came in contract with, and that is saying a good deal.

One of the most disagreeable things that a Congressman has to contend with here is the constant and tireless importunities of office seekers. Many a Congressman comes to Washington full of ideas as to how he will make history on the floor of the House, but soon finds his time so occupied in running from one department to another hunting places for persistent constituents that he has no time to make a reputation as a statesman in the halls of Congress. A Democratic Congressman who was defeated for re-election last month remarked to me the other day that he was glad he had not been returned as now he would be rid of the annoyance of hunting patronage. Members of Congress who are so fortunate as to come from distant states are not troubled as much as those from states near the capital. People in the neighboring districts of Maryland and Virginia do not confine their efforts to writing letters but often come to Washington to press their claim in person. They besiege the Congressman at his house, and if he escapes them there he is pursued to the capitol. Congressman Meredith of Virginia, whose district is only separated from Washington by the Potomac river, is a much sought for man in these days. A number of his constituents, when they desire to see him, do not go through the formality of paying railroad fare, but simply walk across the long bridge and up to the Capitol. The other day Mr. Meredith, after a most harrassing interview with a persistent constituent, who had walked over from Virginia to see him, was relating his woes to a brother Congressman and sighing for the restful obscurity of an ordinary citizen, when it was suggested that he follow the plan of General Sherman and burn the bridges. "Burn the bridges," echoed Mr. Meredith, "that would do no good. They would swim the Potomac at high tide.

Business throughout the country may not be improving quite so rapidly as many desire, but one thing is certain, the march of progress made by American manufacturers is going steadily onward. Each year and each month records the opening up of new markets for American goods, and our manufacturers are underbidding their rivals in the old world. Congressman English of California gave me a good illustration of this. "I have a friend," he said, "a young Californian, who is the superintendent of the largest diamond digging concern in South Africa. The company that he represents recently made up its mind to put in extensive new machinery, and advertised for bids for it in England, France, Germany and the United States. A Chicago firm underbid all the rest and was awarded the contract. Another case that was brought to my attention the other day is worthy of mention. The Japanese Government recently awarded an enormous contract for iron pipe to another Chicago firm. It view of these things it is little wonder that I believe American manufacturers will in a short time be able to compete with the world." Mr. English, who is an expert and successful business man, is a great believer in the new South. He has recently purchased a large tract of land in Alabama, the cultivation of which he intends personally to superintend. English was one of the Democratic Congressmen who failed of re-election, but he is a born fighter, and is sure to be heard from two years hence.

One of the most delicate and intricate questions ever submitted for a legal opinion to the Department of Justice has been asked of Attorney-General Olney by the Treasury Department. It is whether stamp collectors have the right to print and sell fac-similes of the United States and foreign postage stamps. The business has attained considerable proportions, and with the increase of trade the stamps turned out have gradually reached a perfection in artistic finish and coloring that makes them hardly distinguishable from the genuine. The best engravers and printers are employed in this work, and while Chief Hazen of the secret service does not charge that any such stamps, either foreign or domestic, are used illegally, he contends that the possibilities for fraud on the revenue are startling. In unscrupulous hands such stamps and dies could be utilized for wholesale frauds. As to foreign stamps, the United States, by it treaties with the various powers, is committed to prevent the counterfeiting of obligations of foreign nations of any kind, and stamps by law are held to be obligations, so that the question assumes international importance. Philatelists contend that by printing fac-similes of stamps they are serving as educators of youth and prevent imposition. Until the question is decided by the Attorney-General, the Treasury Department will confine its efforts to securing possession of dangerous stamp dies, but will not undertake to confiscate the large stock of stamp albums in the hands of booksellers and others.

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Or Why Old Nick Had Burglar-Proof Locks Put On the Gates of Hades.

Hades was anxiously awaiting the return of its master. The fires were banked and trade was almost at a standstill owing to the agitation against admitting fire-worshippers. Mrs. Satan, who had been left in charge, had ruled the place with an iron hoof, and the assistant chief devils, their assistants and the multitude of minor devils were all on the point of mutiny. At last, when things were nearing a crisis Satan appeared, looking weary and dejected.

"Where have you been, dear?" anxiously asked Mrs. Satan.

"To New York," gasped Satan; and he passed his hands across his face as if to wipe away some horrible nightmare.

"That's where Dr. Parkhurst lives, isn't it?"

"Yes, and I'm really sorry for him, because—— Say, are the gates locked and barred?"

"Yes; why?"

"Get Lucifer to put a night chain and an extra padlock on, will you. And say, don't you dare let a New Yorker in here on any account. Do you hear?"

"Why not, pray? Are they not——"

"Why not?" asked Satan, and there was an anxious ring to his voice; "why not? Because they'd be corrupting our morals inside of a week."

And Mrs. Satan hurried to carry out her husband's instructions."—Judge.

SEVENTEEN INCHES TALL.

The Princess Paulina of Holland Comes Over to be Seen by Americans.

There arrived recently from Hamburg the Princess Paulina, 18 years of age and exactly 17 inches tall.

The Princess Paulina was born in Ossendrecht, Holland, and is the seventh child of a family of twelve children, her brothers and sisters being of the ordinary size. She weighs 8 1-2 pounds, and at her birth was 12 inches tall, just five inches less than her present height. She is accompanied by two sisters and a brother.

Besides her own native Dutch she speaks French and German, and is learning English. At a reception given her she pinned a flower on the lapel of each of her visitors. To enable the Princess to do this, the men took turns presenting themselves at the tall table upon which she was mounted. One late comer, however, failed to present himself, and, observing this, the Princess commanded that she be set upon the floor, when she offered the flower. For the man to descend to the level of her reach was a matter of sitting on the floor.

It is said that the Princess is to be married at the end of her present professional engagement.

Short Lessons in Natural History.

The preservation of the flesh of the mammoth for ages in Siberia is not remarkable. In most northern districts of that country ground never thaws beyond the depth of two or three feet. Bodies of men buried 200 years ago have recently been examined and found unchanged, being frozen perfectly solid.

Sea anemones and some other marine creatures of low degree increase their species by budding. A small knot or wart appears on the body of the animal, and by and by develops into a perfect, though minute, animal of the same species, separates from its parent and sets up in business for itself.

Animals are often able to bear very protracted fasting. In the Italian earthquakes of 1795 two hogs were buried at Soriano in the ruins of a building. They were taken out alive 42 days later, but very lean and weak. A dog at the same time and place, was buried for 23 days and recovered.

A country cat can always be kept at home by cutting off her ears, or for a time by clipping out the hairs in the interior. The long hairs serve to keep out the drops of dew that fall from the leaves of plants and grasses, and when the hairs are removed the cat will stay at home rather than claw the water out of her ears.

The teeth of rats are kept sharp by a very peculiar provision of nature. The outer edge of the incisors is covered with a layer of enamel as hard as flint, while the under side is much softer. The layer of enamel on the under side therefore wear away much faster than those on the upper surface, and a keen cutting edge is always presented.

The leaves of several plants often contract in a remarkable way to form lodging places for young insects to be hatched from eggs laid in the substance of the leaf. When an egg has been laid in a leaf of the chickweed it contracts into a globular form; the juniper leaf sends out a small globular body or excrescence, while the leaf of the poplar puts forth a juice that dries into a red globe.

Retrospective.

"Christmas ain't what it uster be," said Uncle Silas. "In the old days when Santa Claus uster look after us it was a great sight pleasanter 'n it is now. Why, I can remember Christmases when I came out ahead. But now, lawa! The stuff I've gave this year's cost me fi' dollars more'n the stuff I got's wuth. No, sirree. The charm o' Christmas is gone, I sez."—Harper's Bazar.

A Tragic Complication.

"So you refuse me!" said Charley Callew, bitterly.

"Of course," said the charming widow.

"Won't you even be a sister to me?"

"No, I'm engaged to marry your father. I'll be a mother to you."—Washington (D. C.) Star.

A Few Passing Remarks.

Jones—What did your wife say when you got home last night?

Smith—What did she say? My dear fellow, it would take me three hours to tell you half of what she said.—Paola (Kan.) Times.

Tit for Tat.

Hobbles—My wife's got me a box of cigars for a Christmas present. But I'll get even with her.

Pomas—What will you do?

Hobbles—I'm going to select her next hat myself.—Chicago Record.

"Why is a great strong man like you around begging?"

"Ah, madam, it is the only profession in which a gentleman can address a beautiful lady without the formality of an introduction."—Life.

"I've been pondering over a very singular thing."

"What is it?"

"How putting a ring on a woman's third finger should place you under the woman's thumb."—Life.

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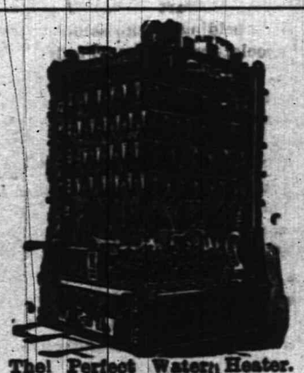

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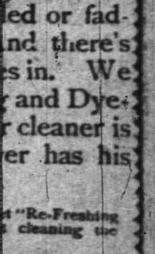

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

Washington's Bold March on Princeton.

Jan. 3, 1777, eight days after his boat expedition across the Delaware and surprise of the Hessians at Trenton, Washington dealt the British a second blow by stealing a march past the cantonments of Cornwallis' army around Trenton and striking Princeton. Cornwallis had directed his scattered detachments to march upon Trenton after the disaster to the Hessians, and they united in front of the American camp on Jan. 2 prepared to give battle. Finding his position extremely critical, Washington decided to withdraw and march around Cornwallis. In order to deceive the latter, the Americans lit their fires as usual and set patrols, who remained on duty until nearly daylight, then hastened to join the main body, already well on the way to its destination.

The distance of ten miles was covered in the night. Just before reaching Princeton the American commander detached General Hugh Mercer, with 350 Philadelphia militiamen, to seize a bridge at Worth's Mill, on Stony creek, and thus cut the communication between the British detachment at Princeton and their main army at Trenton. Mercer encountered the Seventeenth British regiment near the bridge and opened the attack with a deadly volley of musketry fired from behind a hedge. The British met the volley by a bayonet charge, and the militiamen, armed only with rifles, couldn't withstand the cold steel. After firing the third volley they broke and retreated toward Princeton. Mercer lost his life in trying to inspire his men to hold their ground. After receiving a blow from the butt end of a musket in the hands of a British soldier, which felled him, he half arose and fought with his sword until overcome with mortal bayonet wounds.

GENERAL MERCER.

Washington with two regiments of his regulars repulsed the British.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

E. C. Stahl, President of the New Jersey Editorial Association, has been induced by friends to allow his name to be used in connection with the commandership of the Department of New Jersey, G. A. R., the election for which will take place at the annual meeting of the Department in Trenton, February 7. He has been an active member in the G. A. R. for the last twenty-two years, and his aspirations for this high office are based solely on his services in the field and in the order. He deserves winning votes.

The municipal matter most talked of in Plainfield today is the report of the councilmanic committee on the water supply, published exclusively in The Daily Press of last Saturday. That portion which speaks so broadly of the danger of contamination is severely criticized. The committee is blamed by many for going so broadly into the details of that portion of their investigations. And there are those who hold that the committee are inconsistent. These point out that a short time ago the Councilmen were arguing (for the sake of getting the people reconciled to the filtration idea for sewage disposal) that sewage became by filtration a harmless and palatable liquid, whereas now they hold that the water supply, procured from deep wells whose source they say is Springfield, is endangered by the surface, cesspool and cemetery germs, in spite of the filteration through the earth. Regarding the claim that the company has no right to divert the Plainfield water to other places, the query is now put if Springfield cannot step forward and object to Plainfield's pumping away for her own sole use the water that the committee acknowledges comes from Springfield. These and many other arguments and criticisms are being discussed by the householders who have found no fault with the Water Supply Company for supplying Plainfield with the cheapest public water service in the country, and who object to having the world told what they do not believe, that the water they are drinking from the Plainfield mains is likely to become unfit for use just because other towns than Plainfield are drawing from the wells and opening up underground channels for the freer passage of the "subterranean river" which we have been boasting could supply all New York. The people do not take kindly to this shattering of their aqueous idol.

The gratification of accomplishing important progress for its town is the continual happy portion of The Daily Press, and it is with satisfaction that this the people's paper views the prospect for trolley railroad extension in the early Spring. Through all the past year The Press has been untiring in its agitation of this great public improvement, and the trolley warfare it has maintained has been effective. While such public-spirited men as ex-Councilman Spangenberg have been abroad looking up capital to invest in the road and in Plainfield, The Daily Press has been developing local patriotism here at home, and by its articles and arguments and urgings has fostered the growth of the enterprise. It has been no easy matter to overcome prejudice and bring heedless property-holders to understand the merits of the trolley in town-building, and the task of The Press has required courageous and patient persistence. The entire people have at last been brought to realize that unless Plainfield speedily provides popular rapid transit throughout its parts she will fall behind in the suburban competition for home-seekers from the metropolis. And, while this has been accomplishing at home, and the landowners have been shown that they must welcome and help the trolley extension project if they want their property developed and increased in value, Mr. Spangenberg has been negotiating with trolley builders and has found a capitalist who is ready to begin and push the work as soon as the town fathers say the word. The fact of his securing a desirable party for the work has already been recorded in this paper. Mr. Spangenberg first sought to get the Plainfield company to make the extensions, but says that their apathy forced him to the conclusion that they did not mean business, and he was obliged for the town's best interests to look elsewhere. When he announced in The Press that his search for a town-builder had been successful, and that the Mayor and Council were considering the plans of the capitalist whom he had procured, he found the Plainfield company developing unwonted activity, and, as he expressed it, now that others were after the franchise the Plainfield company were getting anxious. The Council will of course receive all applications that may come before it, and the people trust them to grant the franchise to the applicant whose pledges are most advantageous to Plainfield's interests. The capitalist who has been interested by Mr. Spangenberg wants only one concession, and that is that he be given the exclusive franchise for a term of years. This he insists on because he purposes to invest heavily in Plainfield, and too brief a contract, or competition, would prevent him from getting adequate return for his money. The entire matter is now under careful consideration by the Councilmen, and early in the year action will be taken. Meanwhile, agents are active in applying for rights of way, and the Plainfield company claims to have secured all that are necessary. Plainfield's four corners should most certainly be provided for by local trolley banches before the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company acquire a thoroughfare through the place. Plainfield must give its present population a cheap and pleasant medium for getting about before she can hope to acquire much greater growth.

FAIREST OF THE FAIR.

A Brilliant Gathering Does Honor to the Mayor's Wife.

The beautiful mansion of Mayor Gilbert was once more transformed to a bower of beauty yesterday afternoon, the occasion being the last of the delightful series of receptions and "at homes" given by the the popular hostesses, Mrs. Gilbert and her sister, Miss Alice Randolph.

The large reception hall drawing room, parlors and banquet room were a perfect vision of pink—indeed, so beautiful was the rare profusion of pink pinks and pink roses massed in enormous vases, banked in convenient corners or clustered with graceful effect on mantelpiece and table, and all enhanced by the genial presence of the artistically gowned hostesses and her guests that it would be difficult to imagine a more beautiful picture set in a fairer frame.

The guests who assembled to honor Mrs. Gilbert and Miss Randolph numbered over two hundred and fifty and the happy party of friends—for such in truth it was—did not fail to express to their entertainers the unbounded pleasure afforded them in being present.

Mrs. Walter Stewart assisted in receiving, and presiding at the samovars of tea and chocolate were Mrs. Fredrick G Mead, Mrs. A. C. Baldwin, Mrs. Daniel F. Ginna and Mrs. B. Arrowsmith Hegeman. Flitting in and out among the guests were Miss Bessie Ginna, Miss Grace Cooley, Miss Sadie VanBoskerck and Miss Marion Dumont, four beautiful young women, who gracefully assisted in making light the pleasant duties of the artists at the table. A more successful function could not have been given than this last "at home". An unusually large number of men did honor to the occasion, and the affair will be long and pleasantly treasured in the memory of all who participated.

Union Village Donation.

The annual donation of the Union Village Methodist Church will be held at the residence of Israel J. Coon Wednesday evening, Jan. 9. Those who were at Mr. Coon's at the great Harvest Home last year will be glad to enjoy another pleasant occasion. There will be vocal and instrumental music and also other entertainment. An excellent supper will be served. The Plainfield Quartette will be present and render vocal selections.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Hugh B. Reed has associated himself with Reed & Coddington.

Miss B. J. Beach of Mercer avenue is visiting at The Pines, Lakewood.

Miss Mary Holton of Grove street is visiting at Wattere Park, Wayne County, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Porter and family of Craig place are on a short visit to New York city.

William Stimpson of West Sixth street began a course of journalism at Packard's Institute, New York.

A. E. Faber, Jr., and family of Mercer avenue will spend the balance of the Winter in New York city.

D. Snediker of Grove street left this morning for a business trip west as far as Denver. He will be gone about a month.

Miss A. F. Faber, who has been spending the holidays with relatives in New York city, is expected at her home, 70 Willow avenue, today.

Mrs. George F. Meschutt of 326 East Front street, accompanied by her daughter Miss Nellie, goes to Fernandina, Fla., tomorrow for her health.

The Misses Ross of Brooklyn and Miss Gendell of Philadelphia, who have been visiting Miss Elsie Horne of Willow avenue, have returned to their homes.

William Rockfellow and family of Somerville have moved into the house of ex Sheriff Coddington, 198 Somerset street. Mr. Rockfellow is employed by Smalley Bros.

Miss Hettie Holman, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with her cousins, Miss Percy Emmons of Prospect place and Miss Laura Emmons of Jackson avenue, has returned to her home in New Brunswick.

Clarence Vandeventer has won high compliment for his management of the Van club-house in Fanwood. His catering at the New Year's dance of the Four-in-Hand Club was greatly admired. The one hundred guests were warm in their testimonials of appreciation.

W. E. Bailey, formerly of Newark, has taken up his residence in this city, and, in company with Hall of Newark, who has established a bicycle specialty factory at the place used by the Climax Stopper Company on Fourth street, has rented a home of W. D. Thickstun.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sebring of 40 Craig place had the new year made happy to them by the restoration to health of their dear little daughter, Edna, who through the skilful treatment of Dr. D. C. Adams was saved from that household terror, membraneous croup. The rejoicing parents find words powerless to express their gratitude to the physician.

Serious Driving Accident.

George Harrison, a helper employed by Carl Kaerth, narrowly escaped serious injuries on being thrown from a heavily loaded sled at the corner of Watchung avenue and Second street this noon. Even yet his condition is critical. The sled, with Kaerth and young Harrison on the seat, was overturned by the runner being caught in the gutter and the boy was thrown with great force to the ground, striking his head and badly bruising his hand.

Mr. Kaerth had all he could do to gain control of the team, and Messrs. VanEmburgh and Harper, who were passing at the time, kindly picked up the unconscious young man and carried him to Kaerth's house, where he was found to be suffering from bruises about the head and shoulders as well as the lacerated hand already mentioned.

At the time of going to press he was resting quietly and it is hoped will soon recover. About fifteen dozen bottles of "soft stuff" was spilled in the gutters.

Big Board Recovered.

The case of Augustus Frazee against his son George Frazee to recover a board bill of $1,160, with interest, was decided in favor of the plaintiff in Elizabeth yesterday, for the full amount.

—Prosecutor Meehan of Somerset has resigned.

—"Duke", the beautiful and valuable dog of Manager Chas. W. Runyon, has been robbed of his collar.

—Friends of Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the celebrated clairvoyant, will find her for one week only at Room 2, City Hotel.

—William Jackson, who was mentioned as a Muhlenberg patient suffering from being nearly frozen to death, is reported more comfortable today.

—Jacob Geirher, a new hand at Endress's meat market at 203 Liberty street, mashed three of his fingers in a meat cutter about 6 last evening and it was found necessary to amputate two of them at the Muhlenberg Hospital today.

—In the suit on contract of Marsh, Agers & Co. against John K. VanNess, heard before Justice Nash, judgment was rendered for $54 92 with interest and costs. George W. DeMezs was counsel for plaintiffs.

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Start your ad in January and run it till December.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

The regular Thursday morning singing lesson of the Grammar school was held as usual this morning.

The Senior class have taken up a new kind of work. Various important enterprises going on in the world are discussed, after which each member of the class writes a short essay on the subject. The power plant now being constructed at Niagara Falls is the subject before the class at present.

The joint committee to select school colors and a school yell will meet tomorrow at recess to decide on the colors. Red and white, red and gray, and red and dark blue seem to be the most popular among the pupils.

The report cards for the last two months were distributed at the close of school. NINETY-FIVE

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DEATHS

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DRAMA AND OPERA.

FANNY DAVENPORT AND HER NEW FRENCH PLAY DRAW WELL.

Damrosch Preparing for His Season of German Opera to be Given in February.

The Bostonians Revive Prince Ananias.

Jessie Bartlett Davis Appears as a Boy.

If Fanny Davenport were to suddenly lose her ability as an actress there is probably not a theatre owner in New York city who would not be glad to secure her services as a stage manager. Whenever you see Miss Davenport in a play you may be sure there is not an action or gesture in it that she is not personally responsible for. You see one of the supers looking attentively at the toe of his sandal. Miss Davenport has directed him to do it. A small Grecian ingenue turns up her nose at nothing in particular. Miss Davenport has taught her the trick. In the words of an irreverent actor, "She is a wonder."

MISS DAVENPORT.

No more beautiful series of living pictures has ever been seen on the New York boards than that which "Gismonda" presents at the Fifth Avenue Theatre. The scenery is truly superb and the costumes gorgeous. Sardou's drama is a fine piece of workmanship, and the title role is splendidly fitted to Fanny Davenport's heroic and emotional methods. The large company engaged in the cast is entirely competent. The piece is as Frenchy as the French.

Walter Damrosch has received from Vienna the scene models to be used during his season of German opera, which will commence in February at the Metropolitan Opera House. The success of the season is now assured, the subscriptions, which closed on December 29, having been exceedingly liberal. The public this winter has manifested an interest in opera which has never been equalled in this city, and there is little likelihood that it will be exhausted before the German season commences. It is a curious fact that a Wagner opera should prove one of the great paying performances of the season, but "Lohengrin" has evidently taken this winter the place in popular interest occupied by "Carmen" last year. The most brilliant performance this season had Mme. Melba as Elsa. Her presence in the cast, together with the peculiarity of Jean de Reszke, served to fill the house at a time when the theatres are only slimly attended. She wore in the second act a crown and costume similar to those imported by Mme. Nordica from Bayreuth, and sang the music of Elsa as it has never been sung on the stage of the Metropolitan Opera House by any one but her. Mr. Damrosch is to make a feature of "Lohengrin" in his season, and the opera will be the next to follow "Tristan and Isolde," with which the series of Wagner operas will begin.

The extent to which realism in being introduced in living pictures may be judged by the fact that at Koster & Bial's music hall actual smoke does artistic duty in "The Last Stand," a picture by Frederick Remington, representing an incident in Custer's last battle by living pictures. Just before the curtain is drawn a volley of musketry is fired and the figures are thus seen partly hidden in a cloud of smoke. The effect, as may be imagined, is marvelously realistic.

The new version of "Prince Ananias" has been given by the Bostonians. The most important change was the appearance of Jessie Bartlett Davis as a boy. The comedy scenes in which the strolling players figure have also been written up, and in the second act Mr. Victor Herbert has added several new numbers to his attractive score.

The last and smallest midget to arrive in this country recently gave a reception at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. The Princess Paulina was carried into the drawing room in a basket of flowers. The basket was carried by her sister, a plump young person five feet seven inches. Next to her height, which is only 18 inches, the most remarkable thing about this most remarkable little woman is her strength. When she shook hands with her guest it was noticed that her tiny hand was as hard as iron. Her handshake was almost a clinch. Five minutes later a number of dumb bells were brought in. The biggest one weighed 18 pounds, just double her own weight, and Paulina raised it three times above her head. She then stood on a table three times her own height and jumped to the floor.

It has come at last. Ever since the first success of the novel this calamity has been prophesied. "Trilby" is to be dramatized. The Harpers have sold the stage rights of the novel to Manager A. M. Palmer and Paul M. Potter has been engaged to do the dramatization. There is no doubt that Mr. Potter will do his part skilfully and that Mr. Palmer will give the play an appropriate setting, but the experiment is at best a doubtful one. One might almost as well try to dramatize one of Thackeray's novels.

LINWARD.

He Got It.

Tramp (at farm kitchen door)—Do you happen to have a little peppermint in the house, ma'am?

Farmer's Wife—I'm afraid not, my poor man.

Tramp—A little whiskey would do, ma'am. The lady on the farm below you who handed out the dinner, has committed the vulgar error of putting too much vinegar in the salad dressing.—Judge.

The Kind of Client to Have.

"My client Barker is the kind of man I admire," said Brief. "He told me he was willing to spend ten thousand dollars to recover one hundred dollars he had been defrauded of."

"What advice did you give him."

"I told him to go ahead—that I was with him in all matters involving a principle of that sort."

The Young Men Made the Supper.

A reception was given in Monroe Avenue Chapel last night to the young women of Miss Beekman's and Mr. McGee's classes. The chapel was the scene of a merry assembly, and was decorated in an artistic manner. As soon as the young people arrived, games were indulged in. At 8:30 the programme of the evening which was arranged by Charles Hayes, was begun. The first on the programme was a dialogue, entitled "Swinging on the Gate", which was a great success. Those who took part were: Messrs. E. Cook, F. Fulton, S. E. Beekman, F. Batson, and C. Bluard. The audience was treated next by Messrs. C. Hayes and W. Littell, who played several selections on the banjo and guitar. Singing was indulged in, and, about 10, all partook of a repast, prepared by the young men, of cake, fruits, chocolate, lemonade and charlotte russe. After playing games, all were taken home by Capt. Hand, who had been engaged to deport them. All the girls said that the spread was the best that was ever in the chapel. Those who were there were: Misses G Beekman, L Aldrich, R Adams, K Ackerman, M Beekman, S Rudd, the Misses King, B La Rue, and K Apgar, Mr Newman, and Messrs E Cook, C Hayes, W Littell, F Fulton, S Beekman, F E Batson, F E Philips, C Bluard, and Mr Hummer.

Jingle Bells.

Westfield and then Rahway was the destination of a sleighing party composed of a number of Plainfield's young people who enjoyed last evening's delightful sleighing. Miss Grace Irwin was chaperone. After a delightful evening the following party returned:

Misses Edith Huribut, Lilla Livezay, Clara Williams, Stella Shotwell; and Messrs. Sydney R. Titsworth, Arthur W. Vail, E. F. Vail, J. V. Rittenhouse, Volney F. Green and Roland Tomlinson.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

Distillers' Cases Compromised.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Secretary Carlisle has compromised for $12,000 and cost, the cases against Julius Librowicz, Aaron Gblenezer, and Charles Shubach of New York state for illicit distilling.

Public Debt Statement.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The debt statement shows a net increase in the public debt less cash in the treasury during December of $31,320,776. Total cash in the treasury $732,754,269.

Watertown, N. Y., Jan. 3.—The body of James Carman, aged 72 years, who had been missing since the blizzard of Wednesday evening last, has been found at the bottom of a snow bank near Antwerp.

Jewett Released from Custody.

Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 3.—E. M Jewett, who was under arrest charged with wrecking a passenger train here during the American Railway union strike last summer, has beeen released from custody.

Still on the Decrease.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The treasury gold reserve has been reduced to $84,900,000 in round figures. The New York sub-treasury reports $1,500,00 withdrawn for export yesterday.

Local Weather Forecast.

Snow; warmer; southerly winds.

She Was Curious.

Young Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands and the queen regent were on a special train between Munich and Wuerzburg recently. Suddenly the signal for the emergency brake was pulled and the train halted abruptly. The guards and chief engineer hurried in alarm from carriage to carriage, asking members of the suite what the trouble was. Nobody could say. The chief engineer then approached the royal saloon. The young queen leaned out of the window, and, with the blush of guilt all over her face, exclaimed: "Don't you come here; I didn't do it!" The young woman had pulled the signal merely to see what would happen.—San Francisco Argonaut.

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The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

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16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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Ladies cashmere gloves	25	35
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GOV. MORTON'S VIEWS

His First Message to New York's Legislature.

Comments on the Amendment Affecting Race Track Betting—Suggestion That Convicts Be Employed in Making Roads—Greater New York Commission.

Albany, Jan. 3.—In submitting his first annual message to the legislature Gov. Morton confessed great diffidence at addressing legislators who have a wider knowledge than he regarding the affairs of New York. Becoming more encouraged, he makes a swing at the prophetic and predicts a year of prosperity. In this financial mood, he offers as a pointer to the lawmakers a suggestion that a law be enacted to fix the tax levy earlier in the year in order that appropriations can be met when due.

With an eye to economy, Mr. Morton asks for the wiping out of multifarious "commissions" paid to individuals by the state departments. About a million and a quarter dollars leaked out of the treasury last year in the shape of "commissions."

Coming to the constitutional amendments, the governor makes this comment regarding the racing law:

"The penal code of this state contains numerous and apparently sufficient provisions against gambling. Among these provisions, section 351 makes poolselling and bookmaking upon races criminal offenses. By chapter 479 of the laws of 1887 (commonly known as the Ives pool bill), the legislature exempted from the operation of the above-mentioned section the race tracks and grounds of incorporated racing associations during thirty days of each year, and thus permitted, upon those tracks and grounds alone, the acts which remain criminal in all other parts of the state.

"The revised constitution, section 9 of article 1, adds to the old provision against lotteries a provision that neither poolselling, bookmaking, nor any other kind of gambling, shall hereafter be authorized or allowed within this state, and requires the legislature to pass appropriate laws to prevent offenses against any of the provisions of the section. It is well understood that this provision is aimed at the race track gambling permitted by the statute of 1887, above mentioned, and the legislature, in obedience to the will of the people thus expressed, should, without delay, expunge the obnoxious law from the statute books."

The message calls on the legislature to provide in some way for employment of convicts, since the new constitution prohibits their making goods in competition with other labor. The governor says:

"If their services can be legally applied to the building and improvement of roads and highways, the manufacture of clothing and other articles, the raising of food supplies on state farms, and other like pursuits, all for use in state institutions, the solution of the problem may be less difficult than it now appears to be."

Respecting that subject now uppermost in the minds of the people of New York city, the power of removal bill, Gov. Morton confidently asserts that it is demanded by a large part of the people.

Mentioning the popular vote in favor of consolidating New York, Brooklyn and adjacent cities, the governor advocates the creation of a commission composed of citizens from the places interested to frame a charter and present it to the legislature.

Speaking of election reforms, the message favors the blanket ballot.

Canal improvements are especially dwelt upon by the governor. He asks for prompt appropriations to strengthen the state canals against the competition of Canadian waterways. Likewise, an appeal is made for better roads.

In regard to the amended civil service laws, Mr. Morton says it may be well considered whether the "prudent and consistent extension and perfection" of the civil service requirements will not be beneficial.

Touching on banking, a subject with which Mr. Morton is more familiar than gubernational duties, he promulgates the view that the whole capital stock of a new bank should be paid in before it is authorized to commence business, instead of the half payments as at present. He further recommends that bankers should not be allowed to loan the bank's money to themselves, but be required to apply to the directors in the regular way.

Congratulation is offered that New York leads in educational affairs, and the legislature is advised to open the state purse "liberally, but with economic discretion" in school appropriations.

Revision of insurance laws is called for. In commenting on the dependent insane, the transfer by New York and Kings counties of their insane to the care of the state, is regarded as just and humane.

"The national guard of New York is conceded to be second to none," the message states, "and it must not be allowed to deteriorate." Then Mr. Morton hints at "inferior weapons" now in use and recommends arms of modern pattern.

Ice Boats on the Shrewsbury.

Red Bank, N. J., Jan. 3.—In the ice boat race on the North Shrewsbury Gus Haviland's Nancy Hanks won the pennant in the third class. Captain Weaver's Kittie, which was formerly the old Scud, won in the second class. If the weather permits there will be another pennant race to-day.

The Young Czar Liberal.

London, Jan. 3.—A dispatch from Moscow states that the czar in revising the list of officers for promotion, which list gives the age, religion, etc., of the officers, struck his pen through the column marked "religion," declaring that that was a question that did not concern him.

Dropped Dead in the Station.

Bryn Mawr, Pa., Jan. 3.—Dr. James Rhoades, ex-president of the Bryn Mawr college for women, dropped dead in the railroad station here. Dr. Rhoades was 70 years of age.

WEAVERS' WAGES TO ADVANCE.

Scarcity of Operatives Cause Owners To Make This Move.

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 3.—There is a great scarcity of weavers in the mills in this city and two mills have advanced wages to try to induce weavers to come here, and it is currently reported that other mills will follow the example set by the Acushnet and Hathaway mills.

The cause of this scarcity of mill operatives is dated back to the recent big strike. During the strike hundreds of families left town and many of these were natives of Canada and England. These operatives left for their homes and it is estimated that about 1,000 weavers left during the long strike. Many found work at home and others settled in other mill centres.

When the big strike was settled wages were reduced and very few weavers came back to the city as they were making more money where they had settled. Many had expended all the money they had in getting out of town and could not afford to move back.

Agents of various mills have been scouring all mill centres for weavers, but as the wages here were known to have been reduced and not raised after the settlement of the strike, hardly any weavers could be induced to move to this city and thus ever since the big strike, the weave shops of most of the mills have been more or less hampered. A leader in the weaver's union said that the only way to remedy the evil was to raise wages, and that it would not surprise him very much to hear of a general advancement in weavers' wages very soon.

FATHER STICK'S HARSH WORDS.

Wished His Parishioners Would Get Drunk and Freeze.

Pana, Ill., Jan. 3.—Rev. Father Stick, who last summer gained notoriety by publicly assailing Protestants, said to his parishioners: "I have members who will not rent pews because they are too poor, yet they have money to get drunk twice a month. I wish they would get drunk to-night and lay out doors and freeze to death.

"There are members of my congregation who allow their daughters to go to high-toned balls and dance in full dress—no dress at all. Only indecent Catholics, Protestants and heretics go to such places."

He said in plainer words that he wished from the bottom of his heart the girls who went to these dances would be ruined, and added: "I wish every boy or young man who attends these dances would become diseased and rot, and then the generation would soon be exterminated."

TROUBLES IN ARMENIA.

The Natives Are Desperate and Almost Ready for Any Violence.

London, Jan. 3.—The Morning Post hears from Vienna that Tahsin, governor of Bitlis, has been assassinated by an Armenian, who committed suicide before he could be arrested.

Letters from Armenia say that the Armenians are desperate and ready for any violence. It is said that the governor of Ezin recently summoned conspicuous Armenians to warn them of a threatened Kurdish attack and to advise them that they must prepare to defend themselves, as he could do little for them.

The Armenians tried to obtain arms, as he advised, but found great difficulty in getting them. The attack was made; the result is not known.

Turkish officials are said to be confiscating letters right and left; hence, it is hardly possible to get unbiased accounts of events in Asia Minor.

JERSEY CITY BANK ROBBED.

The Sum of $2,200 Was Mysteriously Stolen Last September.

Jersey City, Jan. 3.—It was reported recently that $2,200 had disappeared from the Hudson County bank of this city. When a rumor of the loss was started, the bank officials denied it, but Cashier J. Warren Hardenbergh has admitted that $2,200 has been stolen. He said:

"My opinion is that the money was stolen by an outsider. It disappeared in September last. I was away at the time. It is possible that the thief sneaked through my office. Another theory is that the thief hauled the money over the counter by means of a hook which he could have thrust between the gratings when the teller was not looking.

"I do not suspect any of the bank officials or accountants."

Requisition for Holmes.

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—Superintendent of Police Lindon has received a dispatch from the sheriff of Fort Worth, Tex., announcing that a requisition had been mailed for the return to that place of H. H. Holmes, the alleged insurance swindler. This was done so that in case Holmes should not be convicted here Fort Worth will have the first claim on him.

Work on the Delavan Ruins.

Albany, Jan. 3.—Workmen have begun to tear down the great walls of the Delavan ruins preparatory to beginning a search for the bodies of the 15 hotel employes who perished. It will be two or three days before the search of the ruins can be attempted, as the walls cannot be lowered before that time.

Captain Dixon Rewarded.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 3.—Captain Dixon, of the schooner Rigel, on returning from a fishing trip, found four checks amounting to $650 for the rescue of the people of the steamer Mirauda in Greenland. Captain Dixon has already received $525 toward the $4,000 salvage fund promised.

Carter Will Plead Guilty.

New York, Jan. 3.—Edward R. Carter, charged with embezzling $30,000 from the National Bank of Commerce, will plead guilty to-day to the charge against him before United States Commissioner Shields.

Has Appointed a Receiver.

Washington, Jan. 3. — Comptroller Eckels has appointed the Hon. James Stevens, of Rome, N. Y., receiver of the Central National bank of that city.

Old Woman Killed by the Cars.

Jamestown, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Mrs. Andrew Ross, 70 years of age, was run over and killed by an Erie train while walking on the tracks.

DON CAMERON IS ANGRY

Objects to a Theatre Next to His Mansion.

The Sale of the Historic House Where Blaine Lived and Died to a Chicago Syndicate May Lead to an Estrangement Between the Blaine and Cameron Families.

Washington, Jan. 3.—It is possible that the sale of the historic house in which James G. Blaine lived and died may lead to a permanent estrangement between two families which have long been prominent and powerful in public affairs and the members of which are related by blood, in addition to being on terms of the most intimate friendship. A feud between the clan Cameron and the house of Blaine is threatened. The Chicago capitalist who bought the house from Mrs. Blaine immediately got out a permit for the erection of a $250,000 opera house, which it is announced is to be finished by the middle of September next. Adjoining the Blaine house on the south side is a vacant lot belonging to the government, which, it is thought, will eventually be utilized as a site for a new building for the department of justice, now located in a building on one-half of the lot.

Next to the Blaine house on the north side lives Senator Don Cameron of Pennsylvania, in the aristocratic old mansion known as the Ogle Taylor house, which was the scene of the most brilliant entertainments in the years before, during, and just after the close of the war.

Last summer this house was remodelled by the Camerons at an expense of about $30,000, and it was intended by the senator and his family to make it their permanent Washington home.

Senator Cameron has built and owns other houses in a more fashionable part of the city, but preferred to live in this aristocratic, time-mellowed old house, with its historic associations, in spite of the fact that the immediate neighborhood is being rapidly given up to hotels, boarding houses, clubs, and shops.

A year or two ago Mr. John McLean, who owns nearly all the adjoining square in which the Cameron house is located, thought of erecting a theatre building on one portion of it, but it is said was persuaded from doing so by Senator Cameron and other wealthy residents of the neighborhood. The senator is now reported to be exceedingly indignant that the Blaine property, immediately adjoining his, should have been disposed of to a Chicago syndicate for the purpose of erecting a large theatre, on the top of which is to be a roof garden, with all its accompanying attractions.

On the fence surrounding the Blaine house the enterprising Chicagoans have already hung a large colored picture showing the new theatre as it is to be, and have been obliged to employ watchmen during the past day or two to keep the great crowd of curiosity seekers outside of the house, so that the work of destruction commenced last Saturday can go on.

It is not known whether Mrs. Blaine was aware of Senator Cameron's objection to having a roof garden theatre next door to him, the top of which overlook his beautiful garden, surrounded with a high brick wall, intended to exclude the gaze of the public, or whether she knew and did not care. It is certain, however, that she has closed the bargain, received the purchase price, and moved to Dupont circle, in the great pile of brick which Mr. Blaine erected after being selected as Garfield's secretary of state and where he would have entertained the Washington world for four years had not Guiteau's bullet prevented.

The proprietors of the existing theatres in Washington laugh at the announcement that the Chicago purchasers of the Blaine house propose to build a theatre upon its site, and emphatically declare that they intend to do nothing of the kind. These men say that as the entire width of the lot is only sixty feet it is an impossibility to get the stage room for a theatre, and that therefore the hasty announcement is simply a trick to deceive the public.

Charges Against Collector Houck.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 3.—It has been known here for a long time that charges had been preferred against Collector Houck of the port of Genesee. The charges relate to misconduct and allege inefficiency. They are understood to eminate from certain Cleveland democrats, who were displeased because Houck began to train with the Hill men as soon as he was nominated.

Collision of Street Cars.

Indianapolis, Jan. 3.—About twenty persons were more or less severely injured by the collision of two street cars here. William Kurman had several ribs broken and John Miller may lose his nose.

Eight Burned to Death.

London, Jan. 3.—Fire started in a French laundry in Edgeware road at an early morning hour and eight persons who were asleep in the building were burned to death.

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CORN—Quiet. No. 2, 51½c.; steamer 50c.

OATS—Firm. No. 2 white, 33¾@39c.; No. 2 mixed, 35½c.

PORK—Steady. Extra prime, 14.00@16.00; mess, 13.00@14.00.

LARD—Firm. January, 7.00.

BUTTER—Firm, creamery, state and Pennsylvania, fresh extras, 23c.; creamery, western extras, 25c.

CHEESE—Quiet. State, full cream fancy, 11½c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Unchanged. Western, 25c.

SUGARS—Dull. Granulated, 3 13-16@4c.

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SHEEP—Strong. Inferior to good 2.00@3.37; dressed mutton, 4½@6c.

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Sundays, 1, 9 06, 9 36 a.m., 9 41 p. m.

For Baltimore only 1.37 p. m., week-days.

For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 04, 6 46, 6 17, 6 46, 7 03, 7 20, 7 46, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 52, 9 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 51, 10 20, 10 28, 10 46, 11 07, 11 46 a. m., 1 15, 1 46, 1 55, 2 24, 3 40, 3 46, 3 57, 4 37, 5 07, 6 44, 6 51, 7 25, 8 06, 8 48, 9 06, 9 27, 9 46, 9 58, 10 07, 10 25, 10 39, 10 49 a. m., 12 06, 1 46, 2 28, 2 45, 3 45, 4 45, 5 04, 5 46, 7 06, 7 13, 7 26, 7 56, 8 20 9 18, 10 16, and 11 46 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 06, 6 37, 7 49, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43 A. M.; 1 06, 1 37, 5 33, 5 06, 6 26, 7 46, 8 43, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 06, 8 09, 9 05, 9 26, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City 1 37 p. m. weekdays.

For Rahway—1, 1 43 daily ex. Monday, 4 08, 6 44, 7 10, 7 59, 9 54, 9 46, 9 50, 10 39, 11 45, a. m., 12 45, 1 13, 1 37, 2 43 3 20, 3 29, 3 59, 4 28, 4 55, 5 20, 5 50, 6, 6 06 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 45, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 45, 8 14, 8 55, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1, 1 43, 8 59, 9 49, 10 36 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 2 47, 3 29, 4 50, 5 29, 5 40, 7 21, 7 27, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

For New Brunswick—1 06, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 06, 9 26, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 06, 1 37, 2 43, 3 59, 5 06, 5 46, 6 06, 6 43, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 06 p. m. Sundays, 1 06, 8 09, 9 05, 9 26 9 46, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 39 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 59, 5 44, 6 13, and 7 20 9 54 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 36, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 36, 12 46 3 20, 4 59, 5 44, 6 13, 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 36, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 55, 2 48 and 6 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 06, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 06, 9 26, 11 43 A. M.; 1 06, 1 37, 2 43, 5 06, 6 06, 7 46, 9 43, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 06, 8 09, 9 05 9 26, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 43 and 6 06 p. m., and 5 40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 43 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 59, 5 06 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 59 and 5 06 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 13 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 5 07, 6 36, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 07, 9 36, 7 00, 7 50, 8 06, 8 28, 8 52, 9 07, 9 36, 10 06, 10 37, 11 12 A. M., 12 06, 12 36, 1 06, 1 36, 2 07, 2 36, 3 06, 3 36, 4 06, 4 36, 5 06, 5 36, 6 06, 6 36, 7 06, 7 36, 8 06, 8 36, 9 06, 9 36, 10 06, 10 36, 11 36 P. M. Sunday—2 14, 5 07, 6 06, 6 36, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 07, 9 36, 10 06, 10 37, 11 36, 11 36 A. M., 12 06, 12 36, 1 06, 1 36, 2 07, 2 36, 3 06, 3 36, 4 06, 4 36, 5 06, 5 36, 6 06, 6 36, 7 06, 7 36, 8 06, 8 36, 9 06, 9 36, 10 06, 10 36, 11 36 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 4 00, 10 00, 10 30, 11 00, 11 30, 12 00, 12 30, 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 00, 11 30 P. M. Sundays, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 00, 11 30 P. M. Night, Sunday—4 00, 7 15, 8 00, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 30 A. M., 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00 A. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 6 32, 6 50, 8 00, 7 26, 7 32, 8, 8 40 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 04, 1 15, 3 07, 3 52, 5 12, 5 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08, 8 50, 10 17 11 32 P. M. Sunday—5 01, 6 32, 10 04, 11 32, A. M 12 32, 1 45, 3 00, 4 32, 7 11, 8 32, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 12, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 03, 11 32 A. M., 1 12, 1 32, 3 10 Saturday only 3 56, 4 55, 6 00, 6 40, 8 04, 9 34, 9 50, 10 30, 11 32 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 05, 9 26, 10 04, 11 32 P. M.

Leave Newark 2 10, 3 00, 4 10, 4 50, 7 30, 9 20, 10 20 A. M. Passengers for Newark change cars at Bound Brook.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 04, 11 a.m., 12 45 2 00, 3 20, 3 45, 4 56, 5 05, 5 16, 6 24, 6 04, 8 16, 9 57, 11 10 8 21, 10 56, 11 22, P. M. 12 30 night Sunday—7 45, 9 30 9 56, A. M., 3 02, 5 20, 6 14, 6 56, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 20, 7 00, 7 56, 7 56, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 05, 6 25, 6 26, 6 56, 8 05, 8 56, 9 55, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 9 05, 9 55 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 8 16, 9 04, A. M., 12 45, 2 00, 5 16, 6 26, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—7 45, 9 26 A. M., 3 05, 6 26, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A. M., 12 25, 4 04, 7 26 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 25, A. M., 4 40, 7 05, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Manch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 14 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L a W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Manch Chunk.

5 06 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch.

8 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Manch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 36 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton.

2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 9 57 a. m., 1 13 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 57, 10 27, a. m 1.13, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 9 13, a. m., 3 50 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 57, 6 13, 6 10 27 a. m., 1 13, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08 p.m. Sundays—8 13, a. m., 3 50 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 57, 8.10 27 a.m., 1 13, 3 51, 4 50 p.m.

For Boynton Beach 8 00 10 27 a m 1 13, 3 13 p m

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 6 45, 8 44 9 43, 10 46, a. m., 2 09, 5 34, 6 43 8 31, 9 57 p. m., 1 13, night. Sundays—5 45, 9 43, a. m., 2 09, 5 34, 6 43 p. m., 1 13, night.

For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 6 40, 10 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 09, 5 34, 6 43, 8 21, 9 57 p.m., 1 13 night. Sundays—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 3 09, 6 43 p.m., 1 13 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 43, a. m., 2 09, 5 34, 6 43 p. m., 1 13, night. Sundays—9 43 a. m., 2 09, 5 34, 6 43 p.m., 1 13, night.

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For Buffalo, Chicago and all points west, weekdays at 9 54 a m., 9 22 p. m. Sundays 6 36 p. m

NEWBURGH—Leave PERTH AMBOY—Reading terminal, 4 10, 6 20, 9 30, 11 35 a.m., 1 30 3 30 5 15, 6 04, 9 25 p.m., 12 10, night. Sundays—5 10, 9 30, 9 30, 12 35 a. m., 2 30, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 35, 7 55, 9 21, 11 19 a.m. 2 30, 3 15, 3 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—2 35, 7 25, 12 15 p m, 8 20, 8 12, 8 10, 11 45 p.m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 6 05, 9 05, 10 25, a.m., 12 15* 3 10, 4 20*, 5 04, 9 05 p.m. Sundays—1 00, 6 05, 9 05, 10 27 a. m. 1 10* 4 02 6 40*, 9 02 p. m.

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R. C. Pease, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter. 9 6 tf

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 6024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America, meets in K. of P. Hall, No. 108 West 2d st., first and third Tuesday evenings in each month.

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Samuel H. Lunger, Fin. Sec. 9 25 y

Anchor Lodge, No. 168, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front stree

C. C. Howard, W. M.
T. A. Rogers, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street.

Chas. Yenger, Secretary.
Dr. D. C. Adams, W. M.

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" " " coffee	.25	" " coffee	.50
½ pound baking powder	.22	½ pound baking powder	.22
1 package buckwheat	.15	1 package buckwheat	.15
½ pound pepper	.20	½ pound pepper	.20
1 package corn starch	.08	1 package corn starch	.08
1 sack salt	.05	1 sack salt	.05
1 pound raisins	.10	1 pound raisins	.10
" currants	.10	" currants	.10
" tapioca	.10	" tapioca	.10
	$1 75	" prunes	.10
		" nuts	.15
			$2 75

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And now a French woman has been over to America and has written a book about us! It is Mme. Louis Grandin, a Parisian journaliste of local fame in the gay French capital.

She writes:

Chicago!!

My first view of State street stupefied me. It gave me an idea of the immense scale on which Chicago is built.

It would be hard to get any exact idea of the originality of height of the buildings. It is the delirium of archictecture. No two structures resemble each other; it is a nameless mixture of all styles and all epochs.

New York is a pigmy compared to Chicago. The Masonic Temple on State street is twenty stories high, and all the other buildings vary from seventeen to twenty stories high.

By the advice of our friends I had engaged rooms in the house of an "honorable" American family, and I at once began to search for my new home.

I inquired the way of a policeman, a kind of Hercules, whose comic uniform would certainly be most successful in an opera bouffe.

Although not having the distinction of our French policeman, this worthy Chicago officer was infinitely more polite than our own guardians of the peace. Drawing the city directory from his pocket, he at once told us that the house I was looking for was situated in the south of the city.

It is an American habit to speak of the cardinal points when indicating any street or house.

I finally arrived. It was No. 3,700.

The landlady came toward me very graciously. Her name was Miss Flack. She had the figure of a young girl, but, good heavens! what a face! She looked fifty years old, with angular and ill natured features, lit up by two terrible coal black eyes. On her head was a mossy and whitish looking bang.

In a shrill and soured voice, perfectly in keeping with her physiognomy, Miss Flack began by assuring us that she had nobody in the house but persons of the highest respectability.

The place had been recommended to me as a private family, but it was evidently only an ordinary boarding house.

I asked Miss Flack if I could have some lunch, at which she looked surprised, saying that lunch hour was passed and that she expected her boarders to conform to the custom of the house. Finally, however, she condescended to get to me something to eat.

When I went to bed that night I put my boots outside the door, expecting to find them blacked the next morning. I found they hadn't been touched. Thinking they had been forgotten, I rang the bell. A servant came up and I pointed to the shoes. The girl picked them up and stood there, as if not knowing what to do. In pantomime I showed her. She mockingly opened her eyes as if scandalized, let the shoes drop and went down stairs furious.

A few minutes later Miss Flack informed me that in America servants don't blacken shoes.

She said she was sorry for the incident—not on my account, but on her girl's, who was very much vexed, and who would probably leave her.

I really thought she was going to ask me to apologize.

For a long time I had noticed in every drawing room the presence of a little porcelain vase, more or less decorated, the use of which I couldn't guess. I had certainly remarked with disgust on the street and on the tramways the men chewing that something which is so dear to our sailors and their continually spitting. But I supposed they belonged to the lower classes of society, and I regretted that people of bad breeding were so numerous. One day, however, I saw in a drawing room a gentleman of irreproachable respectability put into his mouth a plug of tobacco.

The tobacco chewing vice is general and has invaded all classes. Even the women chew all day a kind or gum with an insupportable odor.

Some American ladies are not even content with gum; they chew tobacco.

Still this is not as funny as the Chicago horses, who wear immense straw hats. Inside these hats, as in the men's silk hats, are placed wet sponges, which keep off the sunstroke. The gentlemen often replace the sponge in their hats by a cabbage leaf.

All the Chicago horses wear these straw hats, but some of the horses wear more than that even. I saw several horses on State street wearing trousers made of blue jeans. The neck and back were covered with oil cloth, and the poor beast's head was adorned with an immense Panama hat. It looked so funny that I became almost hysterical with laughter, to the great surprise of my friends, who saw nothing unusual in it.

Americans never forbid their children to do anything. They don't think they have the right. In many ways, I think, children are brought up better in America than they are in France. They are taught very early to rely upon themselves, and it is no unusual sight to see young children of very tender age alone in the street without being watched. The street seems to be their great playground, in which they all play, without distinction of class. And this mixing with other children, far from injuring them seems to do them good.

Every American boy has two great ambitions, the hope of becoming one day president of the Republic and of amassing a great fortune.

When an American boy is supposed by his parents to have attained the age of reason he receives a monthly allowance. This is supposed to teach him how to administrate his estate when he comes of age, and also to teach him to be economical. One very frequently meets in the streets of New York and Chicago young men of good family walking with bare feet and carring their shoes in their hands in order not to wear out their shoes. I have also seen boys of rich families selling newspapers in the streets.

The American army is not a large one, but its officers wear brilliant uniforms. One day at the exposition I passed a group of four generals in full dress uniform. They looked very fine, with their feathers, cocked hats and breasts covered with decorations. They were talking with great animation, and I stopped a moment to look at them, my attention being particularly attracted to a tall, handsome man with a distinguished face. Suddenly the object of my admiration turned around, just facing me, and, putting his two fingers to his nose, and with a gesture I shall never forget, he removed by rapid ejaculation the surplus of mucus that was probably troubling him. I was rooted to the spot and almost stifled with indignation. Such a beautiful general!

I don't think much of the American firemen. They chiefly run to girth, so it is hardly surprising that they can't run up a ladder to save life with the same agility and courage as our French firemen. In fact, they rarely go on the roof of a burning building, but confine themselves to working the pumps and blowing up the surrounding houses by dynamite.

The frequency of fires in America is probably owing to the curious law that when a man's place of business is burned down all the debts he owes are cancelled.

As I remarked before, laundry work in Chicago is frightfully dear, and this is the reason why Chicago women—and, for that matter, most American women—wear no chemise. They wear a kind of woollen or cotton "tights," which takes its place. This fits close to the body, and is probably the secret of the fine figures which American women usually seem to have.

As an instance of the practical view that American, and especially Chicago, women take of life, I asked a Mrs. B—— whom I met why she allowed her husband to go out without even an overcoat, the weather being very cold. "Oh! that's all right," she replied, "for he insured his life last week."

I was very much shocked by this reply, and, seeing my surprise depicted on my face, Mrs. B—— added: "Yes, Fred has insured his life, and the money I shall get at his death would permit me to live very comfortably until I marry again. And of course next time I shall marry much better."

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Constructor Fernald, whose name is connected with the construction of so many of Uncle Sam's finest ships, is an exceedingly modest man, withal. His relations with master workmen and many of the journeyman employes are unusually cordial, and he misses no opportunity to advance the interests of steady and capable men. He prepared the preliminary plans for the steel cruiser Chicago and the Dolphin, and as a member of this Board he also engaged in the supervision of these ships, as well as of the cruisers Boston and Atlanta while they were under construction.

FRANK L. FERNALD.

The Union Iron Works, at San Francisco, was the scene of Constructor Fernald's labor in 1887, where he was ordered to supervise the construction of the cruiser Charleston, which was then about to be built. While on the Pacific coast he had charge of building also the cruiser San Francisco, and of the beginning of the Olympia and the Monterey.

In May, 1891, Mr. Fernald took charge of the construction department at the New York Navy Yard. Within the period embraced in his present assignment more ships have received extensive repairs at this yard, and more men have been kept constantly at work here, than at any period in the history of the station since the war. Under his care the new and handsome cruiser Cincinnati has been almost wholly built, and it is claimed that as far as workmanship, general design of fitting and finish are concerned this ship has no superiors and few equals. The battle ship Maine has been brought almost to completion under his charge.

Mr. Fernald was a member of the Stability Board, which was convened to remedy faults of design, and it was at his suggestion that the new gunboats, the Machias and the Castine, were ordered to be cut in two and lengthened. This novel and difficult work was done under his charge in a remarkably short time. The Machias is now on her way to China and the Castine is ready for sea.

Put Salt on Coal.

At this time of the year, when the coal begins to develop such extraordinary possibilities in the way of rapid consumption, housekeepers are eagerly on the lookout for something that will, at least, prevent waste, if it cannot by any other means make a ton go further. There are several preparations for this purpose sold under fanciful names, but the basis of most of them is ordinary salt. If the latter is sprinkled liberally over the coal, either in the bin or as it is put into the furnace, it will make it burn more evenly to a clean ash, and will also prevent clinkers. Of course, there is some chemical explanation for this, but the ordinary housewife does not care much about the reasons. She is satisfied that it is so.

An Editor's Philosophy.

We are opposed to the principle of the income tax, but give us the income and we'll pay the tax without any whining.—Yonkers Gazette.

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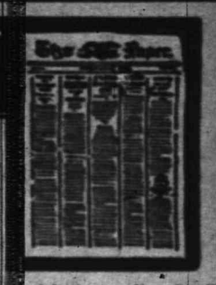

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If innocent curiosity and love of fun had carried many to the New Year handshaking three years before, a more serious interest, not unmixed with curiosity still, swelled the party tonight.

It was a mile out of town. The night was stormy, the roads were heavy and most of the wagons without cover, but the festive spirit is impervious to weather the world over, and there were umbrellas in Simpkinsville, and overcoats and "tarpaulins."

Everybody went. Even certain persons who had not previously been able to master their personal animosities sufficiently to resolve to present themselves for the midnight handshaking, and had decided to nurse their grievances for another year, promptly decided to bury their little hatchets, and join the party.

To storm a citadel of sorrow, whether the issue should prove a victory for besiegers or besieged, was no slight lure to a people whose excitements were few, and whose interests were limited to the personal happenings of their small community.

It is a crime in the provincial code social to excuse oneself from a guest. To deny a full and cordial reception to all the town would be to ostracise oneself forever, not only from its society but from all its sympathies.

The weak-hearted hostess rallied all her failing energies for the emergency. And there was no lack of friendliness in her pale old face as she greeted her most unwelcome guests with extended hands.

If her thin cheeks flushed faintly as her neighbors' happy daughters passed before her in game or dance, her solicitous observers, not suspecting the pain at her heart, whispered: "Mis' Meredith is chirpin' up a'ready. She looks a heap better 'n when we come in." So little did they understand.

If mirth and numbers be a test, the old year party at the Mereditns was assuredly a success.

Human emotions swing as pendulums from tears to laughter. Those of the guests to-night who had declared that they knew they would burst out crying as soon as they entered that house, were the ones who laughed the loudest.

"Spinning the plate," "dumb-crambo," "pillow," "how, when and where," such were the innocent games that composed the simple diversions of the evening, varied by music by the village string band and occasional songs from the girls, all to end with a "Virginia break-down" just before twelve o'clock, when the handshaking fun should commence.

It seemed a very merry party and yet, in speaking of it afterward, there were many who declared that it was the saddest evening they had ever spent in their lives. Some even affirming that they had been "obliged to set up an' giggle the live-long time to keep from cryin' every time they looked at Mis' Meredith."

Whether this were true, or only seemed to be true in the light of subsequent events, it would be hard to say. Certain it was, however, that the note that rose above the storm and floated out the lighted windows was a note of joyous merrymaking. Such was the note that greeted a certain slowly moving wagon, whose heavily-clogged wheels turned into the Mereditns' gate near midnight. The belated guest was evidently one entirely familiar with the premises, for, notwithstanding the darkness of the night, the ponderous wheels turned accurately into the curve beyond the magnolia tree, moved slowly but surely along the drive up to the door, and stopped with hesitation exactly opposite the "landing," well-nigh invisible to-night.

After the ending of the final dance, during the very last moments of the closing year, there was always at the old year party an interval of silence.

The old men held their watches in their hands, and the young people spoke in whispers.

It was this last waiting interval that in years passed the old man Prophet had filled with portent, even though, until his last prophecy, his words had been lightly spoken.

As the crowd sat waiting to-night, watching the hands of the old clock

INTO WHICH LIMPED A TALL MUFFLED FIGURE.

that seemed almost to have stopped, so slow was their movement, listening to the never hurrying tick-tack of the long pendulum against the wall, it is probable that memory, quickened by circumstances and environment, supplied to every mind present a picture of the old man, as he had often stood before them.

A careful turn of the front door latch, so slight a click as to be scarcely discernible, came at this moment as the clank of a sledge-hammer, turning all heads with a common impulse toward the slowly opening door, into which limped a tall, muffled figure, that seemed to the startled eyes of the company to reach quite to the ceiling. Those sitting near the door started back in terror at the apparition, and all were on their feet in a moment.

But having entered, the figure stood still just within the door. And before there was time for action or question, even, a bundle of old wraps had fallen and the old man Prophet, bearing in his arms a golden-haired cherub of about two years, stood in the presence of the company.

The revulsion of feeling, indescribable by words, was quickly told by fast-flowing tears. Looking upon the old man and the child, everyone present read a new chapter in the home tragedy, and wept in its presence.

Coming from the dark night into the light, the old man could not for a moment discern the faces he knew, and when the little one, shrinking from the glare, hid her face in his hair, it was as if time had turned back, so perfect a restoration was the picture of a familiar one of the old days. No word had yet been spoken, and the ticking of the great clock and the crackling fire mingled with sobs were the only sounds that broke the stillness, when the old man, having gotten his bearings, walked directly up to old Mrs. Meredith and laid the child in her arms. Then, losing no time but, pointing to the clock that was slowly nearing the hour, he said, in a voice tremulous with emotion: "De time is most here. Is you all ready to shek hands? Ef you is—everybody—turn round and come with me."

As he spoke, he turned back to the still open door, and before those who had followed had taken in his full meaning, he had drawn into the room a slim, shrinking figure, and little May Day Meredith, pale, frightened and weather-beaten, stood before them.

If it was her own father who was first to grasp her hand, and if he carried her in his arms to her mother, it was that the rest deferred to his first claim, and that their hearty and affectionate greetings came later in their

"I AIN'T NEVER FIRED HER BUT ONCT."

proper order. The striking of the great clock now, mingled with the sound of joy and of weeping—the congratulations, handshaking and words of praise fervently uttered—made a scene ever to be held dear in the annals of Simpkinsville. A scene beyond words of description—a family meeting which even lifetime friends recognized as too sacred for their eyes and hurried, weeping, away.

It was when the memorable, sad, joyous party was over, and all the guests were departing, that Prophet, following old man McMonigle out, called him aside for a moment. Then putting into his hands a small object, he said in a tremulous voice:

"Much obliged for de loan o' de pistol, Marse Dan'l. Hold her keerful, caze she's loaded des de way you loaded her—all 'cept'n de barrel. I ain't never fired her but one't."

THE END.

SUSTENANCE IN THE PEANUT.

It Is Something More Than a Circus Luxury.

It is not, even yet, generally known that the peanut which has been so popular for a long time as a semi-luxury—especially on circus days—is in reality a food material of remarkable sustaining power. This fact has been demonstrated by experiments in German hospitals, where the value of soup made from peanut meal—that is, the meal left after the oil of the nuts had been expressed for other purposes—was so fully demonstrated that the ministry of war of that great country is contemplating the introduction of peanut meal as a ration of the German army. The peanut, as is well known, is a herbaceous annual of the pulse family. It grows in the southern states, and throughout the tropics. It has one peculiarity which is worthy of mention. The plants bloom above the ground as is natural; but after the decay of the petals, the flower stalks, which alone bear fruit, bend over and penetrate the ground to the depth of several inches. On these the nuts grow, the plants being killed by the first frost, when the fruitage ripens.

"I THOUGHT you told me that Miss Brown had spent a great deal of money on her voice!" "Well, so I did." "But she can't sing." "Well, I didn't say that she could, did I?"—Truth.

"THE DOG HAD A SMOKE, TOO."

An Exhibition that Made Holiday Shoppers Pause with All Their Harry.

The one leisurely figure in the crowd was a young man in a long frock coat, embellished with a bunch of carnations, the most shining of shoes, and a tall hat scarcely less shining, who had a black spaniel attached to a chain. The spaniel would have liked to be leisurely, too, but he had to skip about with much agility to avoid having his paws trodden on.

In his saunterings the young man came to a little heap of packing boxes obstructing the sidewalk. He unfastened the dog's chain and whistled in a peculiar way. The spaniel leaped up on the highest box as if it were only a step, instead of four feet high, and sat up with one paw at salute. The hurrying shoppers stopped as if a brick wall had appeared in front of them, and gathered around the box. The young man took no notice of them.

"Now, my boy," said he to the dog, "we'll have a quiet smoke. Cigarettes or pipe?"

As he spoke he drew one of each of these articles from his pocket. The spaniel barked when the pipe appeared.

"Pipe, eh?" said his master. "You're very English, chappie, aren't you? Well, I'll take the cigarette myself."

He handed the pipe to the dog, who seized it in his teeth. Then the young man filled and lighted it, lighting his own cigarette with the same match. The dog held the pipe up and apparently puffed at it.

"Like it now, don't you?" said the young man; "but you didn't use to. How did you feel when you first smoked?"

Down dropped the pipe from the spaniel's mouth. He clasped his paws pathetically over his stomach; his ears dropped, his head hung down, and he looked the picture of misery. The crowd roared with delight.

"Why, what a crowd you've gathered, old man," said the master to his dog, in apparent astonishment. "You'll have to move on or the police will be after you. Now say good-by and hop down."

Straightening up, the performer made a military salute first to one side, then to the other, and with a joyful bark jumped down and joined his master as he sauntered on.

"What are you advertising, mister?" called one of the crowd.

But the young man only smiled.

A Church-going Thomas Cat.

Jack is the name of a Maltese cat of the Sly Thomas variety, whose home is in the little town of Milan, a sort of suburb to the city of Ann Harbor, Mich. Jack's penchant is going to church every Sunday. He is a good Presbyterian, and turns up his aristocratic Thomas nose if any of the family tries to tempt him into any other than the Presbyterian Church.

Jack's church-going proclivities date from a period about three years ago. His mistress started to church one Sunday morning, and not until she was at the door of the edifice did she observe that Jack was trotting along at her heels. It was late, and the organ was pealing out the first hymn of the service, so to turn back was out of the question.

"Will you be a good boy, Jack, if I take you in church with me?" and Jack nodded his head as though he understood.

He was picked up and concealed under his mistress's cloak and carried into the church and deposited on a seat in the pew. There he sat quietly and demurely throughout the entire service, purring to himself in a perfectly happy and contented manner and as if he enjoyed the novelty. Unlike many of the deacons, Jack did not once go to sleep, either, but remained awake and alert until the benediction was said.

The services over, Jack was again hidden away under his mistress's wrap and carried out of church, and no one knew that he had been present.

Long before the hour for going to church came around the following Sunday, Jack washed himself, licked his feet in a more than usually careful manner, and strutted around his mistress, brushing against her skirts and purring.

When she left the house to go to church Jack followed at her heels, and, as on the Sunday before, he was carried to his place in the pew under the protecting wing of his mistress's cape.

Extinction of the Antelope.

Upon the far Western plains the antelope, a few years ago so familiar a sight to the traveller by rail or wagon, has now almost wholly disappeared. In Colorado, Texas, and western Kansas shy bands, numbering from two or three to half a dozen antelope, are sometimes sighted, where fifteen years ago the herds were many and large. The extinction of these beautiful fleet creatures, seemingly so near at hand, will be less the result of systematic hunting, such as characterized the extermination of the buffalo, than the encroachments upon their feeding grounds by cattlemen and sheepmen with their herds, and the desultory shooting of sportsmen, ranchmen and cowboys, now so generally distributed over the plains, that the timid animals can find no place of security. In New Mexico the antelopes have almost wholly disappeared from the high plains east of the Rockies, where once they abounded, a few small herds in the southwest of the Territory being about all that remain within its limits.

Statistics.

"My good man," said the severe lady, "have you ever stopped to think how much money is wasted each year for tobacco and rum?"

"No, mum, I hain't," answered the object. "It's a-takin' up all my time jist now to figger out how many pore families could be supported on the price of the extra cloth women puts in their sleeves.—Indianapolis Journal.

She Was Bound to Tell the Truth.

A Wabash girl of 19, who recently eloped and got married took the precaution to paste the number 21 in her shoe so that, if the preacher asked questions, she could truthfully say she was over 21.—Indianapolis Sun.

Tit for Tat.

The man who drinks when he wants to will some day have to drink when he don't want to.—Ram's Horn.

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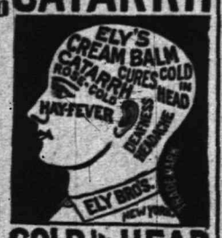

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THE BOOTH OF HIS RACE.

He Delights a Plainfield Audience, and Is Coming Back Again.

Bethel Chapel was well filled last evening with an enthusiastic and appreciative audience to listen to R. Henri Strange, the celebrated elocutionist and tragedian, who is styled the Booth of the Negro race.

The evening's entertainment commenced with a piano solo by Miss Alice Maynard. After another piano solo by Miss Maud Doyle, Rev. W. A. Alexander introduced Mr. Strange.

His first selection was "Smiting the Rock", a very pathetic poem which he rendered in a way to bring tears to the eyes of his hearers. But in the next selection, a recitation and song "The Low Backed Car", the tears were changed to laughter which threatened to raise the roof. So his selections continued, one pathetic and the next humorous. His character representations were very realistic, particularly that of the maniac, in which he entered into the spirit of his subject so thoroughly that his listeners were for the time carried away with the idea that he was insane. "The Death of King John" was also very well represented, the agony of the dying king being portrayed to perfection. During the intermissions between his selections, Miss Maude Doyle and Miss Mamie Hall each rendered several selections on the piano.

After the programme was concluded, it was announced that Mr. Strange would visit Plainfield again on some future day, and that his selections would be entirely new. Those that missed hearing him last evening should be sure to take advantage of the next opportunity, as Mr. Strange is certainly an artist.

It was announced that after the entertainment was concluded refreshments would be served. The greater part of the audience remained to enjoy the excellent refreshments provided, and a short talk with their neighbors and friends.

The efficient committee in charge of the refreshments consisted of the following: Mrs. George Henry, Miss Ida Henry, Miss Mamie Wally, Miss Emma Marcellus, Miss Lena Perry and Miss Stella Hill. Mrs. Walker acted as cashier.

Barely Won.

The Plainfield Bowling Club went to Cranford last evening and surprised themselves by bad bowling. Several times through the game defeat threatened them. The score by frames shows how closely they were followed, and then just escaped by eight pins.

The score:

P. B. C.		CRANFORD.	
VanEmburgh	170	Cox	147
Stephenson	139	Dobrman	142
Bamberger	147	Daymon	157
Maltby	139	Wilber	143
Petrie	180	Helliker	143
Wilbur	125	Voorhis	120
Doane	142	Sharp	136
Van Alstyne	138	Rogers	135
Waters	154	McConnell	127
Vail	125	Page	157
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Cranford..120 280 444 577 725 860 1002 1175 1321 1451

A Japanese in Plainfield Tonight.

The war between China and Japan, the contest between belated barbarism and modern civilization, is a subject which is full of interest to everyone—from the school boy, who gazes with amazement at the curious colored cartoons representing the Oriental conflict, to the philosopher, who seeks to know the causes of all events.

A rare opportunity to learn about this singular war, from an inside point of view, will be afforded this evening, when a native of Japan, now living in America, Rev. Watari Kitashima, Ph.D., will speak upon this subject in All Souls Church, Park avenue near Seventh street, at 8. Admission is 25 cents.

Types of American Life.

In the issue of Town Topics for Jan. 3 is begun the publication of an exceptionally interesting series of portraits, in colors, exact reproductions of handsome water-color sketches made from life. The portraits will be representative of the most distinguished "types" of American citizens, and will form a collection worthy of preservation. The originality of the artist's work and the unusual fidelity of the reproduction can hardly fail to surprise and delight people that have become wearied of finding conventional "pictures" in the periodicals of the day. The new portraits in Town Topics will be striking, unique and beautiful.

—S. E. Flower has taken the Miller drug store, opposite the postoffice, and will be pleased to see his friends and those desiring pictures framed, etc.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PLAINFIELD'S STREETS.

Annual Report of Robert A. Meeker, Commissioner.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Plainfield:

GENTLEMEN—I would herewith present to your honorable body my annual report of the work done and the moneys expended upon the streets of the city during the past year.

The work done has been principally in the nature of street cleaning, repairs and grading in anticipation of macadamizing after the sewers are laid and the trenches have been allowed to properly settle.

The only new macadamizing done during the year was on West Front street for a distance of 1,000 feet westerly from Grant avenue, one-half of the expense being borne by the property owners; and on Grant avenue between Front and Fourth streets, one-half of the cost being paid by the Plainfield Street Railway Company.

Street cleaning has occupied one-third of the time during the past year; this includes the two patrol hand-carts in constant use in the business centre of the city; these have proved so satisfactory to the merchants that I would advise the extension of this system throughout the more densely populated portions of the city. Beyond these limits we must use carts and horses, especially on those streets that are not macadamized and also on those that are only macadamized for a width of sixteen feet in the centre; while this latter is a great improvement upon the old dirt road it does not meet the necessities of the case in our thickly populated streets, which should all be macadamized from curb to curb, thus adding materially to the cleanliness, appearance and comfort of our streets.

One team is kept constantly going from point to point in the city repairing holes in the macadam, cleaning culverts and removing obstacles from the gutters and roadways.

The sprinkling of our streets should be done in a more systematic manner, both for the comfort of the public and the preservation of our macadam, for when the street is allowed to become too dry the binding material is loosened and converted into dust and the stones are then easily kicked out of place by every passing hoof; thus the road becomes filled with ruts and holes that must be repaired at once; on the other hand, if the road is too wet the binding is softened, thus the improper wetting of the streets causes us much extra expense for repairs.

The grading done during the past year is as follows: Midway avenue, better known as the old railroad bank, has been brought down to the level of the surrounding property between Fillmore and Johnston avenues, and the dirt thus obtained has been used to fill up the gravel pits and cover the ashes and other debris previously dumped there; in this work we employed the men furnished by the Citizens Organized Aid Association.

The other grading done was on the Rocap Hill on West Front street, Central street between South and LaGrande avenues, LaGrande avenue between Richmond and Central streets, Kensington avenue between Watchung and Prospect avenues, West Third street from New street to Plainfield avenue, Liberty street from Fourth street to the railroad, West Fourth street from Park avenue to New street, and Watchung avenue between Fifth and Sixth streets. The last was also re-macadamized.

Extensive repairs were required in the Netherwood district because of the great rainfall in the early Summer, which caused bad washouts on the hillsides and carried a quantity of material into the gutters in the lower lands, all of which had to be removed at once to prevent greater damage.

Many culverts have had to be enlarged to provide the greater water-way required by macadamized streets in good condition, viz: hard and smooth, and that therefore allow the water to run off quickly instead of absorbing a great portion into the surface upon which it falls.

Many new crosswalks have been laid to connect the flagging put down on the adjacent blocks.

There have been nearly 2½ miles of flagging, and a little less than two miles of curbing, laid and set during the past year under my supervision.

Madison avenue south of Ninth street has been graded so as to conform to the grade of adjacent streets. This was the proviso wisely insisted upon by the Street Committee before they would recommend the acceptance of the street by the city. This should be made the invariable requirement for the acceptance of any new street by the city, and property owners opening new streets should so grade them in justice to themselves and to the prospective purchasers, for there is no better nor cheaper time to grade a street than when the land is unimproved.

I call your attention to this matter because there are people living today upon so-called streets that have never been properly graded, the surface water running off into adjacent vacant lots, which system of drainage answers very well until said lots are filled up; then the water is forced into the street forming a pond, or mud hole at least, from which the property owner demands relief from the city and is surprised and indignant when informed that the road on which he lives is not an accepted street of the city. If the attention of the public was more particularly called to this subject there would be less of this penny-wise and pound-foolish system of opening streets through new property.

The work demanding prompt attention during the coming year is as follows, viz: West Front street throughout its entire length, with the exception of that portion macadamized this year, West Third street from Plainfield avenue to Madison avenue is ready for permanent improvement, the grading being done, the fences moved back to the estaolished side lines and the sewer laid; West Fourth street should be completed as soon as the sewer is laid through it; South avenue is very rough and should be repaired as soon as the weather will permit as it is the continuation of the much-traveled county roads; East Ninth street should also be macadamized as soon as the sewer trench is thoroughly settled: Plainfield avenue between Sixth and Seventh streets should be graded and remacadamized.

Washington street and some others in the heart of the city are in poor condition and require attention, but it is not advisable to do anything in the nature of permanent improvements until the sewers have been laid through them.

Street cleaning, including the removal of snow from the business streets, is, of course a matter that must be attended to, also the scraping and turnpiking of the forty-five miles of dirt roads within our corporate limits which must be done every Spring, and the removal of obstructions caused by storms, form what might be termed the perennial work of this department.

The following is the amount of flagging and curbing laid and set during the year:

Name of St. or Ave.	Sidewalks.	Curbing.
Plainfield avenue	2080	1610
West Eighth street	280	280
Liberty street	1280	930
Central avenue	630	625
Madison avenue	440	280
Arlington avenue	510	210
West Fourth street		525
Park avenue	80	180
West Front street	1430	1450
West Third street	650	650
Watchung avenue	410	70
Hillside avenue	210	
Third place	320	
East Fourth street	140	230
East Sixth street	50	
East Third street	1500	2000
Richmond street	295	250
LaGrande avenue	1180	
Second street	1060	200
Total	13015	9550

The moneys expended on the streets of the City of Plainfield during the year 1894 were as follows, viz:

Labor	$8,045 76	
Crushed stone	1,877 64	
Tools and suppl's	119 06	
Blacksmithing	134 68	
Crosswalks	509 93	
Culverts	1,105 80	
Rent	60 00	
Surveying	15 00	
Water	58 50	
Expense	22 06	
Sewer basins	39 28	
		$11,990 71
Amount received from assessments and sale of old material		600 76
Leaving am't expended by city		$11,389 95

Respectfully submitted,
R. A. MEEKER,
Street Commissioner.

Reform Club Installation.

The new officers of the Reform Club were installed last evening by H. N. Spencer. The attendance was unusually large, and a very enjoyable time was furnished. Following are the officers installed:

President—W C Smith.
1st Vice-president—M F Marcley.
2d " " —E B Titsworth.
3d " " —E Lanphear.
Sergeant-at-Arms—W C Smith, Jr.
1st Marshal—John Hensey.
2d " —George Rockafellow.
Financial Secretary—J W A Bauersachs.
Treasurer—J D Spicer.
Recording Secretary—W B Ayers.

The committees appointed by President Smith were:

Executive Committee—A M Vanderbeek, H N Spencer, Joseph Hubbard, Jacob Voehl, L Coddington.

Speaking Committee—J King, E B Titsworth, M F Marcley.

Printing Committee—J W A Bauersachs, Wm Ayers, John King.

The president was allowed one month to appoint a Finance Committee.

After the business had been transacted all adjourned to another part of the hall, where excellent refreshments were served by the women.

C. Y. M. L. Bowlers.

An interesting game was bowled on the C. Y. M. L. alleys last evening between the older and younger members. Following is the score:

TEAM NO. 1.		TEAM NO. 2.	
Higgins	148	T. Owens	134
Lynch	135	Kiely	140
Carty	146	Powell	108
Butscher	137	Reville	128
Mack	137	Watters	225
Delahanity	128	M. Owens	171
Guinee	142	D. Galbraith	134
Galbraith	145	Moran	96
T. Burns	137	Donnelly	132
M. Higgins	120	Mattox	105
	1375		1373

—At the regular meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., last evening, one member was initiated, and one proposition received. The installation of officers was postponed for one week, owing to the inability of District Deputy Charles I. Young to be present.

INDIANS MAKE MERRY.

Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Social and Dance, a Most Successful Affair.

The entertainment and dance given by Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Tribe, No. 193, I. O. R. M., at Sanger and Turn Verein Hall last evening, occasioned the assembly of over three hundred guests who enjoyed themselves until the wee small hours "tripping the light fantastic" to the excellent music furnished by N. H. Guttman.

During the early evening an entertainment was given by local talent which was most cordially received by the assembled friends.

The guests were received at the door by Brethren John H. Blimm and Harry C Runyon who were garbed in beautiful Indian costumes appropriate to the occasion. The decorations of the hall and stage were very tasteful and effective. Across the room hung a banner inscribed "Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Tribe, No. 193", and depending from the centre over the stage a shield bearing the words "In honor of the ladies who assisted at the late fair".

The entertainment, which was enthusiastically received by the large assembly, was as follows:

Introductory remarks by John H. Carney, P. G. H., who was the efficient Master of Cerrmonies; recitation, E. H. Neal, "The Polish Boy"; song, "When the Days Grow Longer", Dr. Bedford; humorous stories, M. J. Cashen; piano solo, Mrs. Fred Canfield; cornet solo, B. J. La Vere; Swedish dialect, W. S. Bullock; comic songs, Charles Ward, accompanied by Miss May Flanagan; Myers and Schroede, the Acrobats, in their famous Brother act; tableau, "True Redmanship", by members of the tribe in costume, assisted by little Miss Mamie Carney as the Angel; tableau, "Peace", by members in costume, assisted by Miss Ella Sebring as "The Goddess Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque", and Miss Carney.

The programme throughout was excellently rendered.

The thanks of the tribe are extended to Miss Sebring, Miss Flanigan, Mrs. Canfield, and Messrs. Ward, Cashen, LeVere, Myers and Schroder for their favors, and it is only necessary to add that their various specialties were rendered in the usual excellent manner.

The dance which followed was enjoyed by the large gathering, and the guests dispersed with hearty thanks to Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Tribe for the enjoyment given them.

The various committees are deserving of the highest praise at the successful issue of the affair, and the party was the most select gathering ever assembled in Sangerbund Hall.

Grand Officers Install.

A special convocation of Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M. was held last evening, at which Dr. H. O. Wagoner of Somerville, Grand King of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Jersey, and Joshua Doughty, Past High Priest of Keystone Chapter, Somerville, installed the newly elected officers. The Marked Masters Degree was conferred on two members. There was a large delegation of the home chapter present, also a number of visitors which included Robert Day, Stewart Hoffman, T. H. Hoffman, John Ringleman, and Richard Brokaw of Somerville; C. C. Howard formerly of Massachusetts, and F. K. Van Auken of Washington, D. C. At the close of the ceremonies all were invited to the banquet hall where a sumptuous supper was served.

High Priest—C. H. Rugg.
King—C. M. Ulrich.
Scribe—D. C. Adams.
Captain of Host—W. H. Sebring.
Principal Sojourner—Henry Woodland.
Royal Arch Captain—Edward Nelson.
Grand Master Three Veil—W. E. Alpaugh.
Grand Master Two Veil—C. H. Westphal.
Grand Master One Veil—J. T. Odam.
Treasurer—Henry Leifke.
Secretary—B. F. Coriell.
Chaplain—E. M. Rodman.
Tyler—I. D. TenEyck.

Sleighing by Trolley.

The latest in sleds is the double tandem observed by a Daily Press reporter last evening. It was attached to a trolley car. The merry little lads came to grief at the corner of Front street and Watchung avenue, their sleds catching in the rail and causing an amusing tangle of legs, arms and coasters. The entire party emerged from the snow unharmed, and, pulling themselves together, sought other vehicles to continue their sport of catching on behind.

Music Hall Changes Hands.

Isaac Varian, lessee and manager of Music Hall, has not been in town in several days, and today his son Robert C. announces a transfer of the control of the hall to R. C. Varian & Co. The "Co." is Joseph Sohl, who has associated himself with the junior Varian.

—The Victor Wheelmen did not meet last evening on account of the non-appearance of the members.

DURAND WINS.

Awarded $200 Damages, and Given a Complete Vindication.

Another Plainfield case was decided in Elizabeth yesterday. Frederick Durand of Plainfield sued the Sherman Outfitting Company and its manager for damages for false arrest and imprisonment. The case, as the testimony showed, was as follows:

Durand had purchased of the Sherman Outfitting Company some furniture under the installment plan. He was away in Canada for a while and the payments defaulted. The company took away the furniture. Durand on returning home was incensed, and went to the store. The manager was not in, but Durand expressed his wrath freely, and made the remark "that he had friends in Plainfield and would get even with the company". The next night or very soon after a plate glass window was broken in the store by some one throwing a stone through it. The manager suspected Durand of this offense because of his threat, and an hour after the breaking saw him on the street and ordered a policeman to lock him up. Without a warrant the policeman undertook to take Durand to the station house, but in passing where he lived it was shown by several witnesses that he could not have committed the offense, as at the time the glass was broken he was downstairs in the saloon under the rooms where he lived.

The policeman let him go, but the manager of the company had a warrant issued for his arrest. Durand was held until he got bail, and when he was tried was acquitted, his alibi being conclusive.

Judge VanSyckel granted a non-suit so far as the Sherman Outfitting Company was concerned, holding that it could not be held responsible for the unlawful act of its manager, as he was not authorized to cause Durand's arrest.

The case was proceeded, and finished yesterday.

The jury were out some time, when they returned with a verdict for Durand, assessing his damages at $200. This award is against the manager of the company.

The company had no witnesses whatever against Mr. Durand, and instead gave him a complete vindication, stating that they would cheerfully publish his exoneration in all the papers. This vindication he feels to be of more value than all the damages.

That Elephant.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—Speaking of the elephant—it is not exactly a live animal, but an awful big thing, and when we look out upon the street day or night that awful thing is before our eyes. It stands partly in the street and partly in the ditch. It hinders travel on that side of Fifth street, between Central avenue and New street, and entirely shuts off people from driving up to the enterance of one residence. It has stood there some three weeks, and through the holidays. It is the thing that the sewer contractors undertook to roll Fifth street with but did n't. Whoever is the owner, I do n't know; but whoever it may be, if he will prove property and pay for this notice, we shall not object to its removal.

FIFTH STREET.

Sunday Music.

Following will be the Sunday music in the First Presbyterian Church:

MORNING.

Prelude—Communion pour noel.....Devred
Anthem—"God so loved the world"....Stainer
Offertory—"O Lamb of God".....Holden
Communion service.

EVENING.

Prelude—Overture—Anthem 12.....Handel
At Evening.....Buck
Anthems—"Hear my prayer".....Winter
"Nearer my God to Thee".....Lieb-Schilling
Offertory—Selected.
Postlude—Offertorio in F.....Petrali

Service Omitted This Evening.

The regular Friday evening service at the Church of the Redeemer will be omitted this week, owing to the absence of the rector, Dr. Johnston, who was formerly assistant rector of St. Peters, the largest Episcopal Church of Albany. Dr. Johnston has gone to pay a short visit to his many friends in that place, and to preach for the rector of St. Peters Church Sunday. Dr. W. W. Page, formerly of the Church of the Heavenly Rest in this city, will officiate Sunday for Dr. Johnston.

The M. E. Revival.

The revival meetings that are being held in Vincent Chapel were continued last evening. The singing of the Drew Seminary quartette formed a very effective part of the service. There were short addresses by Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes and Mr. Rowe and Mr. Raymond of Drew Seminary. There was also a solo by Mr. Rowe, "Throw Out the Life-Line".

Tomorrow evening there will be a special meeting for the young people. Meetings will be held also this evening, Sunday and Monday evenings.

Wm. Jackson is Dead.

William Jackson, the Negro who was so badly frozen Wednesday night, died in Muhlenberg Hospital at 2 this morning. The remains have been taken charge of by A. Vanderbeek, overseer of the poor.

SANTA CLAUS LINGERS.

He Pays His Final Plainfield Visit to the First Church of Christ.

The Sunday-school of the First Christ and their friends gathered at their hall on West Front street last evening and passed a most pleasant time in celebrating their Christmas entertainment. A very large evergreen tree adorned with lots of pretty things caught the eyes of the little ones, as did also the old-fashioned chimney where Santa Claus was to make his appearance.

The exercises opened with singing by the school, after which Superintendent John Staats made a few remarks of welcome. Prayer was then offered by Elder B. W. Hand.

The programme was then given as follows: Recitations—"The First Christmas Night", Edith Wells; "We Have Found the Christ", John VanMiddlesworth; Singing by the School; "A Lesson Leaf", John Madden; "A Song of Gladness", May Frazee; "Peace on Earth", Belle VanNest; "The Christmas Song", Bertie Hand; "Christmas is Coming", Hattie Bush; "Our Willie", Henry Staats; Dialogue—"Wonderful Children's Day", May Frazee, Mabel Hand and Etta Staats; "The Collection", Robert Wells; "Santa Claus in the Mountains", Mabel Wilson; "Hurrah for Christmas", George Clicknor; "Christmas Carol", Katy Jeroiaman; "The Christ", Allie Van Nest; "Christmas is Here", Spencer Clicknor; "Christmas Stocking", Etta Staats; song, "Hark, the Bells Ringing", Sadie Hand; singing by the school; "Kris Kringle", Sadie Hand.

At the conclusion of the last recitation Santa Claus came down the chimney, in the person of David Bush, with a pack loaded with presents for all, and which were distributed.

The recitations given were finely rendered, and reflected much credit on the members of the school.

Among the presents given was a very handsome pair of kid gloves, which B. W. Hand received from his Sunday-school class.

The entertainment closed at a reasonable hour, and when the audience left they decided that they had enjoyed themselves very much.

OBITUARY.

Henry McLean.

In the death of Henry McLean of Liberty street, which occurred Wednesday, Plainfield loses an excellent citizen. He had been ill for the past eight weeks with Bright's disease, a great sufferer.

Mr. McLean was sixty-four years old, and had been in the employ of Charles Potter twenty-four years, having engaged with him in Norwich in 1871. Later on he worked for him in Hope Valley. He came to Plainfield between 15 and 16 years ago, and has resided here since that time. He had charge of the gear-cutting department at Potters, and was highly esteemed by his employer as a good workman. The only society of which he was a member was the Potter Press Works Aid Society. He was a regular attendant of the First Methodist Episcopal Church.

A widow, Sarah McLean, one daughter, Maggie, and two sons, Harry and James, survive him.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from his late home, corner of Orchard place and Liberty street, Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes officiating, and interment will be in the Methodist cemetery.

Minnie Lester All Next Week.

The sale of seats for Minnie Lester's Music Hall engagement opened at the box office this morning, and a steady stream of patrons has poured in and out of the lobby of the theatre ever since. From the present indications there will not be even standing room when the curtain rises on "Anne, the Dancing Girl", Monday night.

The business done by Miss Lester this season is phenomenal. According to the Gloversville Standard of Oct. 1, the attendance at the previous Saturday matinee and evening was over 3 000 paid admissions. This, for a town that gets the finest attractions on the road, and at the conclusion of a two-days engagement, would seem to be sufficient guarantee that Miss Lester has surrounded herself with a capable company.

By using a "lady's ticket" Monday night you can take your wife, your girl, or somebody else's girl free of charge, by complying with the simple directions printed on the ticket. There are no 50-cent seats (except the box seats) for this engagement, the prices remaining at 10, 20 and 30 cents. The management promise that the theatre will be thoroughly heated for this engagement; the steam will be turned on tomorrow morning and left on during Saturday, Sunday and Monday, thus insuring a comfortable evening to all attending, and every crack and crevice through which cold could intrude has been caulked with oakum.

—It seems hardly possible, but nevertheless it is true, that on an average every one-fifth person you meet wears W. L. Douglas shoes. Did you ever realize what an immense undertaking it is to supply one sample of wearing apparel to over one million people?

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

CONNECTICUT BANKS.

State Commissioners' Report Most Encouraging and Satisfactory.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 4.—The annual report of the state bank commissioners, addressed to Governor Coffin, has been made public. It shows the condition of the savings banks, state banks and trust companies on Oct. 1, 1894. The commissioners report that it is a most encouraging and satisfactory feature of the financial condition of this state to be able to show that Connecticut and its savings institutions have weathered the recent financial storm with so little permanent check or disturbance.

A marked increase is shown on loans secured by real estate mortgages, and the advances of collateral and personal securities have decreased.

Real estate loans increased $1,790,548 and collateral loans and personal loans decreased $1,680,031. Real estate held by foreclosure has decreased $34,212 and the cash on hand and in bank has increased $283,788.

There has been a total increase of deposits in savings banks during the year amounting to $2,961,638. There are 337,254 depositors in the state or about one for each two inhabitants and the total amount of deposits is $112,271. The sum of $5,293,047 has been declared in dividends during the year There are 186 depositors who have over $10,000 each to their credit.

The total assets of all the savings banks in the state are $146,020,795 and they have a surplus of $5,505,451.

CONDITION OF THE B. & O.

President Mayer Denies That the Company Is Harrassed by Debt.

Baltimore, Jan. 4.—President Chas. F. Mayer, of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company, has broken his long silence in reference to the rumors relating to his company's financial condition, and makes a sweeping denial that the property is harassed by debt or otherwise.

In answer to a query from a capitalist, who is largely interested in the road, he has written a significant letter, in which he calls attention to the fact that the fixed charges, car trusts, sinking funds, etc., due Jan. 1, amounting to nearly $1,000,000, were paid without borrowing a dollar.

"I name this fact especially," Mr. Mayer says, "because it is not unusual for us to make a loan for the unusually heavy payments Jan. 1. I doubt if the Baltimore & Ohio has owed so small a floating debt for twelve or fifteen years, perhaps longer, and it never had the large volume of stocks and bonds it now has, something over $16,000,000—not put down at their face value, but rather at their market value or far below their intrinsic value. I can safely say the road has not been in so strong a position as now for at least fifteen years."

THE LAST KING OF NAPLES.

Buried with Royal Pomp from the Church in Arco.

Vienna, Jan. 4.—Francis II., the last king of Naples, was buried yesterday from the parish church in Arco, the Tyrol. The weather, although cold, was dry and clear and an enormous throng of spectators gathered in the streets to see the procession. Everything was done with royal pomp. The chief mourners were the Duke of Caserta, Francis II.'s nephew, and his sons. They were followed in the procession by several princes of the house of Tuscany, the Duke of Parma, Prince William of Hohenzollern, and a few Neapolitan and Sicilian noblemen. The body was escorted by two battalions of Tyrolese cuirassiers.

Safe Crackers Put to Flight.

Bethlehem, Pa., Jan. 4.—While safe crackers were at work in Clauser's country store, five miles from here, they were susprised by Harry Clauser, aged 19 years, who slept over the store. Shots were exchanged and one of the burglars was badly wounded but made his escape. He could be traced ten miles by loss of blood. The burglars left a kit of tools and a quantity of dynamite sticks behind.

Capt. Howgate's Case.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Judge McComas has sustained the position of the United States district attorney in the Howgate case, holding that three new indictments found against Capt. Howgate, ex-chief of the signal service, for forgery and embezzlement, were not barred by the statute of limitations. The trial of cases on their merits was set down for Jan. 21.

To Manage the St. Louis Team.

St. Louis, Jan. 4.—A. C. Buckenberger, formerly manager of the Pittsburg baseball team, has closed a contract with President Von der Ahe to manage the St. Louis Browns for the coming season. Nearly all of the old players have been re-engaged, but Buckenberger will look out for a third-baseman and a catcher.

Gen. Baratieri Confident.

Rome, Jan. 4.—Gen. Baratieri, commander of the Italian forces in East Africa, has returned to Kassala after making a demonstration for several days against the Mahdista. He had with him a force of 5,000 men. He telegraphs that he awaits with full confidence any event and does not wish reinforcements.

Assistant Inspector General.

Albany, Jan. 4.—Gen. McLewee, the new inspector general on the staff of Governor Morton, has announced the appointment of Captain G. James Greene, of this city, as assistant inspector general, with the rank of colonel.

To the Memory of His Son.

Williamstown, Mass., Jan. 4.—Governor Sylvester Pennoyer of Oregon has endowed a scholarship of $3,500 in Williams college to the memory of his son, Horace Nathaniel Pennoyer, who died last November at the college hospital.

SIR JOHN THOMPSON BURIED.

Impressive Funeral Services Held in St. Mary's Cathedral.

Halifax, Jan. 4.—All the homage earth can bestow has been paid to the mortal remains of Canada's late premier, and the body has been committed to its tomb. The services at St. Mary's cathedral were the most solemnly impressive ever seen or heard in Canada, and were a fitting termination of the obsequies held in Great Britain by the direction of the queen and the imperial government.

Thousands of strangers from all parts of Canada were present. Among the visitors were many members of parliament, senators, judges and other high officials.

The body was conveyed privately from the council chamber, where it had been lying in state, to St. Mary's cathedral and placed in front of the altar. Accompanying the casket were the wreaths presented by the queen and her representative in Canada. St. Mary's cathedral was completely draped in a funeral hue. Lord Aberdeen, Col. Montgomery Moore and Lieut.-Govs. Daly and Chapleau occupied seats in the chancel. Lady Thompson occupied a position near the catafalque.

Archbishop O'Brien preached an eloquently impressive sermon.

At the conclusion of the sermon the procession formed. It extended over a mile in length. As the cortege moved through the streets it was the most imposing sight ever witnessed in Halifax.

Bishop Cameron, of Antigoniah, conducted the services at the grave.

EXTRA SESSION TALK.

A Statement That the President Has Not Considered the Question.

Washington, Jan. 4.—It is authoritatively stated that President Cleveland has not considered the question of an extra session, and that he does not believe an extra session will be necessary. The authority for this statement is a member of congress who talked with the president specifically upon this subject. This gentleman thinks that the revenues consequent upon the collection of the income tax, the sugar tax and from other sources, will within a few months give the treasury department a comfortable working surplus. He thinks it not improbable that Secretary Carlisle may be compelled to make another sale of probably $50,000,000 of bonds but that when this shall have been done the condition of the treasury will be so improved that no further trouble need be apprehended. The gentleman in question, while not approving the Carlisle banking bill, will vote for it, but says that its failure to become a law even if that should happen, need not cause any apprehension.

"We have struggled along," he said, "for a quarter of a century under the present law, and we can manage to exist under it comfortably until the next congress comes together."

TALKED ON THE CURRENCY.

Pro and Con Arguments Again Resumed in the House.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Less than 100 members of the house of representatives attended the first session of that body after the holiday recess.

Promptly after the call of the committees for report and the usual routine of the opening, Mr. Springer (dem., Ill.), made the motion in connection with which his name is now so well known, and the house, in committee of the whole, Mr. Richardson (dem., Tenn.) in the chair, was proceeding with the discussion of the currency bill, just the same as if no interruption had occurred.

The speakers were Messrs. Black (dem., Ga.), McCreary (dem., Ky.), and Buckner (dem., Ky.), in advocacy of the bill, and Haugen (rep., Wis.), and Adams (rep., Pa.), in opposition. An animated colloquy occurred between Mr. Adams and Mr. Warner (dem., N. Y.) respecting the operation of the McKinley law upon wages of Pennsylvania coal miners. The house then adjourned.

Carter Pleads Guilty.

New York, Jan. 4.—Edward R. Carter, the defaulting clerk of the National Bank of Commerce, who is charged with embezzling $30,000, pleaded guilty before United States Comissioner Shields, and was held for the action of the grand jury. He was taken down from Ludlow Street jail handcuffed to Charles Ross, the Englishman, accused of stealing in London. Carter has not yet secured bail.

Curtis Memorial Committee.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 4.—A committee has been organized in Charleston to co-operate with the New York committee in erecting a suitable memorial to the late George William Curtis. Judge Charles H. Simonton, of the United States circuit court, was made chairman of the committee and Arthur L. Jones secretary.

Mysterious Death of a Farmer.

Canajoharie, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Ira G. Dunkel, aged 63 years, a prominent and wealthy farmer of Ames, N. Y., six miles south of here, was found dead in his barn. His head was bruised and one of his eyes blackened, and it is not known whether he fell from the loft of the barn or was the victim of foul play.

Another Crossing Accident.

Sharon, Pa., Jan. 4.—James Bentley and Albert McKnight, while driving in a sleigh across the tracks of the Erie & Pittsburg railroad, were struck by a passenger train. Both were fatally injured.

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LAMBERT GETS A STAY

The Murderer's Life Saved at the Last Moment.

Justice Shiras Issued a Provisional Writ of Error Which Will Give Lawyer Semple Time To Establish His Claim That the Negro Is Legally Dead.

Camden, N. J., Jan. 4.—Theodore Lambert, the negro murderer, who was to have been hanged in this city yesterday, has cheated the gallows for the time being, although the scaffold was ready, the spectators had assembled and the coffin was yawning. The undertaker had made all arrangements. The execution did not occur because Justice Shiras, of the United States supreme court, issued a provisional writ of error which operates as a stay until March 4 and gives Lawyer Semple time to establish his claim, if it can be established, that the negro is already dead, legally, and has been a corpse in the eyes of the law since Dec. 13.

The technical point raised is the first of its kind in the history of New Jersey, and some prominent lawyers believe now that Lambert cannot be hanged.

The murderer had written about twenty farewell letters, saying in each that he had made his peace with God. His spiritual adviser was with him as the hour of execution approached. Lambert declared that he was ready to die. When the reprieve came, however, just half an hour before the trap was to be sprung, the man fell in a faint. When he recovered consciousness he clapped his hands and rolled his eyes in an ecstacy of happiness, and fainted again. Upon being revived a second time he hugged and kissed his lawyer, shouting hysterically, "Glory to God! Glory to God!"

Lambert's mother had already taken her farewell of him. When Lawyer Semple went to her home from the jail she asked:

"Is he dead yet?"

When told of the stay she fell unconscious, lying motionless, as if she had been shot through the heart. As soon as she was able to walk she ran to her son's cell, and they shouted hozannas together.

The contention that Lambert is already legally dead is based upon the following facts:

The date first set for his execution was Dec. 13. Lawyer Semple asked for a reprieve, which the governor at first refused, on the ground that he had no power in the case, as the thirty days' limit from the time of his conviction had expired. Lawyer Semple claimed that conviction dated from the time of sentence, which was Oct. 13, and not from the time of the rendering of the verdict, in which case the time since the sentence was only twenty days. The matter was referred to the attorney-general, and he took the same view of the case as held by Semple. The reprieve until Jan. 3 was then granted. After Dec. 13, the day on which Lambert was to be executed, had passed, Lawyer Semple took the opposite ground, that conviction did not date from sentence, but from the time of the rendering of the verdict. He held that the reprieve was made without authority, and was illegal, and that as the day set for the execution had passed Lambert was legally dead.

Semple first applied upon these grounds to Justice Garrison of the state supreme court, who refused a writ of habeas corpus; then to Chief Justice Beasley, who likewise refused, and then to Judge Dallas of the United States supreme court at Philadelphia, who referred the case to Judge Green of the United States court at Trenton. The hearing was set for Jan. 2. Judge Green was absent when the lawyer reached there, so Semple hurried to Washington, where he got the writ.

Lambert confessed eleven months ago to the crime for which he was sentenced—the murder of William G. Kairer, a wealthy Camden baker, on the morning of Dec. 4, 1893.

Murphy Beats Mackelwiski.

Cincinnati, Jan. 4.—Before 1,500 people in the Olympic Athletic club house last night Billy Murphy, the Australian, defeated Mackelwiski, in the most vicious fight seen here for years. As early as the sixth round Murphy had his man bloody and groggy, but Mackelwiski held out for three more rounds. Before the ninth round was finished the police stopped the fight and Murphy was declared the winner.

Duel to the Death.

Genoa, Jan. 4.—The Italian army officers Tofani and Vergori fought a duel to the death near the French frontier on Tuesday morning. Sabres were the weapons. The meeting lasted nearly an hour and was ended by Tofani's severing Vergori's carotid artery. Vergori died on the ground and Tofani is dying of loss of blood.

Fire in Coffeyville, Kansas.

Coffeyville, Kas., Jan. 4.—Seven three story buidings, including the new Masonic block, were destroyed by fire here. The loss aggregates $105,000, $60,000 of which is on buildings and $45,000 on stock. The aggregate insurance is about one half.

Robbed Himself.

Cincinnati, Jan. 4.—Assistant Cashier Frank Sparks of the postoffice, who created such a sensation yesterday afternoon by saying that he had been assaulted and robbed, has confessed that he stole the money himself.

Diphtheria at Camden.

Camden, N. J., Jan. 4.—Twelve cases of diphtheria have developed at the West Jersey orphanage in this city. Efforts are being made to secure antitoxine.

Actor Scanlan Not Dying.

New York, Jan. 4.—The report that Actor William J. Scanlan, who is an inmate of Bloomingdale insane asylum, is dying, is denied by the authorities.

Prosecutor Meehan Resigns.

Somerville, N. J., Jan. 4.—Prosecutor J. J. Meehan, of this place, has tendered his resignation. He says there is no money in the position.

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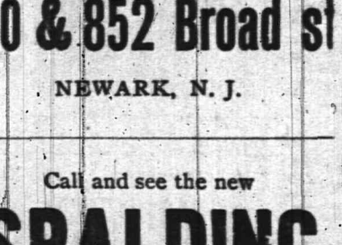

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Cruden, the compiler of the Bible Concordance, delighted in roast beef. "If you can get it cold, sir, with plenty of mustard, it is fit for the gods."

Napoleon III. was extravagantly fond of the Strasburg pates de foie gras. They were regularly sent from Strasburg for the imperial table in Paris.

Kant, the German philosopher, was content with the simplest food in small quantities. A bit of fish or an egg, with a piece of rye bread, made his meal.

Raphael lived principally on dried fruits, such as figs and raisins, eating them with bread. He had a theory that a meat diet was not good for a painter.

Gibbon delighted in toasted cheese. Late at night he would go to the pantry, procure a supply, and, returning to his room, would toast it before his own fire.

Vitellius, the Roman Emperor, was the most noted glutton of his time. He would eat all he could possibly hold, then take an emetic and begin over again.

Chopin had a weak stomach, and any food taken in large quantities was certain to disagree with him. For several years he lived almost exclusively on liquid diet.

Gray, the author of the "Elegy," was fond of apples. He always kept them in his room, and the fact that they decayed and smelt badly seemed to be no objection.

Claude Lorraine was fond of walnuts, and would spend half a day cracking and eating them, laughing and joking with his friends as he picked the meats from the shells.

Auber's table was provided with every dainty that the Paris market afforded. He was a great eater, but so thin that he once said: "All I eat seems to go to appetite."

Julius Cæsar, when at home, lived as luxuriously as other wealthy and noble Romans; when in camp, on the plainest fare, and not much of that. Pliny says that if Cæsar overate he fell into a lethargy resembling a fainting fit.

Marion, the American Revolutionary general, once feasted an English officer on sweet potatoes, baked in the fire by a darky: and served on a strip of bark, with a log for a table. It is said that the officer resigned and went home, say-it was no use to try to conquer people who could live on sweet potatoes.

Napoleon was not at all choice about his eating. When seated at the table, he would begin at once on anything that was nearest, and in ten or fifteen minutes he had made his dinner. He would eat anything, and, if hungry, in almost any quantity. The battle of Dresden failed of results through an attack of indigestion from an overdose of mutton dressed with onions. When at St. Helena he, for a time at least, had a Chinese cook, who made excellent blood pudding.

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Not relishing this, the fellow entered a complaint of assault and battery, upon which Walt was brought to trial and a jury impaneled. After the trial of the case the jury returned to court and were asked by the court what their verdict was. The foreman responded: "Didn't hit him hard enough." The judge insisted that this was no verdict, and remanded them to their room, but they again returned and announced the same decision, whereupon there was no course open to the judge but an acquittal.

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NEW ENGLAND MANUFACTURERS MIGRATE SOUTH.

Better Able to Compete in the Markets With British Spindles by Getting Near the Source of the Raw Material. A New Era Dawning.

The recent decision of two of the strongest cotton mill companies of Massachusetts to build large mills in the South to cost $500,000 and $600,000 is destined to have a far reaching effect upon the business interests of that section. It will also arouse New England people to a realization of the fact that their cotton manufacturing interests, which have been so largely instrumental in developing the wealth of their section, have probably nearly reached the limit of growth.

Of course mills now in existence will be eularged from time to time, and some few mills will be built for the production of the finest grade of goods. The real growth of this industry in this country will, however, be in the South. The success of the mills in that section has fully demonstrated that no other section can compete with the South in cotton manufacturing. Up to the present time most of the mills in the South have been established by local men with local money.

Southern men have displayed a peculiar aptitude for this industry, Southern capital has sought it as one of the safest and most profitable investments, and Southern working people have proved to be probably the best cotton mill hands, and all things considered, to be found in the country. For years a good many Southern people were sceptical about the ability of their section to become a great iron producing region, but none of them ever questioned the South's ability to make cotton goods at a profit.

Cotton has been the South's idol. Its worship in times past found expression in the production of the staple, but now it is turning to cotton manufacturing. In a large part of the South a cotton mill is now regarded as a necessary sign of progress in every enterprising community. Under many disadvantages the South has labored to build up its milling business. Limited capital and lack of experience, but especially the former, have kept the business from being overdone.

There has been no rush, no hurrah, no boom in this industry. Steadily and solidly it has been developed. Many companies that started in a small way have from time to time enlarged their plant or built new mills out of surplus earnings, accumulated after paying good dividends. Successful mill companies in Georgia and the Carolinas are now spending $2,000,000 in increasing their equipment and building new mills.

The New England people did not, until a year or so, have much faith in the future of this industry in the South. They would not investigate it carefully. Hence they did not understand the South's advantages. They believed that their cheap and abundant capital, their long experience and their intrenched position in the trade would enable them to hold their own forever. But the South went on building cotton mills, and these mills, much to the disappointment of the New England people, kept on paying dividends.

Even during the great depression of a year ago, while many Northern mills were closed Southern mills with rare exceptions, were run on full time. New England cotton manufacturs at last woke up. They commenced to investigate, and during the last twelve months there has been a revolution in sentiment as to cotton manufacturing in the South.

The statements regarding the advantages of the South for cotton manufacturing, and the predictions in regard to the future of this industry for a long time met only with ridicule on the part of our New England friends. Neither the press nor the people of that section were willing to admit that the South would be able to compete with the New England goods, even in the production of coarse goods. They claimed that it would be impossible for the South to build up its textile interest to the extent of proving a serious competitor with New England.

This position, however, has been gradually abandoned as far as coarse goods is concerned. It will not be very long before New England will have to admit that the South has just as many advantages for manufacturing the finer grade of goods as it had a few years ago for making the coarser grades. This position is now being empuasized by the course of events, and some of the New England papers are freely admitting all that has ever been claimed, so far as coarse goods is concerned.

Furnishing the raw material for more than one-half of the cotton spindles of the world, the South is no longer content to ship its cotton in its unmanufactured form. Manufactured at home it would be worth annually more than $1,000,000,000 instead of $300,000,000 as now. Such an industry as this alone would revolutionize the South. It would furnish employment for hundreds of thousands of hands, and create wealth on a greater scale than any other manufacturing interest has ever done.

Because of these facts, the realization by New England of the South's destiny as the coming cotton manufacturing centre, bringing about a co-operation of local and outside men and money in the great development of this industry, becomes a matter of more than national concern. Even Great Britain, now having one half of the cotton spindles in the world, must soon see that it has reached no limit of growth in this industry, and that henceforth progress in this line will be in the South.

Madam and Mrs.

Sir Charles Lyell says: "The title of 'madam' is given in Charleston and the south of the United States generally to a mother whose son has married. The daughter-in-law then becomes 'Mrs.' By this means they avoid the inelegant phraseology of 'old Mrs. A.'"

This is also to some extent the custom in some parts of the Pacific Slope. It should be more generally adopted, for no mother-in-law wishes to be known as "old Mrs." Woman's sensitiveness as to age is apparently as old as humanity, for Sarah is the only woman whose age is mentioned in the Bible.

Method in His Madness.

"What are you learning to sing?" Willie—"Sweet Marie."

"Goodness! that's been sung to death long ago."

Willie—I know, an' the folks will pay me to stop singin'.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

MODERN RUFFIANISM.

Puritanism and Rascality Unite in Persecution.

That part of Sullivan county, New York, which borders on the county of Delaware on the northwest is fast gaining an unenviable reputation as a region where ruffianism shows itself in its worst forms. For the last two years there have been stories of outrages committed by lawless persons in the towns of Rockland and Fremont under the guise of White Caps.

The recent tarring and feathering of Charles Berry and his wife in the mountains north of the little town of Acidalia, was the most brutally conducted of many outrages by White caps in either Sullivan or Delaware county.

Berry had by hard work accumulated a small sum of money, and was very religious. These were offences in the eyes of some of the rougher element of the neighborhood, and consequently they undertook to punish him.

Mrs. Berry became the mother of a child about a month ago. A week afterward the baby died. The old women of the neighborhood, who filled the house of the Berrys shortly after, found a mark on the dead infant, and pronounced it a witch's mark, and the story was speedily spread that a witch had caused its death.

This was made the pretext for the visit of six men to the Berry home. They took Mr. Berry from his bed and dumped him in the snow, stripped him of his garments, and while he begged and prayed for deliverance they daubed him from head to foot with tar. One went into the house, ripped open a feather bed, and the ruffians covered their victim with the feathers.

They then re-entered the house and tore the clothing from Mrs. Berry, and despite her screams and pleadings for mercy, they smeared her with tar and sprinkled her with feathers.

When the story was first made public it found few believers, but those who live in Long Eddy, a station on the Erie Railway, about ten miles distant, declare that all that has been told of this barbarous treatment of the Berrys is true. In one instance they broke up a religious meeting out of sheer wantonness. In another they took umbrage because the teacher of the public school refused to drink and carouse with them and they succeeded in greatly demoralizing the school.

At Livingston Manor, a station on the Ontario and Western Railroad, about twenty miles east of Acidalia, there have been several White Cap outrages. Samuel Landau, a New York clothing dealer, was one of the first victims. He started a clothing store in Livingston Manor last June and undersold the local merchants. He received threatening letters bearing a skull and cross bones, and his house was finally bombarded with heavy timber by masked men until the annoyance became so great that he had to return to the city.

Then followed the persecution of John Carl, a music teacher, who was ducked in the mill pond one night by White Caps for being drunk. Upon promising to reform he escaped further molestation.

Patrick Edwards was ducked in the Willowemoc for a similar offense and told to leave town, which he did. Next was Benjamin Hitt, a farm hand. He incurred the displeasure of the White Caps and was notified to leave. He took the advice.

At Kingsbury Hill, just over the Sullivan county border, in Delaware, the White Caps appeared on October 5 before the house of Emmet Morse and threatened to blow up the building with dynamite. Morse, it was charged, had taken seventeen year old Mary Root from her husband, to whom she had been married less than a year. Morse barricaded his house and armed himself and Mary with shotguns, and bade defiance to the band. They held a council of war and decided to retreat.

Another White Cap outrage has been reported from Wolf Hollow, a little place in the mountains of Monroe county, Pa., near Stroudsburg. "Ike" Brewer, with his family, lives in Wolf Hollow. In the summer he peddles blackberries, corn and vegetables, and is known by almost every man, woman and child in the two Stroudsburgs. He is said to possess a snug little competence. His home was visited on Saturday night by a band of White Caps. They wore white pillow cases over their heads. They surrounded the house about midnight and woke up Brewer, who appeared at the second story window. When he saw their masks he sprang from the window, and ran to his brother's house, a half mile away, attired only in his night garments.

HOW TO BUY A HORSE.

Don't Trust Even Your Brother's Honesty in a Horse Trade.

An old horseman says: "If you want to buy a horse, don't believe your own brother. Take no man's word for it. Your eye is your market. Don't buy a horse in harness. Unhitch him and take everything off but his halter, and lead him around. If he has a corn or is stiff, or has any failing, you can see it. Let him go by himself, and if he walks right into anything, you know he is blind. No matter how clear and bright his eyes are, he can't see any more than a bat. Back him, too.

Some horses show their weaknessess or tricks in that way when they don't in any other. But be as smart as you can, you'll get caught sometimes. Even the expert gets stuck. A horse may look ever so nice and go a great pace, and yet have fits. There isn't a man who could tell it until something happens. Or he may have a weak back. Give him the whip and off he goes for a mile or two, then all of a sudden he stops on the road. After a rest he starts again, but he soon stops for good, and nothing but a derrick can start him.

If a horse stands with his feet spread apart or straddles with his hind legs, there is a weakness in his loins and the kidneys are disordered. Heavy pulling bends the knees. Bluish, milky cast eyes in horses indicate moon blindness or something else. A bad tempered one keeps his ears thrown back; a stumbling horse has blemished knees. When the skin is rough and harsh and does not move easily to the touch, the horse is a heavy eater and digestion bad. Never buy a horse whose breathing organs are at all impaired. Place your ear at the heart, and if a wheezing sound is heard it is an indication of trouble.—Scientific American.

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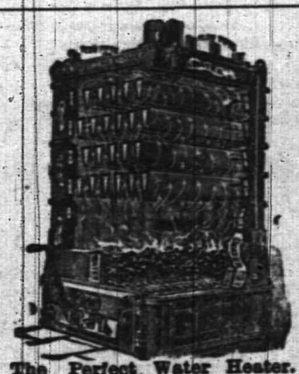

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

THE WEATHER.

Fair, Decidedly Colder, Northwesterly Winds.

The Daily Press has long felt that a practical sanitary plumber ought to be added to the otherwise admirable Board of Health. Especially since the sewers are to become a feature of Plainfield's municipal progress is there need of such a man on the Board. The wisdom of this suggestion will commend itself to the thoughtful consideration of those who know the value of practical knowledge of mechanical detail in sanitary work.

The new Common Council should make speedy endeavor for the completion of Westervelt avenue. The entrance to that thoroughfare has too long been a lopsided eyesore. If the Councilmen turn their earnest attention to completing the western side of the avenue and making it presentable and passable, it will find the task not such a bugbear as has been painted. Past Councils have shunned the prospective improvement because it is understood that a private property-owner holds a strip of land along the western side of the roadway where the sidewalk ought to be. In that event, why not condemn the land, pay the price, and establish the improvement which has so long been crying to be made?

The Board of Trade has an opportunity to distinguish itself in the matter of connecting Madison avenue and Duer street. Since the postoffice is to be established in the Babcock Building the long-deferred project takes on new importance, and the borough and city ought speedily to have the extension established giving an open highway at this now important commercial centre. The Board of Trade has not developed much activity along the line of its name; and if it wishes to live down its nickname of Board of Bowling it should bestir itself in vital matters of this kind and work with all its power to establish just such public improvements. It has the power; now is the time to exert it. No better thing awaits its advocacy than the Madison avenue extension.

TWO CHILDREN SMOTHERED.

An Unexplained Fire That Broke Out After Their Mother Locked Them In.

Two children, four and five years old respectively, were suffocated in a tenement-house, 434 East Seventy-sixth street, New York, which caught fire shortly after 8 this morning. They had been left in bed by their mother, who locked them in while she went out to collect a bill. When she returned she found flames pouring out through the transom of her door, and, afraid to enter, ran for a policeman. The children's names are John and Michael Berberick.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

Mr. Travell gave his regular Friday morning talk this morning, speaking on the republics of the world, and reading an account of the small republic of Andorra. Pictures of this republic were placed on the Kappa Delta Phi bulletin board.

The joint committee on school colors met at recess. After some discussion it was decided to select several colors and put them to vote before the whole school. The color groupings suggested were red and white, maroon and steel-grey, purple and white, green and white, and red and dark blue. The vote will be taken next Wednesday morning.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

David H. Lexox is spending the Winter in New York.

John Kriney is ill at his home on Clinton avenue.

Charles Tallman is confined to his home by illness.

John F. Wilson is confined to the house with a severe cold.

Mrs. S. A. Davis has gone to Jersey City for three weeks.

The engagement is announced of Miss Lucy Rafferty to William Fiering.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Kersting yesterday afternoon.

Nicholas W. Conway of Jersey City is visiting among his old Plainfield friends.

Walter B. Rittenhouse of East Sixth street has returned to his studies in Stevens Institute of Technology.

Isaac Corlell and family of Mount Horeb have moved to their new home, 12 Grandview avenue, lately purchased by Mr. Corlell.

Clarence Teel will leave Jersey City tomorrow evening in a special car chartered by the New York trade for Chicago, where he will represent the Climax Bottle Stopper Company at the Cycle Show.

Rev. Dr. C. B. Mitchell of Kansas City, whose New Year's visit to Plainfield has been a delight to his old parishioners, does not leave for home till tomorrow. He is the guest today and tonight of George H. Burgess, 1057 Central avenue.

Miss Carrie Beekman of the Commercial Palace was given a surprise at her home in Evona last evening, when the time was passed in a pleasant social way. It was arranged by Mrs. Kelley and Miss Morton. Those present from Plainfield were Miss McKillop, Miss Morton, Mrs. Kelley, Harry Yaeger and Frank Havens.

A surprise was given Adam Waglow of New Market, Wednesday evening, in honor of the fifty-second anniversary of his birthday. Those present were: David Blackford, Frank Nelson, David Lawson, B Pizie, J Stein, Mr and Mrs Winges, Miss Danz, Herman Danz, and D Boantree. Dancing was indulged in, for which Lawson furnished the music. A collation was served during the evening.

—All the hardware stores in town will close at 7 p. m., except Saturday, until further notice.

—Mr. Walsh's dancing class will not meet this evening on account of the illness of the teacher.

—The lad who was stunned by the upsetting of Carl Kaerth's sleigh yesterday turns out to be not seriously hurt, and is at work today.

—Muslin underwear for 25 and 50 cents is cheap enough, and cheaper than ever before. Boehm is making a great specialty of these bargains.

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Profits of Physic in England.

Some idea of how much money a successful doctor in England may accumulate in the course of a long life is shown by the sworn statements made to the probate office of the personal property they leave. In the last five years sixty-five doctors have left $3,500,000, an average of £50,000, or $250,000 each. This is in part due to careful investments. Sir William Gull, who was physician in ordinary to the Queen and the Prince of Wales, when he died, at the age of 74, left a fortune of $1,720,000. He once spoke of making over $65,000 in a single year. Seventy-five thousand dollars is probably as much as any doctor or lawyer can possibly make in England, and not more than half a dozen men probably in each profession average more than $50,000 a year. Of 32 doctors in the list whose ages were given, one was 93, eight more were 80 or over, and eleven were between 75 and 80. Sir Andrew Clark, President of the College of Physicians, left over a million, Sir Oscar Clayton $750,000, Dr. Armitage, a blind man, over a million. Dr. Morell Mackenzie, who was 55 when he died, left only $110,000. Seven estates only out of the sixty-five exceeded half a million dollars.

Putting Herodotus Right.

Recent discoveries in Africa have attended to prove that Herodotus, the father of history, was not also the father of lies. The four lakes from which the Nile rises have been shown to exist. Stanley's Ruwenzori Mountains take the place of the Mountains of the Moon; the pigmies live in the equatorial forests, and now Signor Robbecci Bricheti, the Italian explorer of Somali land, tells of a degraded race which he has found on the shores of the Indian Ocean, without weapons or proper dwellings, living exclusively on fish and bivalves, whom he considers the descendants of the fabulous Ichthyophagi, or fish eaters, described by the old Greek historian.

Knew What He Was About.

And now a ghost has made its appearance in the young ladies' seminary at Delaware, Ohio. That ghost understands his business. If we were a spook we wouldn't fool around graveyards.—Hudson (N. Y.) Register.

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A MODERN PRINCE.

FAIRY-LIKE REVENGE VISITED ON HIS HEAD.

The Romantic Story Ended in America at an Auction Store in a Most Unromantic Way, Owing to the Prince's Gambling and Other Vices.

Oscar Wilde said that the worst part of owing blue china was that one had to live up to it. The Prince Alexandrovitch Galitzine, who came from Paris about three seasons ago, owned one of the finest collections of blue china in existence, but he failed to live up to it, for the entire lot, together with an immense collection of bric-a-brac, bronzes, furniture and rare paintings, was recently sold at auction to satisfy the Prince's formidable array of debts, which, be it said, he has contracted in wooing the god of chance, and incidentally enriching bookmakers at the race tracks.

The Prince comes from a royal Russian family, and for the last few seasons has been courted by society in New York and at Newport. Before he came to the metropolis he had electrified gay Paris by the magnificence of his establishments, the gorgeousness of his carriages and the extravagance of his entertainments.

His feasts rivalled the spreads of the most noted epicures and his guests carried away diamonds and other precious stones as souvenirs of their visits. The Prince, young and handsome and the leader of a gay and titled set, made the fashion.

The news of his wild life and of his extravagant manner of betting, as well as other particular doings which set the city talking, caused some of the royal persons with whom he was a pet to turn from him. The result was that Prince Alexandrovitch shook the dust of the Bois de Bologne from his patent leathered feet and came to New York.

Here his fame had preceded him, and a certain romantic story was told in many swagger boudoirs. It was this: Anna, of Russia, who was a beautiful and capricious queen, once fell in love with one of her courtiers, a noble prince of the realm, whose blood was as blue as many generations of nobility could make it. She was not coy in expressing her attachment, and, although she was married at the time, she delicately expressed to him her wish that they might love forever and aye, and laughed at any restraints which convention had placed upon such a union.

The Prince, whose ideas of love were still young and beautiful, declined the offered favors, and Anna, of Russia, set about to concoct a scheme of revenge.

She hit upon a most fiendish one. The night that the haughty but injudicious Prince refused her last appeal for his love she issued a mandate that on the morrow he be married to the lowest scullion in the royal kitchen. The marriage was performed, and the wretched bridegroom and his wondering spouse were conveyed to an ice palace, where it was supposed they would die during the night.

But the scullion had a heart and soul, despite her low station, and she set to work to preserve the beautiful young Prince. She succeeded so well that on the morrow Anna, of Russia, heard that the couple were still living.

She sent them to Siberia, and there the Prince was seized with a fever, and when he recovered he heard that the cruel Queen was dead, and he and his bride, whom he had learned to love on account of her devotion to him and her heroism, were allowed to return to Russia, where they came into their own again.

The present Prince Galitzine, who fluctuated between Newport, Tuxedo and New York for the last few seasons, was looked upon with favor by chaperones and mammas. The news of his immense wealth and rumors of the magnificent establishment which he intended starting in the city this winter caused him to be courted everywhere, for, of course, a young society Prince would entertain lavishly if he took a house and furnished it with all the priceless art treasures which were in storage waiting for use.

Then the young Prince's gambling losses began to be talked about. The family jewels, which had been given in charge of his banker, were one by one pledged for thousands of dollars, for the jewels are magnificent, and are said to be worth millions.

The final blow came when the furniture, paintings and art treasures were placed in the rooms of a New York auction house for public sale. The last of the Galitzine diamonds had been pawned, and there was nothing left to do, for the fact is the Prince is in pawn. Only a short time ago his sister wrote him from Russia that he could return and claim another vast estate which awaits him there, but when he applied for his passport to the Russian Consul he found himself so much in debt to that personage that he could not leave the country.

Hair Growing on a Horse Blanket.

Mr. William H. Forbes of Spencer Corners, Fulton county, N. Y., is the possessor of a very old horse blanket, which differs from its fellows in that it has a well-defined coat of hair in various stages of development, alive and growing. While possibly of a finer and silkier texture, it is an excellent reproduction of a horse's coat, which the blanket formerly covered.

Mr. Forbes first discovered this peculiarity in October last, when taking it down from the peg in the barn, where it had hung undisturbed during the summer. He was naturally greatly astonished to discover two patches of growing hair, one on either side, where it had been exposed to the light and air. The hair is of a bright bay color and is now fully an inch in length. Probably the most peculiar feature of the affair, however, is the fact that the hair has spread from the two patches until it has entirely covered the blanket with a fine growth, varying in shade and color. It has not only been subjected to a critical inspection by several reputable men, but it has undergone a microscopic test by two prominent physicians, of whom Dr. Henry C. Finch of Broadalbin makes affidavit, before Judge Gardner, "that the hair now growing on the blanket is true hair, and that the roots of the same are alive and in process of development."—Albany Times-Union.

Edison's Time Not Up Yet.

An English reviewer says that "Thomas Alva Edison is, perhaps, the most marvelous and characteristic achievement of the American continent. He has invented more things at 47 than any other man ever invented in a whole lifetime, but he is not used up."

It is interesting to learn that Edison's great grandfather died at 102, his grandfather at 103, and one of his aunts at 108, while his father is alive at 90.

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Ditts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE, Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet, and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN, 214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT, 304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

Plainfield, N. J.

THE NEW YEAR

Calls on you to trade

AT PECK'S.

Calendars, Diaries, New Year's Cards

R. C. RAND,

140 West Front st.

SEBRING, CLOTHIER,

Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.
$15 suits for $10.
$12 ulsters for $8.50.
$15 overcoats for $10.
Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

12-6-y

NOW IS THE TIME

To order your winter supply of

COAL.

We have completed our large plant on South avenue and are prepared to supply you with the best quality of Lehigh in the market. Also

Bluestone Flagging and Curbing.

12 large barrels best kindling wood for $2.
Leave orders at office, 171 North avenue, opposite depot.

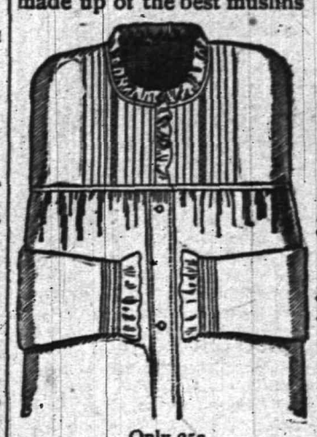
No. 2 Coal, $4 ton. M. POWERS & SON.

Residence, South avenue, near Berckman street. 5 29 tf

GREAT UNDERWEAR SALE MONDAY Jan. 7.

Great sale of 25 & 50c Muslin Underwear MONDAY, Jan. 7.

This sale will continue for one week at these prices You can save 50c. on every dollar's worth you buy. Every article brand new and made up of the best muslins



Only 25c.

Great sale of 25 and 50c Muslin Underwear MONDAY, January 7.

This is the time of year when you should buy muslin underwear. The bargain seeker will take advantage of this sale, because they know a good thing when they see it.

Great sale of 25 & 50c Muslin Underwear MONDAY, Jan. 7.

During the dull season merchants will sell goods at a small profit to force business We are satisfied with no profit; we do this to keep up our record.

MONDAY, JAN. 7.

Only 50c.

This is not a one article sale, but includes corset covers, skirts, night dresses and drawers; we have 100 dozen of each price and can easily suit you; we are sure to have a rush on these goods. To avoid this you should call early.

Ask for a card that will entitle you to an elegant piece of furniture when your purchase aggregates $10, $15 or $25.

BOEHM'S, 113 West Front Street.

Here It is Again!

The very same, this year, last year, next year.

The Eighmie Shirt.

Best in the business and just as cheap.

HALLOCK, Men's Outfitter,

109 West Front street

PUTNAM & DeGRAW,

Headquarters for

Underwear and Dressmakers Supplies

210 West Front Street.

BOICE, RUNYON & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Lumber. Coal. Mason's Material. &c.

Our stock is under cover and we can always deliver dry stock. Agents for Adamant Wall Plaster. Orders solicited.

BOICE, RUNYON & CO.

KILLED BY ELECTRICITY.

Result of Seizing a Strongly Charged Wire.

Frank Murphy, 22 years old, was instantly killed at 7 this morning by seizing an electric-light wire on the roof of the train-shed of the Pennsylvania Railroad in Jersey City. No one knew of his presence on the shed or what had happened until his body was seen to drop from the peak of the shed to the tracks, 50 feet below. His hands were badly scorched.

Murphy, who was a galvanizer by trade, was out of work. It is supposed that he had climbed on the shed to ask some men who were repairing the roof about getting employment with them. He must have taken hold by mistake of one of the "feed" wires from the company's electric light plant at Greene street, which run to the peak of the shed.

INCOME TAX TO COME OUT.

Jersey Central Stockholders Lose It in Their Dividends.

The directors of the Jersey Central Railroad Company have decided to deduct from the earnings a sum equal to the amount of the income tax which the holders of stock would have to pay on dividends received by them during the year.

TRUESDELL, SPRETER & CO. FAIL.

The Big Eighth Avenue Dry Goods House Makes an Assignment.

Truesdell, Spreter & Co., retail dry goods dealers at 287-295 Eighth avenue and 307-309 West Twenty-fourth street, New York, made an assignment today.

The liabilities are reported to be in the neighborhood of $100,000.

Assets of $118,000 are claimed.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Past Commander Asa Collier installed the officers-elect of Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G. A. R., last evening.

—John Lloyd Thomas will speak in Music Hall, Sunday at 4:15 p. m. Mr. Thomas is a speaker of national reputation.

—Masker, the plumber, has rented a portion of the office used by William Thickstun the real-estate dealer of North avenue.

—The Ladies Aid Society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church cleared over $50 for their treasury, by the Brown Glee Club concert.

—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaeding was found dead in bed between them when they woke up in the morning. It had died of sprew.

—Senate Lodge, No. 3542, Knights of Honor, met last evening and heard the reports for the past year from the officers. The newly-elected officers will be installed January 17.

—The Park Club Whist Commitee makes the following announcement of ladies nights: January 15 and 29, February 12 and 26, March 12 and 26, and April 9 and 23.

—Eight lots out of the fourteen of the Hilts property on Fourth and Seventh streets have been sold, and those remaining will be sold next Monday afternoon at 2, at Carey's auction rooms.

—George Henry is hoisting by horse and tackle lumber for the completion of the interior of the top story of the Babcock Building. Boice, Runyon & Co., are supplying the lumber.

—Despite the threatening weather the skaters were out in force yesterday afternoon. Johnston's and Hyde's ponds seemed to be the favorite resorts. At night they were crowded.

—Scott Mollison, driver for George Stevens, mesmerized a wild rabbit yesterday and caught it with his hands. As it refused to eat Mr. Stevens's cabbage it was released and scampered away to find its burrow.

—A brother of Eugene Everit of 415 La Grande avenue was taken to Morris Plains yesterday afternoon, suffering from mental derangement. His trouble was brought on by brooding over financial reverses.

—The truckman unloading the 6-horse-power electric motor for The Sabbath Recorder jammed it, unfitting it for use. It was taken to Garwood to be repaired. The Recorder has put in an elegant new Potter press, and its plant in the Babcock Building is finely equipped.

—Dr. D. W. Nolan was called at midnight to attend a valuable gray horse belonging to Smalley Bros., which was suffering from a severe attack of tympanetis. Under the doctor's skilful treatment the horse soon became easy, and this afternoon is in good condition again.

—A son of B. Fosgate was skating on Martine's pond, New Year's Day, when he was hit with a shinny stick over the eye and badly cut. He bled profusely. After kind friends fixed him up, he went home to his mother and said "Look at my New Year's present; I play shinny no more."

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

A PECULIAR MAYOR.

ECCENTRIC ACTS THAT HAVE MADE PINGREE FAMOUS.

His Municipal Circus, with City Officers as Clowns and Members of a Kazoo Band, Organized to Help Out His Potato Patch Scheme.

Mayor Hazen S. Pingree, who has been elected Mayor of Detroit three consecutive times, widely noted for his eccentricities, is to-day a unique political figure in Michigan, says a Detroit correspondent of the Chicago Tribune. Recently he has become nationally prominent as the first mayor to secure a 3-cent street railway fare in the United States. This was accomplished after a three years' war with the Detroit Citizen's Street Railway Company.

Recently the mayor came out in a bread crusade. The bakers were robbing the people; there was a bread trust, he said. He wanted the price of bread reduced to a three-pound loaf for 5 cents. If it wasn't he swore he would start a bakeshop himself.

One day last summer the mayor was driving with Mrs. Pingree on the boulevard. She remarked it was pity so much waste land as adjoined the boulevard should lie idle when there were thousands of poor people suffering for food. The next day the mayor visited real estate men and capitalists, and before night had secured permission to use free over 1,000 acres of land. He appointed an agricultural commission, and within a week had 945 poor families planting potatoes, grains and vegetables.

There were 3,000 applicants from the poor for land, but the season was so late only 410 acres of land were cultivated. There were 14,475 bushels of potatoes alone raised, valued at $14,000.

And it cost the city $3,600. To defray this cost the mayor started a municipal circus. A strolling circus was chartered and grounds rented, Aldermen dressed in outlandish costumes, the City Comptroller made into a ringmaster, the President of the Common Council into a clown and the City Assessors into a kazoo band.

With rakes, shovels, drums, goat teams and all sorts of outlandish rigs, the municipal circus paraded the streets, the City Comptroller at the head on a donkey three feet high. This circus did not pay as well as expected, and the mayor then raised the remainder of the expenses of his poor farm exclusively from city employees by subscription, really an assessment.

The mayor favored a municipal lighting plant. He had a strong local electric lighting company to oppose. It fought him in the Legislature, opposing the passage of an enabling act. Finally the lighting bonds were authorized.

HAZEN S. PINGREE.

Two years ago the mayor secured the passage of an act giving him veto power over the School Board. He vetoed certain school furniture contracts. There was a long delay in the Board of Education over the matter of awarding the contracts. One night recently the mayor appeared before the Board and made a dramatic speech, charging the school inspectors with receiving bribes. One of the inspectors was convicted in the courts, one was acquitted, another attempted to commit suicide, and is soon to be tried, and a fourth left the city, forfeiting his bail bond.

The mayor started a war against the local gas company. He found a clause in the company's charter specifying that the company should sell gas as low as sold in certain other cities. He refused to pay his gas bill, and demanded a rebate in accordance with the price of gas in the cities specified in the company's charter. He publicly advised all gas consumers to do the same, and there were numerous consultations and finally a compromise between the city and company by which a large reduction in the price of gas has been gained, with many minor provisions benefitting the general public.

The mayor wants to build a city hall and county buildings which will last a century. He recently chloroformed his carriage horses, as he did not want to feed them during the winter.

Among other things the mayor has secured a higher taxation of lands, a public bath house at Belle Isle Park, a reduction of the price of ferryboat rides, the placing of an improved girder-grooved rail in the street for street car tracks, an infinitely better system of public sewers and a much better class of pavements.

Patti and Queen Victoria.

Last week for the first time Queen Victoria heard Adelina Patti sing. This will sound strangely to the many who do not know that for many years there has not been the kindliest feelings between Her Majesty and the famous singer. The coolness arose when Patti declined to recognize the Queen's right to command her to appear before her. On that occasion she said:

"There are many queens, but there is only one Patti!"

The trouble, such as it was, must have been fixed up. Patti is now in her fifty-third year, and has, of course, lost much of her charm. For forty years she has been before the public as a professional. Yet the Queen should account herself happy to have heard the wonderful singer even in the decline of her powers. —Chicago Record.

No Time for Her.

Prof. Potterby—Have you ever devoted any study to the new woman, Mr. Grogan?

Mr. Grogan—Oi hov not. The ould woman is enough to kape me busy studyin', sure.—Indianapolis Journal.

R. MURRAY, M. D., Surgeon General (Retired), U. S. A. Philadelphia.

WRITES ABOUT

Nervous Dyspepsia

"As a dietetic preparation I believe Bovinine of great value. I have used it for more than a year in a very aggravated case of nervous dyspepsia, and found it very much superior to any other meat extract food.

BOVININE

The Original Raw Food

"I also find it keeps in the warmest weather. It is easily prepared for administration, and has been successful in every case where I have tried it."

Sold by all druggists.

THE BOVININE CO., NEW YORK.

WAS IT UNDESERVED?

The Old Man Had the Sympathy of the Crowd, Anyway.

It was on a train that left Evansville, Ind., for St. Louis, a certain evening not long ago, and the old man in the case had the sympathy of all the passengers aboard the car. Besides the old man mentioned the principal actors in the case were his son and a quart flask of whisky. The old man and his son are both well known in St. Louis, prominent in business and social circles. A few moments after the departure of the train from Evansville the young man fortified himself with a good-sized "swig" from his flask, then starting at one end of the car he went towards the other end, stopping to talk with everyone as he passed them. He knew many of them, but to those with whom he was unacquainted he spoke just the same, offering his flask and taking frequent libations himself. It was easily seen that the old man was his father, and the sympathy of all on the car went out to the poor, white-haired parent, thus forced to witness the disgraceful conduct of his offspring. Finally the young man, becoming too drunk to stand, settled himself in a seat near the front of the car and in a few moments was sound asleep. A sigh of relief was distinctly audible as it escaped from the old man.

One by one the pitying passengers dropped off to sleep, until the only one awake were the father and the Gleaner. The old man waited till he thought all had sought rest, then slowly got up from his seat and, walking through the car, he stood by his slumbering son. For some minutes he gazed at him, breathing heavily the while, and with grief and shame plainly depicted on his countenance. Finally he went to the cooler and got a drink of water, then returned to the side of his boy. He stooped down and noted his countenance closely, then slowly shook his head as he resumed an erect posture, his lips moving slightly as though he was saying to himself that there was no doubt about his son being decidedly and disgracefully drunk.

Then the father's gaze wandered toward the parcel rack above the seat, wherein reposed the son's traveling bag. Carefully reaching it, the old man opened it and took out the flask, now only partly full. He hesitated as he looked first at it, then at the boy, then at the door. The Gleaner's eyes opened wide as the old man seemed about to hurl the flask out of the door of the car. Suddenly withdrawing the cork, the old man threw back his head, lifted the flask to his lips and took a good, long pull. Then he smacked his lips quietly, replaced the flask and valise and returned to his seat.

And in five minutes the Gleaner was the only person in the car awake.—St. Louis Republic.

Unbearable.

"Keep that physician in attendance on our family!" exclaimed Mrs. Parvie New. "Never!"

"Has he killed anybody?"

"No. But he had the impertinence to say that Mr. New's blood was impoverished."—Washington Star.

—The case of John Darsh against John Schmitt, on contract, was tried before Justice Mosher this morning and judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiff for $74 31 and costs of court.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

Chapped Hands and Lemon Juice and Glycerine.

Rough, painful, perhaps bleeding hands are bad enough, but what annoys you most is the untidy looks which scrubbing seems only to make worse and which nothing but warm weather will quite remedy. Yet lots of people find relief in a simple mixture prepared by us from lemon juice and glycerine—names which suggest comfort and cure. Glycerine is everywhere used, but people forget the cleansing and whitening properties of lemon juice and its power of neutralizing the bad effect of strong soaps. REYNOLDS'S LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE once used is never forgotten. Sprinkler bottles 25c. REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY, Park and North avenues.

THE TWO VAN'S

are selling

Underwear.

Winter Underwear for ladies, for gentlemen, for misses, for boys, for infants, at our regular popular prices.

VANEMBURGH & SON,

Corner Store, Babcock Building, Front St. and Madison ave.

LOOK at the barrel of

Licorice in our window.

Note the large size sticks and see the price, only

5c Each.

LEGGETT'S PHARMACY,

Park avenue and Front st.

AT YOUR OWN PRICE.

Odds, Ends and Remnants.

Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd,

73 Market St, near Plane St.

We find, after stock taking, several styles of Bedroom Suits, Parlor Suits and different patterns of Carpets that we do not intend to keep any more, and we will close them out at nearly your own price.

Parlor suits	$20
Bedroom suits	$10
Brussels carpet, per yard	50cts
Extra super ingrain carpet, per yard	50cts
Cotton chain ingrain carpet, per yard	25cts
Good bed lounges	$7
Parlor stoves	at your own price.

Note the name Amos before entering the store.

PORTLAND RANGES—The leading range in the city, and we will wager $25 that that there is more sold of that range than any other in the city. Why? Simply because it is the cheapest. Cheapest because it is the best; good baker, good draught and several improvements connected with it make it the most complete range manufactured. Easy terms.

STORING FURNITURE—At 88, 90 and 92 Bank st. You will find the largest and most complete storage building in the State. All locked rooms at reasonable rates. Furniture packed and moved with vans in city or county at moderate charges.

Telephone 580.

AMOS H. VAN HORN, Limited,

73 Market Street, nearest Plane street. Newark, N. J.

GOOD VALUES

....IN....

Merino Underwear!

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Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

EDSALL'S

Commercial Palace, Babcock Build'g

SPECIAL HOLIDAY PRICES.

We shall make our prices on Holiday Goods this year lower than ever before.

Men's best quality Russia Calf House Slippers $2.48, were $3 last year; Men's Russia Calf Romeos, last year $2.50, this $1.98; Men's black and wild goat opera and Everett slips, last year $2.50, this $1.98; men's imitation alligator and velvet embroidered slips, last year $1.75 and $2, this $1 48; men's imitation alligator and velvet embroidered slips, last year $1, this 75c; other goods marked down in like manner.

There's something else we sell which would make a very acceptable Christmas present—that is, a nice alligator or leather bag or dress suit case. We sell them below New York City prices.

DOANE & EDSALL,

Open Evenings.

DEATHS.

NO EXTRA CHARGE—Notices under this head will be repeated in The Weekly Constitutionalist without extra cost.

McLEAN—In this city Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1895, Henry McLean, aged 64 years.

Funeral services from his late residence, 121 Liberty street, Saturday, Jan. 5, at 2.30 p. m.

SPARKS—In this city, Friday, January 4, 1895, Susan wife of Peter Sparks and mother of Mrs. Samuel Smith, aged 75 years.

Funeral services from the Hope Chapel Saturday, January 5, at 1 p. m.

Interment at Hillside.

MUSIC HALL,

R. C. Varian & Co., Lessees and Managers.

One solid week, commencing

Monday, Jan. 7.

The Favorite

Minnie Lester,

with her own company, band and orchestra.

25 PEOPLE 25

Monday night,

Annette, The Dancing Girl.

Prices 10, 20 and 30c. Matinee Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Box Office Now Open.

January Attractions.

Not many attractive things about January except the attractive prices that we are going to put on our entire stock. It means business without profit to us; to you a chance to make your money go further.

Such as These.

Muslins

Fruit of the Loom	6½c
Lonsdale muslin	6½c
Dwight Anchor	6½c
Lonsdale cambric	5c
Heavy bleached sheeting 10x4	17c
" " 9x4	16c
" " 8x4	14c
Heavy pillow case muslin 5x4	9c

Table Linen

70 inch cream damask 38c

Dress Goods

A wonderful difference in the prices you will find on dress goods. We have cut the prices on every piece in the store; they all go at cost and below.

Coat Department

About that coat, now is the time you want it and you save a few dollars on it by buying it here. We sell every coat and cape in the store at cost.

Hosiery & Underwear

Same sort of reductions we have made in the prices of ladies' gentlemen's and children's underwear, hosiery and gloves. Just try us.

Horse Owners

It don't pay to go without blankets, when you can buy the 5-A blankets at just what they cost. That's the way we are selling them.

WHITE,

of Plainfield.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

WANTED—Competent girl to do general housework; call at 91 Rockview avenue. 1 3 2

WANTED—First-class cook also chambermaid. Apply Mrs. F. A. Barnaby, Plainfield and Sherman avenues. 1 3 2

LOST—Lace handkerchief New Year's night at Mrs. Joy's reception, or between 10 Willow avenue and 95 Rockview ave. Return to this office or 95 Rockview ave.

WHO will have a small house (all improvements) location 4th, 5th and 6th sts., west of Watchung ave., east of Central ave., to rent April 1? Privilege of purchase. Address Rent, care Press. 1 4 2

VERY fine chickering second hand piano for sale; price $75; cash or instalments. Fred K. Durand, Babcock Building. 1 4 6

LOST—Pair of eye glasses on North avenue or Front street. Reward at this office.

COLORED woman wants situation at housework; good reference. Call 241 West Front street, up stairs. 1 4 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agents to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shannocross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 1 4 tf

GENTLEMAN desires to exchange valuable New York property for residence in Plainfield; write full particulars. Banker, care Press. 1 2 4

ROOM to let with or without board. 323 East 5th st. 12 29 tf

SIX room house for sale at a bargain on Astor place, near Clinton ave; terms to suit the buyer. Inquire W. H. Bohl, 196 Somerset st. 1 2 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

TERRILL & COLE,

Undertakers and Embalmers

200 West 2d street,

Next to Trinity Reformed Church. First-class livery attached. Telephone 153. 11 26 y

An agreeable Lazative and Nerve Tonic. Sold by Druggists or sent by mail. 25c., 50c. and $1.00 per package. Samples free.

KO NO The Favorite 25CTS POWDER for the Teeth and Breath, 25c.

Captain Sweeney, U.S.A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50 cts. Sold by Druggists.

SHILOH'S CURE.

THIS GREAT COUGH CURE promptly cures where all others fail. For Consumption it has no rival; has cured thousands, and will cure you, if taken in time. Price 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00.

Sold by all druggists.

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For busy people by the beautiful new steamships of the

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To Old Point Comfort
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Or Virginia Beach, Va.
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$16 Old Point Comfort, $16 Virginia Beach, $17 **$17**

INCLUDING EVERY EXPENSE

of meals and berths enroute, and a day and a quarter's board at the hotels.

These trips are ideal, as a considerable portion is made through the quiet waters of the famous Hampton Roads and there is little likelihood of seasickness.

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ENGLAND WITHDRAWS

The Bluefields Question Is Settled at Last.

Great Britain Gives Up All Claim to a Mosquito Protectorate—The President Sends the Correspondence to the Senate—Contention Pending Since 1850.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The Bluefields' question has at last been settled, after a contention that has extended since the ratification of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty of 1850.

President Cleveland sent the correspondence relating to the trouble to the senate yesterday. It was summarized in a letter by Secretary Gresham, from which it is seen that Great Britain has surrendered all claims to the maintenance of a protectorate over the Mosquito territory.

Secretary Gresham says, after outlining the troubles of the last twelve months:

"From the beginning of the conflicts, which at times were serious, the government has steadily recognized the paramount sovereignty of Nicaragua over the entire reservation, yielding to no pretensions inconsistent with that sovereignty. At no time during the last forty or fifty years has the so-called native Indian government in the strip been real. On the contrary, it has been an alien municipal government administered according to alien methods. Although Americans and American interests have for some time dominated in the strip, this government, while intervening in proper cases for their protection, has constantly disavowed any right of its own or of its citizens to govern the reservation or participate in its political affairs. Whatever right of self-government the Indians enjoyed under the treaty concluded between Great Britain and Nicaragua was to be exercised by themselves and not by aliens in their name. That treaty contemplated the eventual surrender by the Indians of their right to govern themselves and other inhabitants of the strip, and their incorporation into the republic of Nicaragua on the same footing as other citizens of the republic.

"A copy of a convention, concluded on the 20th of November last, is herewith communicated, by which it is declared that the Mosquito Indians, while retaining 'special privileges' in accordance with their 'customs' and 'racial disposition,' have 'agreed wholly to submit to the laws and authorities of Nicaragua for the purpose of forming part of the political and administrative organization.' Great Britain, it is proper to say, has given this government the most positive assurance that she asserts no right of sovereignty or protection over the territory, but, on the contrary, respects the full and paramount sovereignty of the government of Nicaragua."

On Dec. 22 Ambassador Bayard wrote:

"The purport of the statements at the foreign office is an emphatic denial of all reports or rumors indicating any intention or disposition on the part of the British government to mingle in the local political struggles and disorders in Nicaragua and the province of Mosquito.

"Her majesty's government is well pleased with the prospects of having 'Clarence' and his fortunes eliminated from their present responsibility.

"There was the most open expression of satisfaction at the foreign office upon the reported voluntary incorporation of the Indians with the rest of Nicaragua, for it was a consummation devoutly to be wished, and it was glad to be free from the subject."

Coke Trade Improving.

Connelsville, Pa., Jan. 4.—The coke trade continues to improve and the outlook for 1895 indicates the best business in the history of the Connelsville region. An advance in the selling price to $1.50 per ton is expected when the Frick scale expires in February. It is the prevailing opinion among the operators that an advance is the only thing that will prevent another strike.

Boston Merchants' Banquet.

Boston, Jan. 4.—The annual reception and banquet of the Boston Merchants' association, always the most elaborate of the winter feasts for which Boston is notable, was held last evening at Hotel Vendmore. "The currency and banking system of the United States" was thoroughly discussed.

Activity in the Knitting Mills.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 4.—There is every indication of a healthy resumption of the knitting business in Cohoes. A large addition is being made to the Atlantic mill, and work will be carried on night and day next week at Egbert's mill. Other mills also show signs of activity.

Aroused to the Lynching Point.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 4.—Mack Taylor, colored, has been arrested here for murdering Tilly Gaines, colored, New Years day, and the negroes are aroused to the lynching point, but an attempt to take him from jail is not feared.

Thrown from His Sleigh and Killed.

White Plains, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Nathaniel Lyons, a retired New York business man, who for several years had been engaged in breeding horses near White Plains, was thrown from a sleigh here and instantly killed.

Detective Bruce Dead.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Robert Bruce, head of the Bruce Detective agency and one of the best posted men in the country on criminals, was found dead in his office on La Salle street. He had been drinking heavily of late.

Robbed the Postoffice.

Decatur, Ala., Jan. 4.—The safe in the post office here was blown open and money, stamps and registered letters were taken to the amount of $1,000. No clue to the robbers.

Sullivan Company Disbanded.

Paris, Ill., Jan. 4.—John L. Sullivan company has disbanded. Sullivan has been drinking a good deal, even for him, and made trouble for all with whom he came in contact.

THE FIGHT HAS BEGUN

Secretary McBryde Issues a Lengthy Manifesto.

Makes a Statement for the Unit d Mine Workers of the Causes Leading to the Trouble with the Knig ts of Labor—Places the Blame on Secretary-Treasurer Hayes.

Columbus, O., Jan. 4.—The war between the United Mine workers and the Knights of Labor is on.

Secretary McBryde, for the Mine workers has issued a lengthy manifesto. He gives a detailed statement of the causes leading up to the trouble. He places the entire blame on Secretary-Treasurer Hayes, and says it is due to his malevolence. Coming down to the recent open rupture, he says:

"On Sep. 7, I forwarded credentials received from Hayes, to McBride Watchorn, Penna and Wilson.

"McBride sent in the credentials as members of L. A. No. 1932.

"On Oct. 20 the gang had matured their plans to keep out the miners, as Sovereign notified us that the charter of L. A. 1932 was revoked; that the board so decided at the Buffalo meeting. I believe this statement to be untrue. If not, why did Sovereign wait from the beginning of September to the latter end of October before he notified this office?

"To the horror of Hayes and company, six miners went to New Orleans, so that, no matter what two were kept out, 135 would still have four delegates upon the floor.

"The miners' delegates went before the committee on credentials in New Orleans, who informed them they could not tell them how many delegates they were entitled to, as Hayes had the books. Hayes was sent for, but refused to give any information. Being asked if there were any charges or protests against the miners the committee said they knew of none. The miners' delegates left their credentials and withdrew.

"Brother Watchorn, in the presence of James Campbell, of the Window Glass workers, demanded from Hayes how long he was going to be kept out of his right to a seat in the general assembly.

"Hayes replied, that right or wrong, Watchorn could not sit in the general assembly if he could prevent it.

"When the general assembly met, they were informed that the committee had not yet passed upon their credentials and requested them to withdraw. The reason soon became manifest. There were fifty-two delegates present twenty-five of whom were favorable to the miners; if the miners' delegates were seated the majority would be against the powers that be.

"There were protests against Shonfaber, Lindholm and Trephagen (three tools of the administration).

"Lindholm has since been expelled by the order of District 24, of Chicago, and Sovereign, although he suspended the district by telegraph, was forced to eat humble pie, restore the district and confirm the expulsion.

"Lindholm was expelled for the same reason that protests were lodged against his seat at New Orleans.

"There can be no question but had the miners' delegates secured seats Lindholm, Trephagen, Shonfaber and a few others would have found themselves where they ought to be—on the outside—and eight delegates, who were kept out, entitled to admission on the inside.

"Justice and fair play demanded this, but then where would Sovereign, Hayes and company be now?

"Keeping out the miners gave them a majority, so they were able to seat their tools and keep out the others.

"The wires were kept going and all the henchmen they could muster were brought to New Orleans. When all had arrived they felt safe in giving the miners a hearing. A resolution giving the officials an hour and the miners ninety minutes was adopted.

"The miners case was so clear that the officers became alarmed, they set up men to talk against time, so as to force a recess, which was taken about 2 o'clock on Sunday morning. Between that time and the meeting of the assembly on Monday every means was adopted to whip the delegates into line. When the vote was taken the miners were excluded. Having kept out the miners upon trumped up charges, the farce must be continued to the end. The board was ordered to re-organize N. T. A. 135. In other words, that the United Mine workers must be disrupted and the curse of two organizations inflicted once more upon the miners. The representatives of the miners were ordered to appear before the board; that had been arguing all week that N. T. A. 135 had no legal existence.

"Every honest man in the assembly was disgusted when they found the order a hot bed of corruption.

"'Sell; Yes, sell everything,' exclaimed the delegates, 'and the sooner all is sold, the sooner the scramble for the funds will end'—and so it was ordered.

"The delegates who were disgusted with the proceedings held a meeting and resolved that they advise that no more tax be paid to Philadelphia and a committee was appointed to take such steps as will re-organize the order on original lines

"We do not ask a single man to leave the order, but we do ask the members to pay no more tax to the gang in Philadelphia and to prepare to attend a convention to elect officers of their choice who will manage the affairs of the order in the interest of the members and not for the personal benefit of Sovereign, Hayes and company.

"To the miners the question is momentous.

"Will they remain solidified as at present or once more inaugurate sectional strife by obeying the mandates of men who never had any interest in their welfare?

"Remember, no man is asked to leave the Knights of Labor, but all are requested to hold fast to their assemblies, advocate the principles of the order and be ready to take part in its reorganization."

Fought to a Draw.

Cleveland, Jan. 4.—The Siddons-Lavack fight was declared a draw.

AT THE CABINET DINNER

Senator Hill a Guest at the White House.

Received with Marked Cordiality by the President, Who Engaged Him for a Few Minutes in Close Conversation—The Senator Declines To Be Interviewed on the Subject.

Washington, Jan. 4.—When the list of names of guests at the president's dinner to the cabinet was given out last evening, the appearance of the name of Senator Hill, of New York, was received with incredulity.

There had been no intimation that the New York senator was to be present, and when it became known about town that Mr. Hill was to be the guest of the president, the fact was at once the subject of the greatest speculation.

There had been rumors that an understanding had been reached between the president and Mr. Hill, but the presence of the latter at the white house was the first tangible evidence that the rumors were probably authentic.

But once during the administration has Mr. Hill before been within the portals of the executive mansion. That time was just after the arrival of Senator Murphy, and the two New York senators appeared at the white house together, but the best information is that they did not see the president at that time.

The president and Mr. Hill met in the general assemblage before the dinner began and their meeting was to every appearance one of extreme cordiality. They remained together for some minutes in a close conversation. Mr. Hill escorted Mrs. Hearst to the dining hall.

Senator Hill declined to discuss his presence at the white house, saying that it was purely a social visit and had no political significance, and consequently he did not feel at liberty to talk on the subject. Nevertheless his attendance will be a mark for political gossip for some days to come. It is understood that Mr. Hill was invited to the last cabinet dinner, but declined.

The full Marine band was in attendance at the dinner, and played many national airs throughout the evening. The table was handsomely decorated. Fifty-four guests were present, including all the cabinet officers, several senators and representatives and others from private life.

The full list was as follows: The president and Mrs. Cleveland, Secretary of State Gresham and Mrs. Gresham, Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle and Mrs. Carlisle, Secretary of War Lamont and Mrs. Lamont, Attorney-General Olney and Mrs. Olney, Postmaster-General Bissell and Mrs. Bissell, Secretary of the Navy Herbert and Miss Herbert, Secretary of the Interior Hoke Smith, Secretary of Agriculture Morton and Miss Morton, Speaker Crisp and Mrs. Crisp, Senator McPherson and Mrs. McPherson, Senator Ransom, Senator Hill, Mrs. Hearst, Senator Manderson and Mrs. Manderson, Senator Bate and Mrs. Bate, Congressman W. L. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tracey, General Schofield and Mrs. Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. Don M. Dickinson, Mrs. Perrine, Dr. Joseph D. Bryant and Mrs. Bryant (New York), Mr. and Mrs. Alex. E. Orr (Brooklyn), Mr. and Mrs. George B. Roberts (Philadelphia), Mrs. William K. Carlisle, Mr. L. Clarke Dayton and Mrs. John G. Milburn.

Will Hold Madagascar Mails.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Capt. Brooks, superintendent of the foreign mail service, has received notification from the international bureau of the universal postal union at Berne, Switzerland, that owing to the war in Madagascar between the French and the natives, mails for the interior of that island will have to be held up on account of danger in delivery.

Treasury Statement for December.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The treasury statement of circulation just issued, shows a decrease during the month of December of $10,657,629, making the amount of money in circulation $1,626,568,622, or $23.52 per capita based on 69,134,000 of population. The net increase of money in the treasury was $10,606,010.

Found Dead in a Snow Bank.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 4.—Adam Hill, a prominent young man residing at Eckley, a short distance from Hazleton was found in a snow bank near his home frozen to death. It is thought by some that he met death by violence but as yet there is no evidence to indicate that such is the case.

Will Make Anti-Toxine.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 4.—The city board of health has appropriated $250 for experiments in anti-toxine. As no more of the article can be had in New York the board of health will make a further appropriation, buy a hose and endeavor to make the diphtheria destroyer.

Mr. Foster Reaches Vancouver.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 4.—Ex-Secretary Foster, special Chinese counsel, has arrived here, and will leave on the steamer Empress for Hiroshima on Monday.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR—Quiet. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@3.25.

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CORN—Dull. No. 2, 51c.; steamer, 50c.

OATS—Firm. No. 2 white, 38¾c.; No. 2 mixed, 34¾c.

PORK—Steady. Extra prime, 14.00@16.00; mess, 13.00@13.50.

LARD—Quiet. January, 7.10.

BUTTER—Steady. Creamery, state and Pennsylvania, fresh extras, 23c.; creamery, western extras, 25c.

CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fancy, 11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Supply fair. Western, 25c.

SUGARS—Unchanged. Granulated, 3 13-16@4c.

BEEVES—Weak. Choice native steers, 3.95@5.00; dressed sides, 6¼@9c.

SHEEP—Quiet. Common to prime, 2.00@3.50; dressed mutton, 4½@6c.

LAMBS—Steady. Common to choice, 3.50@4.75; dressed lambs, 5½@6¾c.

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8 42 p. m.—PACIFIC EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, daily, for Pittsburg, Columbus, Chicago, and Toledo, daily, except Saturday for Cleveland.

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Sundays, 1, 9 05, 9 36 a. m., 8 41 p m.

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For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 24, 5 45, 6 17, 6 45, 7 01, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 38, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 [illegible], 10 20, 10 28, 10 48, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 15, [illegible], 1 56, 2 24, 2 40, 3 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 44, 5 [illegible], 5 36, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 27, 7 38, 7 59, 8 17, 9 10, 9 50, 10 08 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 46, 2 39, 3 48, 5 45, 6 45, 6 54, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 56, 8 30 9 15, 10 16, and 11 46 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 26, 11 48 a. m.; 1 05, 1 37, 3 33, 5 00, 6 36, 7 46, 8 47, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 39, 9 05, 9 26, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Rahway—1, 1 43 daily ex. Monday, 4 08, 6 44, 7 10, 7 39, 8 54, 9 46, 9 50, 10 39, 11 43, a. m., 12 46, 1 18, 1 37, 2 48, 3 20, 3 39, 3 49, 4 28, 4 53, 5 20, 5 40, 6 6 06 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 45, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 46, 8 14, 8 55, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1, 1 43, 8 39, 9 43, 9 49, 10 25 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 3 47, 3 28, 4 50, 5 20, 6 40, 7 21, 7 57, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 39, 9 05, 9 26, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 3 20, 3 39, 3 49, 4 28, 4 53, 5 20, 5 40, 6 6 06 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 45, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 46, 8 14, 8 55, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1, 1 43, 8 39, 9 43, 9 49, 10 25 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 3 47, 3 28, 4 50, 5 20, 6 40, 7 21, 7 57, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

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For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 58, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 39, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 36, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 39, 9 05 9 26 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 39 A. M., 2.48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 39 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 12 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, a. m., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 5, 6 30, 8, 9 15, except Saturday, 9 30 5 45, 6, 6 15, 8 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, a. m., 12 m., 1, 2 15, 4, 6 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 8 26, 6 20, 8 05, 7 26, 9 00, 8, 8 40 9 12, 10 05, 10 27, A. M., 12 05, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 15, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 05, 8 30, 10 17 11 30 P. M. Sunday—8 07, 8 52, 10 05, 11 30, A. M 12 30, 1 45, 3 30, 5 24, 7 15, 8 22, 8 52, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 10, 7 55, 8 35, 9 00, 10 05, 11 30 A.M., 1 15, 1 30, 2 20 Saturday only, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 54, 6 50, 7 15, 7 55, 8 40, 10 05, 11 55 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 45, 9 35, 11 30, A. M., 1 10, 2 30, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 20, 10 20 P. M. Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 45 A.M., 12 46 2 00, 3 22, 5 45, 6 26, 8 05, 9 14, 9 54, 11 30 P.M. 12 46 night Sunday—6 45, 9 30 9 54, A.M., 2 00, 3 30, 6 14, 8 30, 10 15, 11 16 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 01, 7 00, 7 56, 7 56, 9 46, 8 30, 9 00, 9 46, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 46, 2 04, 5 22, 4 30, 5 26, 6 35, 8 17, 9 46, 11 05 P. M. Sunday 8 05, 10 05 A. M., 12 05, 1 20, 5 05, 6 44, 8 02, 9 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND BASTON.

Leave Plainfield 8 45, 9 18, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 3 03, 5 05, 5 14, 6 22, 9 21 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 30 A. M., 3 03, 6 22, 9 21 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 50, A.M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 25 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 50, A. M., 6 40, 7 00, 9 00 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p.m.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m., for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 10 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

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But a short time ago I should have scoffed at the thought that the love of a pure woman could bring with it a heritage of woe. Now, on the brink of eternity, I have to record, in the few hours that remain to me, how such a love has been the innocent cause of the ruin of three lives, my own the most unworthy Two years ago, at my mother's death, I went to live, at his earnest solicitation, in the home of Mr. Barker, a depositor in the bank for which I worked.

Mr. Barker was a widower of reputed wealth, of fine presence, and who possessed in a high degree the quality of personal magnetism. I had met him first through his business relations with the bank, and from the start he had manifested a lively interest in my welfare. Our tastes were congenial, and the acquaintance developed into an intimacy akin to that between father and son. Therefore I accepted his offer with gratitude, and went to live at his home in a suburb of the city.

It was then that I first met Helen Barker. I shall not attempt to describe the rare beauty and grace that characterized the daughter of my friend. Suffice it to say she realized my ideal of a noble woman, and charmed me equally by her grace of person and intellectual attainments.

Thrown constantly together in home life, it was also looked upon as a matter of course that I should attend her at all social functions, until it came to pass when I considered an evening wasted which was not passed in her companionship, and grew to love the young girl with a passionate devotion that I thought foreign to my nature.

Of all those happy times, the memory of one evening in particular is indelibly stamped on my heart for it signalized at once the culmination of my happiness and the beginning of my undoing. We had been to the theatre, and the play had been well suited to a lover's mood. I remember that we were both more quiet than usual during the walk home. I longing, yet fearing, to speak what was in my heart. She, perhaps, from sympathy, more subdued than was her wont.

It was quite late when we reached the house and, as we entered the dimly lighted hall my companion gave me her hand in good night. The touch of her fingers nerved me with sudden courage.

"Helen," I said, "the play ended happily. How is our story to end?"

She blushed, and withdrawing her hand from mine, ran lightly up stairs. Half way she looked down with a mischievous little laugh.

"I think papa is in his den," she said.

My heart beat wildly as I entered the study, which Mr. Barker called his den. He was still up and had evidently waited for me.

"I thought you would be in for a smoke," he said.

I lighted a cigar with trembling hands then plunged abruply into the subject that agitated me. Mr. Barker listened quietly to my avowal, then said:

"Siegmund, my boy, nothing could have pleased me more. If Helen loves you, the secret wish of my heart will have been gratified."

After that, I think nothing less than a severe shock could have shaken me from the dream of bliss that enthralled me, but I well recollect the foreboding of evil that came over me later.

Mr. Barker and I talked till late and were about to retire, when he said:

"By the by, Siegmund, I drew a check last night after banking hours that may overdraw my account a trifle. If presented in the morning, will you see that it is all right until I can make a deposit?"

"Certainly sir," I replied, but even as I spoke the words a chill struck my heart.

Helen did not appear at breakfast next morning, and though I tarried late over my coffee I was obliged to go to business without having seen her. Still I was extravagantly happy, for with the morning my strange forboding of the night before had left me, and Mr. Barker's request had nearly passed from my mind as I took my accustomed work at the bank. I was rudely brought back to memory, however, by the paying teller at my elbow.

"Salters," he said, "is Mr. Barker's account good for $10,000?"

I started violently, then mechanically turned over the pages of the ledger and pretended to foot up the account.

"The account is O. K.," I said at last.

I thought my voice sounded strange and hollow, and wondered curiously if it was noticed by my fellow clerk. He seemed to see nothing unusual, however, and I watched him with a queer fascination as he passed the piles of crisp bank notes over the counter to a man whom I recognized at the time as a well known stock broker.

All day I waited in suspense for a slip showing a deposit to Mr. Barker's account, but none came, and all the time I knew that in the eyes of the law I was a defaulter for more than $5,000.

Dinner at Barker's was a depressing meal that night. Mr. Barker was distrait and ill at ease, and rarely looked in my direction. I tried hard to appear natural but my attempts to rally the lagging conversation by an assumed gayety was too plainly forced to deceive Helen's quick eyes.

She was plainly puzzled and somewhat worried, and I was thankful when at last Mr. Barker and myself got away to the study on pretense of business.

"Mr. Barker," I said as soon as we were alone, "your account is overdrawn more than $4,000."

He did not reply at once, but sat with his head bowed in his hands, so evidently agitated that my forbodings of ill came with redoubled force.

When he spoke at last it was to tell me of heavy losses sustained in speculation. He had made large purchases of a certain stock which he had every reason to believe would take a marked advance as a result of expected legislation. The legislation had been long delayed and to protect his holdings he had been obliged to cripple his finances until ruin stared him in the face.

He besought me for my love for Helen to conceal the true state of affairs for a time at the bank. The expected legislation could not be long delayed, and then all must come right.

But why prolong the story of my sufferings and shame? What could I do? Confession to the bank officers meant ruin to us all, and the sacrifice of Helen's love even if legal prosecution were escaped. I must hasten on to the conclusion of my story, even as I was then hurried on to the inevitable end by the fatal grip of that first wrong act.

Matters went from bad to worse, and I was soon forced to make false entries in the books to conceal the overdrafts of my accomplice.

Meanwhile I had not dared to declare my love to Helen, and harder than all else to bear were the pained and pleading looks of the girl whom I would have saved from the smallest trouble and for whose sake I had imperilled my very soul.

A year and a half passed and our peculations reached an enormous amount. Mr. Barker had aged ten years in the time and I was pale and haggard.

The bank officers noticed my condition and began to insist upon my taking a long rest. This I resisted and put off by every means in my power, as to leave my post meant discovery and ruin. But the crisis came at last, though not as I had expected. Mr. Barker came to me one day in great agitation. The stock had taken another decline, and unless a margin of $10,000 was put up with his broker before three o'clock his holdings would be sold.

The money was got from the bank in the usual way and at two o'clock Mr. Barker left the bank to take an elevated train downtown. Exactly how it happened no one ever knew, but, according to the station porter, he had noticed an agitated elderly man on the platform just as a train approached.

While walking nervously up and down near the edge of the platform, the man suddenly raised his hands to his head, staggered, and fell directly in front of the engine.

He was dead when taken from beneath the wheels, and when I reached the scene where the body still lay I noticed with a sort of dumb horror that the hands of my watch pointed to one minute past 3 o'clock. The stock had been sold!

What followed seems now like a black and hideous nightmare. The night before the funeral I went to the bank and worked late over the books.

I carefully altered the accounts so that the enormous deficiency in the bank's funds appeared only in the cash account, and I manufactured false statements and placed them among my private papers, showing that I had been a reckless gambler, a profligate and a systematic thief.

That was the least I could do to save the woman I loved from the knowledge of her father's dishonor. On the day of the funeral I asked and obtained leave of absence and took the first steamship for a foreign port.

As I stepped aboard the ship I bought an evening paper and, by force of habit, glanced at the stock quotations.

The stock of which Mr. Barker's holdings had consisted had advanced 30 points that day! Oh, the irony of fate!

And thus my story ends. I reached this land to-day, and my first day of exile shall be my last on earth. The sooner the better—so!

Helen! farewell! mother——

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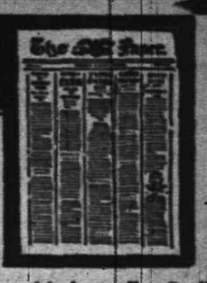

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It was a fine summer morning in one of the southern counties of Virginia, and in front of her own little house sat Aunt Belinda Tinsley, paring potatoes. This worthy person was a colored woman, something under forty years of age, light brown in color and comely to look upon. She was neatly dressed, and her surroundings, as well as the amiable and satisfied expression of her countenance, showed that her circumstances were comfortable.

In her earlier days she had lived with white people and had been cook and laundress. Retiring from domestic service, she had married Dick Tinsley, an industrious and worthy blacksmith, who, about two years before this summer morning, had died, leaving his widow a small but well-built house of more pretentious design than any of the negro habitations in the neighborhood, a few acres of land, all paid for, and, as report had it, an income, although there was not unanimity in the neighborhood regarding the amount of this income, nor from what it was derived. But everybody knew that Aunt Belinda, as she was called by her older friends and acquaintances, or Mrs. Tinsley, as some colored people of progressive views now chose to designate her—was a person to be envied, because, so far as outsiders could determine, she had all she wanted.

Aunt Belinda lived alone, and when she had pared four medium-sized potatoes she knew these were enough for a meal, but she was considering whether or not it would be well to boil some more which might be cut up and fried for supper, when, raising her eyes, she saw a man coming along the path which led to her house. At first she did not recognize him, but in a few minutes she saw that he was Moses Lipscomb, a man somewhat younger than herself and a little browner. She had known him all her life as a good-natured, jolly fellow, who, although spasmodically industrious and able to perform surprising feats of labor at hog-killing time, or on other occasions when the work was suitably mixed with excitement, was in general, on account of his aversion to monotonous employment, as needy a man as ever strutted through a cake walk or twanged a banjo.

This morning, as has been said, Aunt Belinda did not at first recognize him. Ordinarily he dressed in garments quite simple and ragged, but now he was attired in grand style. On his head was a high, black silk hat, somwhat battered and rusty, with a broad band of crape around it; he wore a yellow waistcoat, much too large for him, and a blue coat with tarnished brass buttons, some of them missing, which was so small for him that he was obliged to throw out his chest very much to keep his shoulders back in order that he might not split it along its spinal seam. His trousers were of brown linen, clean and very much starched, with the bottom of the legs frayed and worn in such a way that the starched threads hung over his well-blackened boots like icicles over the mouth of a cavern. His collar was high and evidently unpleasant to his jaws. His large cravat had once been all crimson, but portions of it had now faded into brown, and from the outside pocket of his coat projected the corner of a white silk handkerchief.

"'TAIN'T A HUSBAN'," SAID AUNT BELINDA, "IT'S A KEOW."

As the visitor approached he took off his hat, but before he could speak Aunt Belinda sprang to her feet.

"You, Moses Lipscomb!" she cried. "Wot you mean, comin' hyar rigged up like dat? Has you got the imperence to come hyar for de purpos' to pay 'tentions to me?"

A broad smile spread over the visage of the jolly Moses. "Dat's it, 'zactly, Aunt B'linda," said he. "I was kunjurin' what to say to begin wid, an' dar you plumps right in, an' I hain't got no trouble at all. I done come hyar, Aunt B'linda, to pay 'tentions to youse'f wid a view to matermony."

Aunt Belinda sat for a few moments silently gazing at her visitor and then she broke out: "If ever I see a hedgehog in a beaver skin, I'se lookin' at one now. What you mean, playin' dem fool tricks on me? Now, you Moses, you take off dat coh't, wot b'longs to old Uncle Pete, an' was guv him by his mah'ster more'n forty years ago, an' wot Uncle Pete rents out fer ten cents ter any colored man in dis county wot wants ter go a-co'rtin'. Don't yer spose I knows dat coh't? Hain't I mended it more'n twenty times, an' didn't I sew dat little bit o' w'ite silk in de top of de pocket? An' you take off dat high top hat wot yer done borrer from Uncle Abe Binder, an' dat yaller wesh, wot was ole Kunnel Westerman's, an' wot I done wash an' iron till de ole kunnel die. Dem breeches is yous, an' I 'spects dem shoes an' dat 'ar shirt an' neck hank'chef, but you take off all de res' of dem tings 'fore yer says anudder word."

Without hesitation Moses divested himself of hat, coat and waistcoat and laid them down on the grass by the path.

"Is dem dar gole cuff buttons you's?" asked Aunt Belinda, severely.

"No, dey hain't," said Moses, "dey's Buck Simmonses."

"Take dem off!" said Aunt Belinda. "Now den," she continued, when her orders had been obeyed, "you looks like Moses Lipscomb, on'y cleaner, which ain't no fault. You kin sot youse'f down on de grass dar an' say wot you's come ter say," and she seated herself in her chair.

With a grin, Moses sat down on the grass and embraced his knees with his arms. "I hain't got nuthin' ter say, Aunt B'linda, 'cept wot I said afore. I done come pay 'tentions to youse'f wid a view to matermony."

"Wot yer got ter 'sport a wife wid, Moses Lipscomb?" she asked.

"Hain't got nuthin'," answered Moses, his white teeth shining like a rift of light in a cloudy sky. "Bress my soul, Aunt B'linda, ef ev'ry colored man in dis county wait 'til he kin 'sport a wife afore he marry her, whar all de marryin' be?"

To this Aunt Belinda made no reply, but sat gazing, not at her suitor, but over the fields toward the east. Presently she spoke:

"You Moses, you git off dat grass an' take away dem clothes an' den come back arter supper dis evenin' for yo' ahnser. Now git along mighty quick. I hain't got no time to fool wid yer now."

Moses was well acquainted with Aunt Belinda's decision of character, and without making any remonstrances he gathered up the discarded clothes, bade her good morning and departed. Aunt Belinda watched him until he disappeared behind a bit of woodland to the west and then she turned her gaze toward a field in the opposite direction. She had seen, before Moses left, another man approaching through this field.

The newcomer was tall and rather spare of figure, and advanced with long strides, which soon brought him to the house. He was very well dressed, but not after the fashion of Moses. His hat was high, but it bore no untimely crape; his clothes were black, and fitted him very well; his cravat was white, and in his hand he carried a cane with a silver head.

"Mornin', Sister Tinsley," said he; "I hopes I sees yer well?"

"Mornin', Brudder Aaron," said Aunt Belinda; "ef yous got time fer stop, sot youse'f down hyar, and I'll fotch an udder cheer."

He lifted his hand deprecatingly. "Never, Sister Tinsley, never you wait on me. Dat's my part; I waits on you," and briskly stepping inside he brought out a chair.

The newcomer sat down, put his hat on the grass and his cane beside it, and then, leaning slightly forward, clasped his two long black hands between his knees. He was many shades darker than Aunt Belinda, and several years older. His face was long, and rather thin. After a few remarks about the weather and the "craps" he proceeded to business.

"Sister Tinsley," said he, "I knows you is a woman wot ain't got no time to waste, an' I'se a man wid duties an' 'sponsibilities. Now, I comes to de pint widout no scrapin' an' prancin', and I comes here, Sister Tinsley, to ask youse'f ter combine wid me in de wows o' wedlock; in udder words, Sister Tinsley, I asks you to marry me. It's a long time sence you was a widder, Sister Tinsley, and de Bible says 'tain't right fer a man, nor a woman, to live 'lone, 'specially in a house like dis, wid no udder house nearder dan a quarter mile. Now, you kin see for youse'f, Sister Tinsley, dat a man like me, wot's lived in de city an' waited at a hotel an' as—"

"Dat's so," said Aunt Belinda; "'cuse me fer interruptin' you, Brudder Aaron, but you is mistook 'bout me an' de Bible. De holy book don' say nuffin' 'bout women livin' 'lone, only men, an' wot does I want wid anudder husban'? Dar never was a better man dan Dick Tinsley, an' he was an awful trial. Now wot's de good of my havin' anudder man hangin' round hyar? I'se mighty cumf't'ble an' I reckons I'se got ev'ryting in dis worl' dat I wants, 'cept one ting."

"Dat's mighty true!" exclaimed Aaron, "mighty true, Sister Tinsley; dare is one ting wot you wants, and dat is a fust-rate husban'."

"Tain't a husban'," said Aunt Belinda, "it's a keow."

"A keow!" exclaimed Aaron, twisting himself toward her as he spoke. He had not looked at her during his former remarks, directing his quickly-moving eyes over the distant landscape, but now he looked squarely at her, honestly surprised.

"Yes," said Aunt Belinda, "wot I wants is a keow. I'se bin a long time widout one an' I don' wan' to be widout one no longer; so ef I was ever to git anudder husban' I'd git one as would fust guv me a keow. I don' wan' no husban', but ef I cahn't git a keow widout no husban' I'll take him along wid de keow. Dat's de way it stan's, Brudder Aaron."

With his face a little longer than before Aaron resumed his survey of the landscape.

"Wot kin' o' keow you wants, Sister Tinsley?" he asked.

"I don't keer 'bout de kin' nor de breed," said Belinda, "so's she's tol'ble fresh an' giv 'bout three gallon o' milk. Don' wan's no scrawny gallon-keow wid no more butter in de milk dan a bucket o' w'itewash. Has you got a keow, Brudder Aaron?"

Aaron folded his arms, knitted his brows and turned his glance upon the ground.

"When you wan's yer keow?" said he.

"Soon's I kin git her," answered Belinda. "I'se bin a long time widout one, an' I wants ter have some buttermilk dis week."

Suddenly a light flashed into the countenance of the contemplative Aaron and he looked up.

"Did you ever see my littl' place over th' udder side of' de crik, Sister Tinsley?"

The widow shook her head.

Aaron looked satisfied. "Well, den," said he, "I'se got some keows dar, two good keows, one Ald'ney an' one brack an' w'ite. Cahn't say much for de Ald'ney; she ain't fresh. Would a fust-rate brack an' white keow suit yer, Sister Tinsley?"

"Dat 'd suit me tip top," answered Belinda. "When kin yer fotch her?"

"Fotch her enny time," said he; "de sooner de better. Fotch her ter-day."

"All right, Brudder Aaron," said she. "you come 'long wid yer keow dis evenin' 'fore supper; min' dat, 'fore supper, 'cas I wants de milk."

After a few remarks about his intentions and the propriety of the conjugal plan he proposed Aaron departed, asserting that he must lose no time, for the little place he owned was three or four miles away.

Aunt Belinda smiled to herself when he left. "De place you owns!" she said, aloud. "I reckons all de lan' you owns could be got inter a flower pot."

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A Prize for Virtue Which Was Not Properly Bestowed.

The French nation is almost the only one which has attempted to encourage private virtue by public rewards in the shape of prizes; and there are many Frenchmen who think the system is not successful enough in its results to warrant its continuance. But each year the French academy must, under the requirements by which it is governed, distribute certain of these doubtful "prizes for virtue." The idea of a state reward for brave and noble deeds seems a worthy one, and yet the doing of good deeds depends so much upon interior merit, and to be wholly genuine and admirable, should be so characterized by perfect modesty, that a public prize takes off half the credit, instead of making it the more conspicuous.

It is hard, too, for the academicians to judge accurately and fairly as to the merits of claimants for prizes. When a person comes to them and says: "I demand the prize for noble conduct," they are not much inclined to take the boast as proof. And yet they cannot go about hunting out the good deeds of modest people who say nothing about them.

An actual occurrence some years ago illustrated the difficulty under which the distributors of the prizes labor. They had heard that a certain comedian, Moessard by name, had rescued an aged woman, past seventy, from starvation in a miserable cellar, and had for some time fed, clothed and cared for her.

They made inquiries sufficient to satisfy themselves that the story was true, and then sent Moessard the prize.

Two friends of Moessard, who knew all the circumstances of the affair, happening to meet the man who had been so rewarded, asked him if he had indeed received the prize.

"I have," said Moessard.

"But," they asked, "does not the old woman render you some services in return?"

"She does all she is able to do," said he.

"She sweeps and scrubs your rooms, does she not?"

"Yes."

"And makes your beds?"

"Yes."

"And sometimes runs on errands for you?"

"Frequently, it is true, for, in spite of her seventy-two years, she is sprightly and alert."

"She cooks more or less for you, no doubt?"

"Yes. She cooks roast beef and legs of mutton admirably."

"Indeed! Then it appears that you have made a hard-working house servant, without wages, out of this aged woman, and you are to be rewarded for it with a public prize! Sir, if you accept this honor, you are a scoundrel!"

"So I should be," said Moessard, "if I had sought the reward or known anything about it; and I am at this moment on my way to the academy to return the gift."

In the meantime, some entirely worthy and noble deed was going unrewarded because the doer added modesty to his other merits. It is not to be wondered at that the French academicians begin to doubt the wisdom of a system of rewards which discriminates only too often against the most deserving acts.—Youth's Companion.

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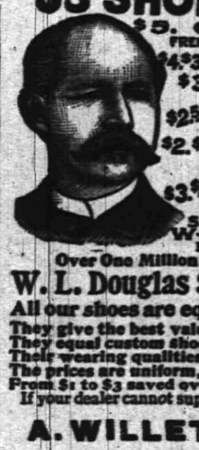

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"COUNT" VAN NESS ARRESTED.

Got $200 on a Policy After He Had Assigned It as Security for a Debt of $700.

"Count" John K. VanNess, 40 years of age, of Plainfield, was a prisoner in the Tombs Court yesterday. The complaint was made by James N. McElhinney, an attorney at 54 East 128th street, who swore that on Nov. 22, 1890, he sued VanNess for $1,840.50 and recovered judgment. VanNess, he said, paid off enough to reduce the amount due to $709 72.

To guarantee the payment of this VanNess assigned to McElhinney an insurance policy for $1,000 on the furniture of his house in Plainfield, which had been burned out a few days previous to Dec. 5, 1893, when the assignment was made. McElhinney was acting for his wife, Jane, in whose name he had recovered the judgment.

The policy of insurance was on the Firemen's Fund Insurance Company of San Francisco. VanNess, McElhinney added, begged him from time to time to delay the presentation of the policy for payment. He complied for a time, but finally decided to write to the company. When he did so he discovered that the claim had been settled by VanNess for $200. He then procured a warrant for VanNess's arrest.

When VanNess was arraigned before Justice McMahon, McElhinney wanted to withdraw the complaint on the prisoner's promise to settle. The Justice refused to allow him to withdraw it, and held VanNess in default of $3,000 bail for examination Jan. 8.

PLAINFIELD LEADS.

Three Out of Four Suits Tried this Term are Plainfield Cases.

Four cases were tried at Elizabeth this week and three of them originated in Plainfield. Reed & Coddington won two of them—the suit of Frederick Durand against Meyer Lichtintritt, and Andrew Love, receiver, against Robert McNabb; and Craig A. Marsh won the other for Augustus Frazee against George Frazee. Three other Plainfield cases were postponed until next term.

Minnie Lester All Next Week.

"Nothing so succeesful as success." This old saying seems to hold particularly good in the case of Miss Minnie Lester, who begins an engagement of six nights and three matinees at Music Hall Monday evening in the very funny comedy-drama "Annette the Dancing Girl." Miss Lester has met with unbounded success ever since her initial performance; she has danced herself into the hearts of the people and become a fixed favorite. The reason is not hard to find; a good show at reasonable prices; something that the people can go and see three or four times a week and feel that they are not robbing themselves. This is what the public want and will liberally support when furnished them.

Miss Lester's famous orchestra still remains with her, and will be heard in several new descriptive pieces. The musical programme for Monday evening includes the overture to "William Tell"; "Village Life in the Olden Time"; selections from Harrigan's "Woolen Stocking"; and the descriptive piece, "A Day with the Circus". Those who have not received a lady's ticket, and desire the benefits of one, can obtain them at the box office, where seats should be secured in advance. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents, positively no higher.

Lyceums Won.

An interesting game was pulled off at Newark last evening between the C. Y. M. L. and Institute bowling clubs. The score:

C. Y. M. L.		INSTITUTE.	
Carty	155	Ford	128
Mack	106	Riley	122
Watters	148	Borneman	148
Guinee	144	Walsh	152
Kenney	138	Gorman	118
Wierenga	125	Kearns	126
W. Kiely	148	Clifford	129
Ribbitts	134	O'Brien	161
P. Kiely	176	Wright	139
Lynch	127	Pemberton	150
	1401		1373

Next Wednesday evening at Jersey City the Lyceum bowlers play the Catholic Club. If the game is won by the C. Y. M. L. they will doubtless secure the trophy.

Friday evening on the Lyceum alleys the Institutes will again try conclusions with last night's conquerors.

Sympathy for John Ulrich.

District Deputy Sears and staff installed the newly-elected officers of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., last evening, in a beautiful and impressive manner, after which the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the sympathy of this Lodge be and the same is hereby extended unto Brother John Ulrich, Past Grand Chancellor of the K. of P., a member of this Lodge, in this hour of his affliction, and that our earnest prayer is that he may be speedily restored to his usual health.

Petition Against Bock.

A petition is being signed against the granting of Charles Bock's application for a license on Somerset street. The reasons for the protest are stated to be the nearness of the location to other barrooms, and because there is no public necessity for another hotel.

—Past President Mrs. Edward Morse of Women's Relief Corps, No. 10, will install the newly-elected officers next Tuesday evening.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FOR BETTER MORALS.

Borough Legislators Decide to Restrict Amusements.

AFTER THE SALOON ANNEXES.

Billiard Parlors and Bowling Alleys to Be Licensed and Regulated—Borough Council Officially Asks the Court Not to License Bock.

It was 8:20 when Mayor Needham called the North Plainfield Common Council to order last evening, and in answer to the roll call by Clerk Arnold Councilmen Valiant, Howell, Neal, Winckler and Lounsbury responded, Mr. Peck being the only absentee.

The minutes of the December meeting were read and approved.

Justice Crosley's report showed that $56 50 had been collected for fines during the past three months, and the clerk reported $12.50 received from various sources.

Collector Spencer's report was read and showed that the total amount of taxes paid to date was $7,397.82.

Clerk Arnold's statement of the borough finances was:

	Deficit.
Borough	$ 971 32
Fire Department	718.71
Road account	$415.98
Light account	404 05
	$2,094 08
	415 98
Deficit	$1,678.10

The usual batch of monthly bills was presented and referred to the proper committees, and later ordered paid.

In answer to the question as to how many lights were deducted from the electric light bill, on account of poor service, Clerk Arnold said there were sixteen.

The Mayor stated that he had received a communication from residents of Grove street, in which they said that W. A. Wilson had been engaged as a watchman and they would like to have the Council give him permission to make arrests.

Mr. Needham had given him the privileges of a special marshal till last night meeting.

Mr. Lounsbury offered a resolution later making him a special marshal without compensation.

Mr. Valiant did not like the spirit of the action taken by the residents and thought that if they paid their taxes they should be protected.

Mr. Howell thought that they should have better protection, it being very poor at present.

The resolution was adopted by the Council.

Mr. Lounsbury stated that the Sewer Committee had instructed F. A. Dunham to furnish the map, grades, etc., which they were given power to secure, and that they would be ready in two weeks.

Mr. Lounsbury said that he with Mr. Peck had seen Mr. Cooley of the Electric Light Co., and had instructed him in regard to placing the lights ordered on Clinton avenue.

Mr. Howell of the Printing Committee said that he had purchased an atlas of F. A. Dunham as he was given power to do.

Mr. Lounsbury offered an ordinance which provides for the licensing and regulating of bowling alleys and billiard saloons in the borough.

He had seen Borough Counsel Reed and was informed that it was perfectly legal and proper. It provides that they have to pay a license fee to be decided upon and that the places have to be closed from 11 each night till 6 the next morning, and from the same hour Saturday night till the same hour Monday morning. Violations of the ordinance incur a fine of $50 for each offense or 10 days in jail or both. It was referred to the Laws and Ordinance Committee.

Mr. Valiant offered resolutions that a warrant be drawn for $53 in favor of pay roll, also that warrants for the $1,500 note with interest due Jan. 12, 1895, and the $1,000 note with interest due Jan. 15, 1895, be drawn for H. N. Spencer and charged to road account.

Mr. Lounsbury offered a similar resolution in regard to the $1,000 note with interest due Jan. 12, the same to be charged to Borough account.

A recess of ten minutes was then taken. During the latter, H. N. Spencer presented a handsome map of Plainfield and North Plainfield to the Council on behalf of ex-Mayor William Saunders. It was made by F. A. Dunham.

When business was resumed Mr. Valiant moved that the hearty thanks of Council be extended to Mr. Saunders for his gift, which was unanimously given.

Mr. Howell offered a resolution that a warrant be drawn for H. N. Spencer for the $1,000 note with interest due Jan. 15, 1895 and charged to light account. It was adopted.

Mr. Valiant offered a resolution that the sense of the Council be expressed to the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, Somerville, against licensing a saloon on Somerset street to be opened by Charles Bock. Mr. Neal stated that it was not a question of temperance, but that Council was charged with protecting the borough. Mr. Howell was in favor of it, individually, but not officially, and Mr. Lounsbury stated that the saloon would add additional duties to the marshals and councilmen, but while he was in favor of the resolution personally he would not vote for it as an official paper. Mr. Valiant had heard where such things had been done before, and as he thought the saloon would be a superlative nuisance, he would vote for the resolution. Mr. Winckler was of the same opinion.

The Mayor spoke at length on the subject and heartily favored the action proposed. He thought the borough and city would be troubled considerable by the saloon, it being on the border line.

Mr. Neal said that he had been informed on good authority that the Somerville Court would look with favor on an official document from the Council.

Mr. Howell thought the hour of closing the saloons should be changed so people could not come from Plainfield at a late hour of the night and fill up on borough liquor.

The resolution was adopted, Mr. Lounsbury alone voting no.

The subject of cleaning sidewalks of snow and ice was brought up by Mr. Lounsbury, who asked if something could not be done to make it practical. It was thought that the borough would be held liable for accidents resulting therefrom. After a long discussion in which compliments were exchanged such as one of the councilmen thought the chairman of the Street Committee should clean the walks, it was said that there was no ordinance compelling a property-owner to clean his walk, and owing to the financial embarrassment of the borough they could do nothing in the matter.

A communication from Engine Co., No. 1, stated that Rudolph Spiegel and Frank Kesselring had been elected members of the company and asked that they be confirmed. It was referred to the proper committee.

On motion of Mr. Howell Council adjourned at 9:20.

NEWS OF NEAR NEIGHBORS.

Scotch Plains and Fanwood.

The Fanwood Township Committee met in their rooms in Excelsior Hall last evening. Chairman Terry called the meeting to order at 8:15. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer reported a balance on hand of $2,934 38. The report was accepted. Mr. Miller as a committee to draft ordinance to have broad tired wheels on heavy vehicles, reported progress. A petition was read by the Clerk, from property owners in the lower end of the township, asking the committee to divide the township into street-lighting districts. The communication was placed on file. Bills were read and ordered paid. On motion, the committee adjourned, to meet at the call of the chair.

Samuel M. Allen expects soon to make an extended trip in the interest of the Empire Oil Company of Cleveland. Mr Allen has secured a very lucrative position with this firm as their northern salesman.

The Scotch Plains Choral Union met in the Chapel of the Baptist Church, Thursday evening, to form a permanent organization, and to secure a leader. Entertainment Committee's report from the Cantata, showed the treasury had been enriched $50. It was decided to make the organization permanent, and a board of ten directors was appointed. The secretary was notified to secure the services of Prof. Fitzhugh as leader. A Soliciting Committee was appointed to secure new members. The meeting adjourned to meet Jan. 17, when the first lesson will be given.

Next week will be the week of prayer at the Baptist Church; meetings will be held every evening in the chapel.

Benjamin Elliott, the blacksmith, while shoeing a horse, Friday, had his knee dislocated. Mr. Elliott pluckily goes around with the aid of a crutch and cane.

The report that Hans Lambertson lost is child by diphtheria is pronounced untrue by the Board of Health.

George McCauly, while driving a spirited horse Tuesday, had what might have been a serious runaway, but he finally got control of the animal after losing a runner and one shaft from the sleigh.

Twilight Council, J. O. U. A. M., was instituted last evening in K. of P. Hall with 25 charter members by State Councilor P. Hall Packer of Seabright. A delegation was present from New Providence Council.

Mrs. West of Newark is spending a few days with Miss Susie L. Parse.

John Marsh expects to begin cutting ice next week on the lake on his property.

Westfield.

The Philadelphia and New York Traction Company through their representatives Mr. Bethel made application to Westfield Town Committee for a spur from the main line toward Cranford.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

A LITTLE GIRL'S DEATH.

JOSIE COOK KILLED BY A ROYAL BLUE TRAIN.

The Little Girl Heedlessly Stepped in Front of a Flying Express and Was Frightfully Mangled.

Little Josie Cook, the 11-year-old daughter of Mrs Ida Cook who lives in Philadelphia, met with a terrible death yesterday afternoon, being struck by the west-bound Royal Blue flyer at 4:45.

Josie and her cousin, Mabel Ayers, who is a few years her senior, were making a short cut across the Central tracks going toward Lafayette place and taking the path back of Cadmus's mill. They were obliged to wait for the passage of an east-bound coal train the noise of which was such that they did not hear the roar of the flyer which was going at 60 miles an hour to make up lost time.

Little Josie started to run to the other side and before Mabel's cry of warning could be heard.

Her little body was hurled through the air with frightful force and struck between the tracks. Horror-stricken Mabel not realizing the awful truth ran to the Ayers home on Spooner avenue and told them Josie was hurt by the train.

The anxious grandparents hurried at once to the track, first, however, sending Mabel to Muhlenberg Hospital nearby for a stretcher. Josie did not live until the stretcher arrived. A sheet mercifully hid the mutilated little body from view, and the grief-stricken relatives notified the undertaker.

Little Josie was a great favorite in Hope Chapel Sunday-school, where she appeared at their Christmas entertainment as an angel. Her mother in Philadelphia was at once notified, and arrived at a late hour last night.

The sad affair has cast a gloom over the entire neighborhood. The engineer claims he did not see the accident and the train sped on. Great indignation is expressed at the fact that the little body lay where it fell until the arrival of the undertaker about 8. Friends who attempted to move the remains to shelter were threatened with arrest if they touched the body. Officer McCue had charge of the body.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Councilman Bird is suffering from a severe cold.

A happy surprise party was given to the Misses Chandler of East Third street last evening.

Miss Carrie Bolby of Asbury, N. J. is visiting her cousin Miss Ella Bolby of Netherwood avenue.

Harry F. Rowe of the Drew Seminary at Madison, is the guest of Rev. C. R Barnes of Grove street.

Miss Miller of Wilmington, Delaware, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Esther K. Miller of Netherwood.

Miss Wilkins of Rochester, New York, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Douglass of 44 Washington avenue.

J. Howard Leggett, the druggist, is ill at his home on West Front street with a heavy cold, verging on the grip.

Mrs. J. R. Ludlow of Philadelphia is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Van-Deventer of Woodland avenue, Netherwood.

Miss Rosalie Mumford of Vassar College is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs. E. J. Mumford of South avenue, Netherwood.

Henry E. Coe and family who spend the Summer on East Front street will arrive in Plainfield today to enjoy the sleighing for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Porter and family who have been spending the past few days in New York city returned to their home on Craig place yesterday.

James Canfield of Grove street has just finished a seven room cottage on the corner of Johnson avenue and East George street, into which he intends moving about January 15.

Miss Ethel Finch who has been spending the holiday vacation with her parents on Belvidere avenue will return to her studies Monday at the St. Gabriel College, Peekskill, New York.

George D. White and family of Netherwood who have been boarding in Rahway for the past two months, moved their furniture there yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. White will make Rahway their future home.

The patrons of the Somerset street trolley line will soon miss the face of one of the gentlemanly young conductors, James McCormick. He goes to Springfield, Mass., Monday, for a two-weeks visit with relatives.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

COUNCIL GOES OUT.

Hears the Balance of Reports and Winds up Affairs.

ITS RECORD A SHINING MARK.

During the Year by Prudent Management the City's Needs Have Been Thoroughly Filled, and the Accounts Are Closed With Balances in the Treasury—Fires, Arrests and Other Statistics, Fully Detailed.

The Plainfield Common Council for 1894 held its final session last night. All were present but Councilman Frazee.

A petition was received from citizens asking for a fire-alarm box at Watchung and Woodland avenues or Watchung and Belvidere avenues, as the nearest box to the petitioners was nearly half a mile away. This was filed with the City Clerk for reference to the next Council.

Andrew J. Gavett, Constructing Engineer, reported 17,411 feet of sewer laid, at a cost of $12 248 71. The amount of underdrain laid was 7,852 feet. He and the Sewer Committee recommended the early continuance of the work under additional contracts. The report was filed.

Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh reported that George R. Rockfellow was entitled to the office of constable.

Councilman Ginna reported that the special committee had conferred with the Board of Health in regard to sanitary plumbing and had framed an ordinance which was to be presented to the new Council. The committee was dissolved.

The Alms Committee report showed that 68 persons had received aid during the year. The cost had been less than the previous year, which was attributed to the greater activity of church and other charitable societies and the careful supervision of all cases.

The annual report of the Finance Committee and the balance sheet of the year were submitted, and ordered published in the official papers. They are published in full in this issue of The Daily Press, and show a balance to the credit of the departments and a highly gratifying condition of the municipal finances.

Chairman Dumont explained that the general fund was about $8,000 better off than a year ago, owing to the collection of $4,000 more of delinquent taxes than in previous years and economy in expenditure and saving money on the several appropriations.

The proposed rules and regulations of the fire department being still incomplete, they were referred back to the Board of Engineers.

All pending applications for fire-alarm boxes were referred to the incoming Council.

Chief Engineer T. O. Doane in his annual report stated the number of firemen to be as follows: 153 members, 1 chief, 2 assistant engineers, 4 foremen, 8 assistant foremen, 1 engineer of steamer, 5 drivers and 114 privates. Two members had been expelled, 2 resigned, 1 died and 1 new member was elected. He recommended the addition of a tillerman to the staff, as often the truck was seriously delayed awaiting the arrival of someone competent to manage the tiller. During the year 16 lengths of hose had burst, and the hose was in the following condition: 5,150 feet total; 2,500 in good condition; 650 fair; 2,000 poor. Engine-house at 208-212 West Second street was in good order, having been remodeled and repaired at an expense of $725; it might need a new tin roof soon. The enginehouse at 147-153 East Second street was new and in splendid condition. The fires of the year were as follows: Total alarms 60, an increase of 25 over the previous year; cause unknown, 13; defective flue, 13; defective stovepipe, 1; burning paper, 1; boiler, 2; lightning, 1; celluloid comb, 1; wad from cannon, 1; overheated stove, 5; acid, 1; electric light wire, 1; oily rags, 1; out of town, 3; lamp explosion, 4; false alarms, 4; box of ashes, 2; tree afire, 1; sparks from locomotive, 2; children and matches, 2; brush heap, 1. Though this is a greater number of fires than in any previous year since the city acquired the department, the losses were comparatively small, because of the first-class equipment and the quick responses to alarms. It was hard to tell at a fire which company the men were members of, as they all worked together to attain one end, to put out the fire and put it out quick. Chief Doane reported 231 hydrants, 21 having been added during the year. The average hydrant pressure was seventy-four pounds, but at Netherwood Heights the pressure was only about 40 lbs. The Chief recommended placing an alarm gong at the pumping station, and that No. 2's horse be exchanged for a more satisfactory one. He renewed his previous recommendation for a chemical engine, and pointed out that during the year 23 fires had been put out by chemical extinguishers alone. As Fire Marshal Mr. Doane had made 400 inspections of buildings, cellars and ash-heaps, and had removed many causes for danger. Fire escapes were needed on several buildings, and an ordinance requiring them should be passed. Fire apparatus should be established in the West End, and the reduction in insurance rates would more than offset the increase in taxes. The loss during the year on buildings was $3,015 20, covered by insurance of $79 915; loss on contents, $6,674; insurance, $42,-900; total amount of insurance involved, $122,815; collected, $9 689 20. Uninsured property to the extent of $18,000 had been saved during the year—one building of $10,000, and about $8,000 of furniture chiefly owned by poor families whose little all it was. The Chief thanked Manager Charles W. Runyon of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company for his kind and valuable advice and help on the fire alarm system, the Council for providing such an admirable equipment, and the Corporation Counsel for his valuable legal advice. He urged better restriction of the stringing of wires on poles.

Chief of Police George W. Grant reported the total number of police as 38, 8 regulars and 30 specials, one regular having resigned because of ill health. Their duties, he remarks, have been performed in a worthy manner. The total number of arrests was 529: 505 white, 24 colored. Of these 493 were men, 36 women. They are classified as follows: For being drunk and disorderly, 60; drunkenness, 76; disorderly conduct, 202; larceny, 15; violation of hack ordinance, 6; violation of street ordinance, 1; violation of liquor ordinance, 7; violation of bicycle ordinance, 30; gambling, 1; disorderly house, 5; fast driving, 3; peddler's license, 15; riding on trains, 69; assault, 3; non-support, 2; vagrancy, 2; contempt of court, 1; fugitive from justice, 1; miscellaneous, 31. Of these prisoners, 193 were fined, 170 had sentence suspended, 93 were sent to the county jail for periods ranging from 10 to 60 days, 9 were held for the grand jury, 35 were discharged, 1 was sentenced to State Prison, 18 were held to keep the peace, 4 cases were appealed, 1 was held on requisition papers, and five are unsettled.

The report of Street Commissioner Robert A. Meeker, which was published in full in The Daily Press of yesterday, was presented, and not read because it had already been read in the paper. Mr. Dumont criticized the fact of publication being made before the report was submitted to the Council. Mr. Fisk laughed and said it was a case of the reporters getting ahead of the Council.

Mr. Erickson reported that the last of the old fire bonds had been paid, and there was no further outstanding indebtedness. The trust mortgage was ordered cancelled.

After a recess in which the Clerk wrote his minutes of the session, they were adopted, and the Council adjourned. At the closing moment Mr. Ginna put through a vote of thanks to President See for his courteous and gratifying administration of the year, and to the Clerk for his satisfactory work. Mr. See in turn thanked the Councilmen for their labors, and congratulated the city on the success and progress of the year. He spoke of the immense amount of business done in committee, and complimented the committees on their work.

Closing Out Sale.

The music store at 322 West Front street formerly occupied by F. M. Hulette will be opened on Monday. If you need anything in the music line now is your opportunity, as everything will be sold at cost prices for the coming week; this includes a fine line of pianos, musical instruments, sheet music and also a number of Domestic sewing machines. Store closes at 6.

Heavy Prizes.

A card club, composed of a number of young people of Plainfield and North Plainfield, met Thursday evening at the residence of S. P. Smith of Central avenue. Progressive hearts was the game enjoyed, and after an exciting game the prizes were awarded. The first feminine prize, a silver belt buckle, was won by Miss Bessie Baldwin. Miss Lillian Glenn received second prize, a silver nail-file. Allen Taylor received first masculine prize, a silver lead pencil; Seymour P. Smith, Jr., received second, a pair of silver cuff buttons.

Those who attended were Miss Bessie Baldwin, Miss Lillian Glenn, Miss Lillian Schoonmaker, Miss Elsie Jones, Miss Florence Serrell, Miss Clara Long, Miss Percy Emmons, Miss Ethel Green, Sydney F. Green, Clifford Crane, Seymour P. Smith, Jr., Geo. P. Smith, Sydney R. Titsworth, Benjamin O. Bowers, Jr., Allen Taylor and Fred Smith.

After refreshments had been served dancing was in order for the rest of the evening.

Gilbride Today Return.

Mrs. Benjamin Benham, (alias Gilbride), accompanied by Detective Bond of Philadelphia, left town for Elizabeth at 10 this morning. Braham will be taken from the county jail at once on requisition papers mentioned by The Press last evening. Gilbride, Mrs. Braham states, bondsmen are ready in Philadelphia as soon as the party arrives and she hopes to return at once to Plainfield accompanied by her husband.

—The first meeting in the new Y. M. C. A. building will be held at 4:15 p. m. tomorrow. Charles T. Kissam will conduct.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Bustard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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THE WORK OF CONGRESS

Senator Lodge Creates a Lively Discussion.

Asks the President for Information Regarding the Withdrawal of Vessels of War from Hawaii Mr Morgan Defends the Nicaragua Canal Bill—Work in the House.

Washington, Jan. 5.—There was a very lively and interesting discussion in the senate over Senator Lodge's (rep., Mass.) resolution calling on the president for information as to the withdrawal of American vessels of war from the Hawaiian islands. All of the republican senators who participated in the discussion—Lodge, Sherman (O.), Hawley (Conn.), Hale (Me.), Aldrich (R. I.), and Teller (Col.),—favored the adoption of the resolution while the democratic senators who spoke—Butler (S. C.), Morgan (Ala.), and Gray (Del.),—argued in favor of its reference to the committee on foreign relations.

One democratic senator—Call, of Florida—opposed the reference and favored the resolution. The morning hour expired before any vote was taken; and the resolution lost its place on the table, and went to the calendar, where it will be heard of no more.

Then Mr. Morgan (dem., Ala.) finished his speech in support of the Nicaragua canal bill, defending it against the assaults made upon it by Mr. Turpie (dem., Ind.), in his three days speech. No action was taken, and the bill still remains the unfinished business.

The military academy appropriation bill was passed, with a few amendments, occupying no more time than was necessary for the clerk to read it. The pension appropriation bill was taken up but went over without final action. The senate then adjourned till Monday.

The debate on the currency bill in the house of representatives was in some respects the most notable and interesting that has occurred. The speeches of Messrs. Dingley, of Maine, and Hepburn, of Iowa, were significant in that they were taken to express the purpose of the republican majority in the next congress to proceed at once, upon its assemblage, to the preparation of a revenue measure which will, in their opinion, provide enough money to meet the expenditures of the government. Nothing short of that, according to their statements, will be sufficient to remedy or remove the evils from which the treasury and the whole country are suffering. Mr. Hepburn would also go further and proceed to legislate for a more general use and coinage of silver, but Mr. Dingley was silent on that point.

Representative Hendrix, of New York, also made a notable speech. He said the bill would be a failure as far as the purpose which it sought to effect were concerned. He approved the principle contained in the bill, advocated by the president and secretary of the treasury, of taking the government out of the banking business and pleaded with the majority to supplement its magnificent record in taking the government out of the silver business, by enacting that principle into law before adjournment.

Other speeches were made by Messrs. Caruth (dem., Ky.), and Gresham (dem., Tex.), in favor of the bill. Mr. Sperry (dem., Conn.) gave notice of a substitute he intended to offer, and Mr. Walker (rep., Mass.) presented two additional sections to his substitute, requiring the payment of customs dues in part in gold for a certain period, and authorizing the secretary of the treasury to sell 3 per cent. bonds to cover deficiencies in the treasury and to maintain the gold reserve.

ROASTED IN MIDAIR.

Horrible Death of Frank Murphy in the Jersey City Depot.

Jersey City, Jan. 5.—Frank Murphy, aged 27, of Henderson street, this city, met a horrible death in the Pennsylvania railroad depot. Murphy was a tinsmith, in search of work, and started to climb an iron ladder leading from ground to roof to see the foreman.

When about forty feet up he lost his footing and threw out his hands to save himself. In doing so he grasped a "live" electric light wire with both hands and held on for several moments. Then he fell to the ground. He was dead when the employes reached his side. His hands were smoking and the flesh was burned to the bone. The body was removed to the morgue. Murphy leaves a widow and several children in destitute circumstances.

Eight Burned to Death.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 5.—At an out of the way place near Willachoochee, in Coffee county, the house of a colored man named Peter Vickers was destroyed by fire. Tom Vickers, a brother of Peter, three of Peter's children, and four children of another colored man, making eight in all, were burned to death. It is believed the fire was of incendiary origin.

Liu Kun-Yi Is Sick.

London, Jan. 5.—A dispatch to the Central News from Pekin says that Liu Kun Yi, the recently appointed successor to Li Hung Chang in the supreme command of the Chinese forces, has postponed his departure for the front for a few days, pleading illness as the cause of his delay.

Father Sticks Removed.

Pana, Ill., Jan. 5.—Rev. Father Sticks, the Catholic minister who made a bitter attack on members of his congregation in a sermon New Year's morning, has been removed, and his successor will take charge of the church Feb. 1.

THE NEW BANKING BILL

Mr. Sperry's Substitute for the Carlisle Measure.

Bonds To Be Issued To Cover All Outstanding Legal Tenders—To Be Exempted from the Payment of Taxes and Duties—Notes To Be Redeemed in Gold.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The following is the full text of the bill introduced by Mr. Sperry, of Connecticut, as a substitute for the Carlisle banking bill:

Section 1.—That the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized to issue in a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate all the United States notes now outstanding, including all legal tender notes issued under the provisions of the acts of February 25, 1862, and July 11, 1862, and March 3, 1863, and all treasury notes issued under the provisions of the act of July 14, 1890, coupon or registered bonds of the United States, at the option of the purchasers thereof, payable in gold coin of the United States of the present standard value, bearing interest payable quarterly, in such coin, at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.

Said bonds shall be of the denominations of $10, $50, $100, $200, $500, $1,000 or $10,000, at the option of the purchasers thereof, and shall be in such form as the secretary shall prescribe; said bonds shall be payable at the option of the United States ten years from the date of their issue, and shall be due and payable thirty years from the date of their issue, and all of said bonds and the interest thereon shall be exempt from the payment of all taxes and duties of the United States, as well as from taxation in any form by or under state, municipal or local authority, and the said bonds shall have set forth and expressed upon their face the above specified conditions, and shall, with their coupons, be made payable at the treasury of the United States. And a sum necessary to pay the expense of preparing, issuing, advertising, and disposing of said bonds is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the treasury of the United States, not otherwise appropriated.

Section 2.—That from and after the passage of this act all United States legal tender notes issued under the provisions of the acts of February 25, 1862, July 11, 1862, and March 3, 1863, and all treasury notes issued under the provisions of the act of July 14, 1890, which shall be redeemed in gold coin at the treasury of the United States shall be canceled and destroyed and shall not again be reissued, and the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and required to sell and dispose of at public or private sales, within his discretion, any of the bonds issued under this act, at not less than their par value for gold, coin, to an amount equal to the amount of all such United States notes and treasury notes so redeemed, canceled or destroyed.

Section 3.—That whenever the amount of gold coin and gold bullion in the treasury of the United States, which is not held for the redemption of gold certificates outstanding falls below the amount of $100,000,000, the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and empowered to sell and dispose of, at public or private sale, within his discretion, any of the bonds issued under this act, at not less than their par value in gold coin, to such an amount as shall be necessary to restore the amount of gold coin and gold bullion in the treasury of the United States, which is not held for the redemption of gold certificates outstanding to the amount of $100,000,000.

Section 4.—That the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized, within his discretion, to use from time to time any surplus revenue of the United States to redeem United States legal tender notes issued under the provisions of the acts of February 25, 1862, July 11, 1862, and March 3, 1863, and treasury notes issued under the provisions of the act of July 14, 1890, and said notes, when so redeemed shall be canceled and destroyed, and shall not again be reissued.

Section 5.—That the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized, within his discretion, to sell and dispose of any of the bonds issued under the provisions of this act, at public or private sale, at not less than their par value, for gold coin, to such amount or amounts as he may deem necessary and to apply the proceeds of the bonds so sold to the redemption of any United States legal tender notes issued under the provisions of the acts of February 25, 1862, July 11, 1862, and March 3, 1863, or treasury notes issued under the provisions of the act of July 14, 1890, which may be received into the treasury of the United States, in payment of duties on imports, internal revenue taxes, or any other dues to the United States, and all such United States or treasury notes so redeemed shall be canceled and destroyed, and shall not again be reissued.

Well Known Railroad Man Dead.

New Orleans, Jan. 5.—Col. F. B. Wheelock, general agent of the Texas Pacific railroad, and one of the best known railroad men in the country is dead. He had been ill for some time. He has been associated with the Texas Pacific since its entry into this city and was a close friend of the Gouldş.

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SUSTAINS THE ROAD'S CLAIM

Judge Shumway Hands Down an Important and Interesting Decision.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 5.—An interesting and important decision has just been rendered by Judge Shumway, of the superior court.

In 1893 the railroad commissioners ordered the highway over the railroad east of the Darien, (Conn.) station to be closed and provided that travel should be carried under the tracks of the railroad at a point west of the station. After the work had been completed some property owners sought to establish a new highway on the line of the old and discontinued one.

After this case had been in court for three months the railroad became a party to the complaint, and filed a plea to the jurisdiction, setting up that the court had no power to authorize the layout of a new highway because the question of public convenience became res adjudicata under the order of the commissioners and because the proposed new layout would occupy a tract of land which was then used for freight yard, station and approaches.

The judge in his decision sustains the road's claim and dismisses the complaint. This decision is of importance, because it shows that when the commissioners discontinue a highway, and no appeal is taken to the superior court by aggrieved parties, neither the town nor the superior court can thereafter lay out a highway over or under the location abandoned.

BURNS' FAREWELL TALK.

Clarendon Hall Packed with a Crowd of Representative Labor Men.

New York, Jan. 5.—Clarendon hall was packed last evening with a crowd of representative labor men who had gathered to render a farewell reception to John Burns, and hear the great English leader's last public utterances in this country.

Mr. Burns, in speaking of monopoly control, said that it was responsible for the death of one person a day in Chicago alone, owing to grade crossings. Great Britain, with its entire population, getting only 100 more deaths in a year from a similar source. American brakemen are compelled to take greater risks with their lives than those of any other country, because monopoly cannot be compelled to adopt proper couplings apparatus as in England and elsewhere.

"We are living in an industrial hell," he said, "in some respects. The rate of wages has decreased 35 per cent. since 1891-92, and is gradually coming down to lowest living cost of lowest grade of labor. Immigrants should all be compelled to join trades unions, or capital will force wages down to their standard of living."

THE DEBS CONSPIRACY CASE.

Motion to Quash Indictments Up Before Judge Grosscup.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—The motion to quash the indictments for conspiracy agaist Eugene V. Debs and the other directors of the American Railway union, besides sixty others, who are accused of stopping the mails and interfering with inter-state commerce, were brought up before Judge Grosscup in the United States court. There were twenty indictments in all.

Attorney T. A. Harper, in opening for the defndants, claimed that all the indictments should be quashed because the word "feloniously" did not appear in any of them; also because it had been held by Justice Harlan and others that men had a right to combine or conspire to strike. He also thought the indictments not specific enough.

Mr. Milchrist spoke for the government. The only defendant present was Director William Burns.

SWINDLED OUT OF $5,000.

The "Gold" Brick Game Successfully Worked in Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 5.—A. W. Withers of Gloucester county, was swindled out of $5,000 in money here by two men, claiming to be John Williams, of Arizona, and Thomas H. Parker, an assayer, of the United States mint, at Philadelphia. The men worked a bunco game upon Withers to get him to Richmond, and the cash was paid to Williams by Withers upon a couple of bricks of "gold" which after a test by a jeweler proved to be brass.

Both the men escaped and all that they left behind them was a couple of valises containing a mask and a wig and a lot of circulars exposing a gold brick swindle. A part of the scheme was that Williams claimed to be in Virginia looking for an uncle named Alfred Withers, which appellation his victim bears.

Old Wages Restored.

North Adams, Mass., Jan. 5.—The North Adams Manufacturing company has announced a restoration of the 5 per cent. cut made in wages of their employes during the business depression. The cut originally was 10 per cent., but some time ago the help struck for their old wages. Five per cent. was restored at that time, and the company said that when times justified it, the other 5 per cent. would be paid to their employes.

Died on the Train.

St. Louis, Jan. 5.—Thomas Russell, a wealthy resident of Brooklyn, arrived here from Colorado with his two children and the remains of his wife. Mrs. Russell died one hour before reaching the Union station. She was a consumptive and had been taken west in the hope of recovery.

Will Aid Nebraska Sufferers.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 5.—A special committee has been appointed by the Young Men's Business league of Charleston to collect from all parts of the state and forward to the suffering people of Nebraska corn and other provisions.

Bishop McDonnell's Trip to Rome.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Bishop McDonnell, of this city, accompanied by his private secretary, the Rev. Father Barrett, will leave for Rome on Jan. 12, to visit the pope.

Miss Stevenson Growing Weaker.

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 5.—Miss Stevenson's condition is worse this morning. Her case is regarded as extremely serious.

Athens Shaken Up Again.

Athens, Jan. 5.—Several severe earthquake shocks were felt here yesterday.

RAPIDLY BREAKING DOWN

MRS. S. BATES TELLS THE STORY OF HER SUFFERINGS.

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Smugglers? Thousands of them. They swarm along the Canadian border from ocean to ocean. It may be the track of a solitary sledge on the St. Lawrence, or a fishing schooner beating into a quiet bay where there are no fish; or, if you like, a well dressed woman hiding a fortune in gems in the rug with which she protects a silk pug from the cold as the train nears the frontier—the methods change from time to time, for in novelty ofttimes there is safety, but the smugglers, like the poor, are with us always.

The fact now is just what it has been ever since there has been population enough on both sides of the border to make the evasion of the tariff a paying business for adventurous spirits—Uncle Sam cannot police his long line of border fence, nor indeed do any more than make a poor bluff at it, and trust to the moral sense of the people for the rest. And when the fence isn't watched the almighty dollar crowds the moral sense of the people to the wall, and there's an end to it. Give the frontiersman a chance to smuggle and he will arrange the matter with his conscience.

And how do smugglers smuggle? Well I put that question a day or two ago to A. L. Drummond, who used to be the head of the United States Secret Service in New York, and who did sterling work against the opium carriers years ago.

"Just take for example," Detective Drummond said, "the tricks devised by the men who smuggle opium over the border from Canada. The duty has been changed now, I suppose, but in my day a smuggler could save $10 a pound on the drug. Well, what do they do? You know what an or inary carpenter's tool box looks like. They will take such a box and fix it with little panels of drawers, which only a minute inspection will disclose, or place a false bottom in it, or a false top, leaving room to slip in the thin, oblong cakes, and then coolly walk over the bridge or border, after the manner of an honest workman."

But methods, like smugglers, are innumerable, and vary with the goods to be carried and the station and dress of the person who carries them.

READY FOR COMP'NY.

Suggestions for Mammas Who Have Little Girls to Dress.

PUT UP ON THE MINISTER.

If He Hadn't Had the Tobacco Habit 'Twouldn't have Happened.

The clerks in the office were always on the alert to play some joke on Sniffles, the junior bookkeeper, and the strangest part of it was that they always managed to catch him unawares.

The other day the clerks loaded a tempting looking cigar with an apparently harmless explosive. It was graciously offered to Sniffles, who accepted it with profuse thanks, saying he would smoke it after dinner that evening.

It so happened that this very evening Sniffles' wife, who was a very religious woman, had invited the minister to dinner. The minister loved good cigars, and Sniffles, knowing this, proudly asked him to have a cigar and unselfishly and innocently handed him the one which he had received that afternoon from the clerks in the office.

Sniffles' wife was pleased at her husband's generosity to the minister and looked on with pleasure as the minister contentedly lighted the cigar.

Suddenly there was a report, the minister fairly howled with terror, and the air was filled with smoke. Sniffles and his wife were surprised and shocked beyond expression.

"Heavens!" muttered Sniffles, "that's the work of those d——n clerks again."

The minister's face was red with rage. Half of his beautiful side whiskers had been singed and he looked a sight. He gave one terrible glance at Sniffles, then took his hat and departed.

"Never shall I enter this house again," he said with great emotion as he shut the door.

That night there was war in Sniffles' house. His wife accused him of having loaded the cigar on purpose in order to drive the minister away. All his explanations were in vain, and now Sniffles and his wife have ceased to speak.

The clerks are still wondering whether Sniffles smoked that cigar, but he is so silent about the matter that they can't get anything out of him.

THE SUN'S FASHIONS.

THE EVER UP-TO-DATE FRILLS OF FEMININE DRESS.

The Balloon Sleeve Sags and Hovers About the Elbow. Artificial Flowers a Feature of Evening Dress, to the Chagrin of the Florist.

In this festive season, when gayety of every description is at high tide and variety in dress is such a necessity to the fashionable woman, the weird fancies and varied elegancies of fashion are developed with great effect. It would seem that all the colors of the rainbow had been reassembled, with all their modern variations, and formed into new and heretofore unknown combinations.

Despite fashion's reputation for erratic ways and rapidly changing moods, she is still faithful to the style of bodice which is made of a different material and color from those of the skirt. It may be some satisfaction for those to whom a fancy waist is a necessity to extend the usefulness of one black silk skirt, to know that the latest evening dresses from Felix are made with waists entirely different from the skirt.

One style of a low bodice, made to wear with any kind of a skirt with which it will harmonize, is of pink satin, covered with peach-colored chiffon, full and overhanging directly in front, and it is trimmed at the neck with crossed folds of mauve, white and pink chiffon, with mauve rosettes interspersed. The incongruous combination of fur, flowers, velvet, and gauzy chiffon in one evening gown is not unusual, and it is very effective when arranged artistically.

Artificial flowers in some bright color are one of the features of evening dresses, especially those worn by young ladies, and are arranged high on the left side of the bodice.

Embroidered silks are much used for dressy gowns, and, like the cloth and chiffon, are made up over plain cloth in contrasting color. It can be used for the waist alone, for the skirt and sleeves, or the bodice and sleeves, just as fancy dictates. Felix dresses of plain heavy silk are sometimes trimmed up the seams of the skirt with embroidery, jet or chenille galoon.

Evening gowns are not the only dresses in demand for the house party outfit, for there must be day gowns, both dressy and plain, and the inevitable tailor-made dress, which, like the brook, seems likely to go on forever. It may vary in cut and decoration, but it is always the dress for real service.

A pretty bodice, for informal dinners and card parties, is made of black velvet, cut plain in the back with one seam in the middle and plain in front. White chiffon, accordeon plaited, forms the wide vest over white satin, which is cut out in the neck above the jet band, which also trims the collar, sleeves and belt. A frill of guipure lace falls over the sleeves and is caught up at each side of the bust with a rosette of satin ribbon. Another effective bodice is made of white moire, with a yoke and side pieces of black satin covered with jet passementerie very open in pattern. The back is like the front, the sleeves of black satin and the collar of white silk muslin.

One of the decided manifestations of fashion is shown in this tendency of the sleeve to droop so that the fullest part shall be near the elbow. One way to accomplish this is by the use of inch-wide bands of fur, velvet or jet, beginning at the shoulder and extending down on the sleeve half way to the elbow, on the top confining the fulness, and graduated so that the longest one is on the inside seam.—New York Sun.

An Inference.

Mrs. Jackson—Did you see Mrs. Brown's collection of rare old China?

Jackson—Yes; her family must have been quite poor.

Mrs. Jackson—Nonsense! Why do you think so?

Jackson—Well, if they had been able to keep servants she never would have had that collection of rare old china.—Life.

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Bobby—Pop, what's a miracle?

Fond Parent—A miracle, Bobby is that which cannot be accomplished by man alone.

Bobby—Is getting married a miracle, Pop?

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There are no chairs in the Queen's favorite room, although in some of the others there are clumsy stools and awkward chairs which seem to have been made by a backwoodsman rather than by skilled cabinetmakers. The Corean women from the Queen down, prefer to stand, squat, lounge or recline rather than sit down like Western mortals.

The Queen usually receives with several court ladies, maid in waiting, and a few rather good looking slave girls. She receives you with great politeness, and talks small talk through an interpreter with fluency.

She is rather a good looking woman, and suggests the Manchurian rather than the Corean type. Her face is long and oval, her cheek bones rather high, her nose long, her forehead high and broad, her mouth somewhat large, and her teeth square and yellowish in color. Her hair is a bluish black, with a sprinkling of gray. Her complexion is extremely good for a woman of her age. It is smooth and velvety, and the only evidence of time are a few crows' feet at the corner of her eyes.

For a Queen she is very simple and unassuming in her dress. Her garments are of the finest silk, her shoes are of silk or satin, richly embroidered, and such jewelry as she wears is of a plain, though substantial nature.

It consists of large and heavy hairpins of solid gold, richly jewelled; several diamond rings, and a few gold fastenings upon her cape and dress, and apparently many small jewels in her shoes. Her choice of colors shows her Oriental nature by using bright tints and striking contrasts. Her wardrobe is very extensive and is said to fill several rooms.

The Queen possesses great ability, and is said to be the ablest politician in the Kingdom. This is high praise, because Oriental politics are so crafty, involved and treacherous that a Corean wirepuller would double discount a regiment of New York Aldermen.

The Queen's predilections oddly enough, are toward the two countries of the most opposite type—the United States and China. It was through her influence more than that of anybody else that the King employed Greathouse, Le Gendre, Challet Long and other American Ministers and advisers.

She was the first to have American lights brought to Corea, and in July last, just before the war broke out, she was arranging to have a telephone and a large electric plant put into the palace grounds. Among her treasures she possesses American watches, American clocks, American revolvers, and American sewing machines.

On the other hand she has a deep love for China, and has done her best to fasten Chinese suzerainty upon her own country.

While she can read and write in Corean she prefers to do it in Chinese, and is said by those competent to judge to be a very great Chinese scholar.

She is fond of recreation and keeps in her retinue both sing song girls and geishas, or dancing girls.

She is a strict follower of etiquette and bases it chiefly upon the great Chinbook of rites. Her will is law, and within her own quarters she has the power of life and death over man and woman alike. She is not cruel, however, and in the many instances in which she has been called upon to punish her subordinates she has seldom if ever resorted to the heartless and terrible punishments so common to the far East. She is said to be a very affectionate wife and mother.

She spends several hours each day with the King. If he is alone she behaves towards him very much as wives and husbands do the world over; if he is engaged upon any business she sits or stands behind a tall, wide screen, close to the King's back, in which there are many small apertures, through which she can see everything going on. Even in the King's private audience chamber she has not only a screen, but also a lattice work in the wall, which enables her to be a witness to everything going on.

A Valuable Hen.

Frank Crouch of Central Lake, this State, has a hen whose record no other English speaking fowl can hope to break. This hen, which, for the sake of brevity, we will call Thanatopsis, began laying eggs this spring, and at last accounts had the remarkable number of 263 to her credit.

That would be a fair season's work for a pickerel, but Thanatopsis is no fish. When in the early summer the mind of Thanatopsis began to turn towards thoughts of maternity, she would have set and hatched a large and interesting family, after the time-honored custom of all well regulated hens, but found she had the habit of laying eggs so firmly fixed that she could not abandon it. In vain did she cluck and ruffle up her feathers in the seclusion of the root cellar.

Idle were her attempts to cuddle down upon the jagged edge of a cast off door knob. No sooner had she warmed the outer casing of the senseless clay than her propensity for laying eggs would fall upon her like a wet rag, and with a shrill scream she would hustle off to her nest and there, alone with her gnawing grief, lay eggs until torn away by her pitying owner.

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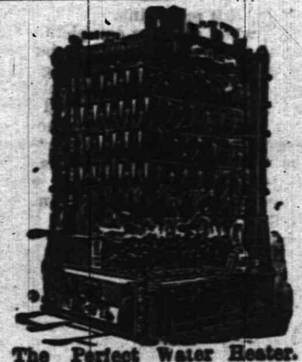

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Plainfield Ice Cold Storage Company have begun cutting ice on Wilson's pond.

—The work of the fire horses on the streets last year earned $214 for the city.

—Postmaster Hetfield, a representative of the Yale Lock Company, and a Government official, are to meet Monday to sign contract for the new post-office fixtures.

—A great chance to secure groceries, coffee, tea, spices, canned goods, etc., will be found in the auction sale at the store of the Pacific Mail Tea and Grocery Co., 106 East Front street, Jan. 8 and 9, as advertised in The Press today. Also to be sold are horses, wagons and harness, counters, shelving and fixtures.

Manhattans Won.

At the Manhattan alleys last evening the Manhattan Bowling Club won in a walk leading their opponents 363 pins at the close. The score:

MANHATTANS.		S. AND P. B. C.	
Hipp, J.	123	Shirley	119
Smith	158	Sutphen	106
Willet, F.	166	Overbaugh	104
Wycoff, E.	169	Soden	123
Townley, R.	137	Delaney	136
Brady	139	Muir, A.	127
Lewis	117	Griffen	127
Willet, H.	207	Meaker	110
Townley, W.	111	Icke, F.	98
Neal	187	Muir, Al.	101
	1514		1151

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Negotiating for Netherwood.

J. Fred MacDonald, the real-estate hustler who is always working for Plainfield's best interests, is engineering a transfer of the Hotel Netherwood property.

The prospective purchaser is Mr. Noble, a hotel manager of wide experience, operating a hotel in Lakewood and one in Asbury Park. The Latimer estate, Charles Hyde, John Ludlum, W. P. Smith, the City National Bank, E. R. Pope, and G. W. Rockfellow, are the owners about to transfer the property to Mr. Noble.

The property cost $250,000, and it is understood Mr. Noble will acquire it for $100,000. The deal will be closed in a short time.

Harrison Denies It.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—I desire to say that your account of the accident of Thursday noon was perfectly correct, and that the statement made in The Courier-News last evening was wholly untrue, as I have not been in their office since the accident. GEO. HARRISON.

Thanks for the Services.

The following was adopted by the Y.M.C.A. Directors:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. be extended to the Chief of the Fire Department and those who assisted him for their gentlemanly and efficient service gratuitously given during the progress of the Fair.

—If you feel your foot, it's because for some reason or other your foot feels uncomfortable. For house wear, these cold days, the Alfred Dodge all-wool felt slippers and shoes are comfortable and healthy. Doane & Edsall sell them.

—A gang of Liberty street hoodlums smashed the windows of Lenardo Vitner's shop this morning, and when chased by the latter one of them turned and struck him in the face cutting his lip. Such ruffians should be apprehended at once.

A pure cream of tartar powder.

CLEVELAND'S

Only a rounded spoonful is required, of Cleveland's Baking Powder not a heaping spoonful.

BAKING POWDER

"Pure" and "Sure."

Food raised with Cleveland's baking powder has no bitter taste, but is sweet and keeps sweet and fresh.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The senior Mr. Burgess of Central avenue is seriously ill.

A third son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William D. Thicketun last night.

Fred Van Eps of East Fifth street has recovered from his sprained wrist.

Josiah Layton has left the Hospital and gone to the VanPelt Home in Metuchen.

H. M. Stockton is on the Home Committee of the great new Wool Club of New York.

L. B. Mulford of the firm of Hummer & Mulford is very ill at his home on West Second street.

Miss Sadie Randolph and her sister Lillie of Evona will spend Sunday with relatives in Plainfield.

Daniel Cory, whose 87th birthday anniversary comes next June, is very low with an apoplectic stroke.

Miss Ida Randolph of Newark has returned home from her visit with Miss Eva Dunavan of Elm place.

T. E. F. Randolph, a prominent New York flour dealer, is the guest of Mr. Bonnell of East Front street.

Miss Molly Feller returned last evening from a visit to her cousin, who resides at 184 North Tenth street, New York.

Mrs. C. A. Carley of New York has returned to her home after a pleasant holiday visit with her sister, Mrs. Bernard Brady of Central avenue.

The Misses Mamie Cody and Lizzie Clifton of Worcester, after a pleasant visit with friends and relatives in the West End, left for home today.

Miss Nina Halsey, who has been visiting her cousin Miss Euphemia Johnston of East Sixth street, returned yesterday to her home in Rockaway, Morris county.

John C. Whitney, of East Sixth street, and Fred W. Goddard, of East Ninth street, graduates of the Plainfield High School, have returned to their studies at Amherst College.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Frentz of Scotch Plains, will sail Monday for Jacksonville, Florida, and will proceed at once to Aron Park, De Sola county, where they will be guests of their son Henry for the winter.

Mrs. Ann Coulter, one of South Plainfield's most respected citizens, died at 2:15 this afternoon, after an illness of one week, of paralysis. She was in the 81st year of age. She leaves a son, William, and an unmarried daughter, Mary, to mourn the loss of a loving Christian mother. She was a consistent member of the South Plainfield Baptist Church.

—Conductor, please stop the car at Peck's.

—George W. Day has bought The Weekly Call of Dunellen.

—J. H. Tier today marked off his field of ice for cutting Monday.

—John Lloyd Thomas will speak in Reform Hall tomorrow afternoon at 3:30.

—James Connors, who drew a knife on J. W. Reinhart's driver, was today given 60 days in the county jail.

"I OWE MY LIFE TO YOU."

A Wilton, N. J., Girl's Experience With a Noted Massachusetts Woman.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

Life is never more precious than in the heyday of youth, when every dream is a promise, and every thought an inspiration.

It is natural that Miss Gertrude Sickler, a young lady who lives at Wilton, N.J., is grateful for the great boon of life.

She suffered terribly with suppressed and painful menstruations. The doctors could only prevent her from having fits each month by dosing her with morphine.

At last, when she was completely prostrated, her father got her a bottle of *Lydia E. Pinkham's* Vegetable Compound, which at once gave her relief.

That did what the doctors could not do. It cured her. She has no trouble now, and no dread of the coming month. "I owe my life to you," she writes to Mrs. Pinkham. "Oh, if other suffering women could try your valuable medicine they would bless you as I do."

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—Prof. A. P. Thomas, dean of Hahnemann college and one of the foremost homeopathic physicians in the country, is critically ill at his residence in the country near here, and as he is over 80 years of age it is feared that he will not have the strength to resist the illness.

The Application Denied.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 5.—The railroad commissioners have denied the application of the Danbury & Bethel Electric road for permission to cross at grade the tracks of the New York & New Haven road at a point near the Bethel station.

To Annex the Congo State.

Brussels, Jan. 5.—It is reported in official circles that the government will lay before parliament a proposal to annex the Congo state.

—Dr. B. VanD. Hedges performed an autopsy on the body of Wm. Jackson, the Negro who died yesterday in Muhlenberg Hospital, and found that decedent died from pneumonia.

—The services in the Methodist Church continue to increase in interest. Last evening four persons indicated their desire to become Christians. A special service will be held this evening to which all young people particularly are invited. The meeting will be conducted by the Drew Quartette.

—The second of a series of Winter dances given under the auspices of the Grant Avenue Social Club was held in Athletic Hall, Lee place, last evening. Supper was served about 12. The committee in charge deserve credit for the manner in which the affair was carried out. The music was rendered by Messrs. Naylor, Blake and McComas.

Bright's Disease Cured.

Mrs. Laura A. Kempton's (of West Rutland Vt.) daughter was stricken with Bright's disease. Her ankles, feet and eyes were terribly swollen. Four physicians attended her, but her life was despaired of. A mother's love surmounts all difficulties, and she determined to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y. "How happy I am," Mrs. Kempton writes, "that I determined on that course, for one by one the well-known symptoms of the disease left her. Words cannot express my gratitude and I cannot too earnestly recommend this great medicine. Her recovery was entirely due to Favorite Remedy, which was the only medicine taken after her case was abandoned by the physicians." Dr David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy can be had at any drugstore It has never yet failed to cure where the disease is within the range of medicine.

—The gymnasium in the new Y. M. C. A. building is almost completed, and will be opened about the middle of next week. Work will be commenced on the bowling alleys the first of next week.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

MUSIC HALL,

R. C. Varian & Co., Lessees and Managers.

One solid week, commencing

Monday, Jan. 7.

The Favorite

Minnie Lester,

with her own company, band and orchestra.

25 PEOPLE 25

Monday night,

Annette, The Dancing Girl

Prices 10, 20 and 30c. Matinee Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Box Office Now Open

AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Concerning Dogs."

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Sec. 1. That section 2 and section 3 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Concerning Dogs," approved July 6, 1887, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council Dec. 28, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor Jan. 3, 1895.

A. GILBERT, Mayor.

Attest—J. T. MacMurray, City Clerk.

AUCTION.

Large sale of

Groceries, Fixtures, Horses

Wagons and harness, at store,

106 EAST FRONT STREET, PLAINFIELD,

known as the Pacific Mail Tea and Grocery Co., on Tuesday and Wednesday,

JANUARY 8 and 9.

commencing each day at 10 a. m. The stock consists of a full line of groceries, coffee, tea, spices, canned goods, etc., all standard goods, fresh and sound; also the entire store fixtures, nearly new, consisting of counters, shelving, scales, ice box, coffee mill, etc., 3 horses, 3 grocery wagons, and 3 sets of harness. Everything advertised positively to be sold without reserve or regard to cost, in lots to suit purchasers.

Terms cash. C. W. BACHELDER.
H. Hand, auct'r. 152

MONEY LOANED,

Local Representatives Wanted.

Our system affords an opportunity to borrow on either personal or real estate security. The plan is superior to building and loan associations. The amount borrowed may be returned in monthly payments without bonus, with interest at 5 per cent. per annum, it affords absolute security to investors with a reasonable guarantee of an annual dividend of from 8 to 10 per cent. We desire to secure the services of energetic, representative men in every community to act as local secretaries. The position will be sufficiently remunerative to amply compensate for services. If you possess the above qualifications write for particulars. Full information regarding our system of making loans as well as investments and agencies will be furnished by addressing S. S. Robertson, President, 1122 Walnut st., Philadelphia. 15 3m

BAR-LOCK VISIBLE WRITING TYPEWRITER

Writes every letter in sight of operator. Does most of the work, in writing AUTOMATICALLY, and yields in the time thus saved additional work

It acts as if it studied the convenience of the operator at every turn, and thereby lightens his labor and renders him capable of doing more

It has a knack of keeping well, and is always ready at critical or other times.

These are some of the reasons why it is different from all other writing machines.

The catalogue tells you more about it. FREE.

Columbia Typewriter Mfg. Co,

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HOAGLAND'S

Local Express.

Telephone 121.

Office 161 North Avenue

Mrs. L. Adams,

111 East Front st., Under 1st National Bank.

Millinery and Dressmaking.
Evening Bonnets a specialty.
Holiday Goods.

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE,

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

Plainfield, N. J.

THE NEW YEAR

Calls on you to trade

AT PECK'S.

Calendars, Diaries,

New Year's Cards

R. C. RAND,

140 West Front st.

SEBRING, CLOTHIER,

Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

$15 suits for $10.

$12 ulsters for $8.50.

$15 overcoats for $10.

Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block,

12-6-y

NOW IS THE TIME

To order your winter supply of

COAL.

We have completed our large plant on South avenue and are prepared to supply you with the best quality of Lehigh in the market. Also

Bluestone Flagging and Curbing.

12 large barrels best kindling wood for $2.

Leave orders at office, 171 North avenue, opposite depot.

No. 2 Coal, $4 ton. M. POWERS & SON.

Residence, South avenue, near Berckman street. 5 29 tf

GOOD VALUES

....IN....

Merino Underwear!

....FOR....

Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

EDSALL'S

Commercial Palace, Babcock Build'g

These Cold Nights

A pair of the Alfred Dolge Felt Slippers or House Shoes are a great comfort. They are the only pure wool felt shoes made in this country.

DOANE & EDSALL.

Here It is Again!

The very same, this year, last year, next year.

The Eighmie Shirt.

Best in the business and just as cheap.

HALLOCK, Men's Outfitter,

109 West Front street

PUTNAM & DeGRAW,

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210 West Front Street.

BOICE, RUNYON & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Lumber. Coal. Mason's Material. &c.

Our stock is under cover and we can always deliver dry stock. Agents for Adamant Wall Plaster. Orders solicited.

BOICE, RUNYON & CO.

REPORT
OF THE
City Treasurer,
FOR THE YEAR 1894

CASH ACCOUNT.

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1894, as follows:

FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

General Fund	$ 246 33		
Peace street opening	1,214 63		
License trust fund	15 00		
Fire Department	4,630 63		
		$6,106 56	
CITY NATIONAL BANK.			
Library	1,257 57		
Poor Fund	2,619 66	$3,877 23	$9,983 79

RECEIPTS.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

1881	7 44	
1882	7 24	
1883	15 80	
1884	19 33	
1885	20 07	
1886	22 77	
1887	16 55	
1888	41 26	
1889	103 67	
1890	65 18	
1891	215 49	
1892	3,303 93	
1893	8,126 86	
1894	44,480 75	$52,607 61

CITY TAXES.

1881	1 43	
1882	10 80	
1883	12 60	
1884	21 01	
1885	29 01	
1886	27 43	
1887	20 90	
1888	33 93	
1889	78 75	
1890	49 89	
1891	147 71	
1892	1,859 28	
1893	4,454 90	
1894	27,245 60	$34,893 28

FIRE DEPARTMENT TAXES.

1888	8 31	
1889	21 51	
1890	11 98	
1891	38 81	
1892	745 75	
1893	2,325 21	
1894	13,453 61	$ 16,610 21
		$117,993 63

POOR FUND TAXES.

1881	$ 16	
1882	1 10	
1883	1 82	
1884	1 90	
1885	1 74	
1886	1 35	
1887	3 77	
1888	10 15	
1889	5 48	
1890	16 67	
1891	208 09	
1892	341 12	
1893	3,223 26	$ 3,817 20

LIBRARY TAXES.

1881	$ 04	
1882	28	
1883	34	
1884	46	
1885	48	
1886	1 24	
1887	96	
1888	2 19	
1889	5 39	
1890	2 66	
1891	11 64	
1892	167 66	
1893	436 13	
1894	2,421 74	$ 3,035 53
Fines and Dues, Library Fund		$ 208 12
Penalties, Delinqu't Taxes, General Fund		$ 2,062 98
Judgment, General Fund		86
Dog Tax, "		1,168 40
Dog Registry, Gen. Fund		120 56
State, Railroad and Canal Tax, General Fund		816 88
Board of Education, Gen. Fund		12,238 85
Fines from City Judge, General Fund		700 59
Peace Street Widening, General Fund		370 40
Interest on Peace Street Widening, Gen. Fund.		6 99
From Board of Education, their proportion for collecting taxes, 1893, 962 12, 1894, 903 48, General Fund		1,865 60
Orchard Place Opening, General Fund		93 11
Interest on Orchard Place Opening, Gen. Fund.		16 28 $ 19,556 48
Fire Dept., Sale Gazelle Engine No. 1		$ 1,000 00
Sale Manure		25 00
Profit on exchange of horses		25 00
Sale of bell and gong		625 00 $ 1,675 00
Printing, Stationery and Advertising repaid by applicants for liquor license		$ 96 25
Bills Payable, Gen. Fund	$36,500 00	
Fire Fund	14,500 00	
Poor Fund	2,500 00	
Sewer Fund.	13,000 00	$ 56,500 00

LICENSES.

Liquor	$ 9,050 00	
Hack, Peddler and Show	1,043 00	
Board of Health	116 00	$ 10,209 00

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Subscriptions by property owners for street improvements	$	588 76
		$213,635 65

DISBURSEMENTS.

STREETS.

Paid by City	$11,401 95	
Paid by subscriptions	588 78	
		$11,990 71

Distributed as follows:

Labor	$8,045 76	
Crushed stone	1,877 64	
Tools and suppl's	119 06	
Blacksmithing	134 68	
Crosswalks	509 93	
Culverts	1,108 80	
Rent	60 00	
Surveying	15 00	
Water	58 50	
Expense	22 06	
Sewer Basins	39 28	
	$11,990 71	
Peace street opening—return of assessment	$	793 55
Preliminary work on sewers		229 04
Constructing sewers		12,248 71
Street lights		9,534 82

POLICE.

Regular police	$8,288 13	
Special	612 08	
Clothing for police	171 54	
Station house	295 69	
	$	9 367 44

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Printing, stationery and advertis'g.		$1,340 12
Town clock winding		2 50
Postage, etc		196 55
Office Janitor	72 00	
Council Janitor	106 53	178 53
Bank discount		451 02
Legal expenses		285 14
Rent Council room and offices		600 00
Dog pound		296 50
Election expenses		1,092 01
Board of Health		955 98
City Court rent		144 00
Commissioners of Appeal		18 00
State and county taxes		56,779 00
Board of Education		12,328 85
Return of taxes paid in error to N. Messerschmidt		68 70

SALARIES AND COMMISSIONS.

Assessor	$1,003 00
Collector	1,500 00
Delinquent Tax Collector	962 92
Treasurer	700 01
Street Commissioner	1,750 01
Accountant	50 00
City Clerk	700 01
City Auditor	183 33
Corporation Counsel	1,000 00
City Judge	600 00
	8,449 27

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Running expenses—

Salaries	$3,965 91	
Extra help	124 60	
Repairs to build'g	1,189 14	
" " appar's	324 87	
Supplies	746 50	
Keep of horses	969 77	
Rent of building	98 75	
Rent of horses	50 00	
Lights	371 96	
Fire alarm	462 27	
Printing	41 20	
Interest & disc'nt	368 15	
Equipments	65 29	
Incidentals	907 19	
Fuel	291 80	
	9,896 00	
Other expenses—		
Hydrants	$1,356 50	
Three fire bonds	1,500 00	
1500 ft new hose	1,076 75	
Improvements to fire-alarm and new boxes 21, 35, 46	809 24	
	7,842 07	
		17,740 07
Poor fund		4,172 53
Library		2,988 97
Bills payable—		
General fund	$28,570 00	
Fire department	17,400 00	
Poor fund	1,500 00	
		47,400 00
		$200,004 01

Dec. 31, balance—

First National Bank:		
General fund	$5,406 27	
Peace St. opening	391 05	
Lic'se trust fund	15 00	
Fire department	2,275 77	
Poor fund	6 50	
	8,094 59	
City National Bank:		
Poor fund	$1,895 74	
Library	2,890 02	
Sewer	751 29	
	5,537 05	
		13,631 64
		$213,635 65

A. TITSWORTH, City Treasurer.
J. T. MACMURRAY, City Auditor.
December 31, 1894.

CITY OF PLAINFIELD.
Balance Sheet, December 31, 1894.

GENERAL FUND.

Assets—		
Cash—Peace St. ope'ng fund	$ 391 05	
License trust fund	15 00	
General account	5,406 27	
		5,812 32
Uncollected taxes 1882 to 1894 inclusive	$58,765 13	
Assessments Peace street widening	180 83	
Assessments sundries	656 25	
Uncollected North avenue sewer rentals	75 00	
	59,707 21	
		$65,519 53
Liabilities—		
Bills payable	$11,500 00	
Contributions—		
Peace St. op'ng.	391 05	
License fees overpaid	15 00	
	11,906 05	
Surplus	53,613 48	
		$65,519 53

POOR FUND.

Assets—		
Cash		$1,902 24
Uncollected taxes 1891-94 inclusive		1,343 54
		$3,245 78
Liabilities—		
Bills payable	$1,000 00	
Surplus	2,245 78	
		$3,245 78

LIBRARY.

Assets—		
Cash		2,890 02
Uncollected taxes 1891-94 inclusive		1,112 29
		$4,002 31
Surplus		$4,002,31

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Assets—		
Cash	$2,275 77	
Uncollected taxes 1888-94 inclusive	8,342 80	
Real Estate, Eng. House No. 1	9,550 00	
Department headquarters	13,405 52	
	$22,955 52	
Equipment	12,509 25	
Fire alarm system	5,486 05	
		51,539 23
Liabilities—		
Bills payable	4,000 00	
Surplus	47,569 23	
		$51,569 23

The Proper Bait.

"Papa," said Benny Bloobumper, who knew his father's weakness, "you know all about fishing, don't you?"

"Yes, my son," replied the elder Bloobumper, graciously. "There is very little about that gentle sport with which I am not familiar."

"You know all about the right sort of bait to use, don't you?"

"Certainly."

"That's what I was telling Freddy Fangle, and we agreed to leave something about fishing for you to decide. We had a discussion about it."

"Well, Benny, I am very glad to see you taking such an interest in fishing, as well as to see such confidence in your father's judgment. What was the point on which you and Freddy differed?"

"I don't know as we differed, exactly. Freddy didn't seem to quite agree with me, though."

"State the question, Benny."

"Well, fish run in schools, sometimes, don't they, papa?"

"Yes."

"That's what I told Freddy."

"Didn't he believe it?"

"Oh yes, he believed that all right."

"Then what is it you wish me to decide?"

"Well, I told him that when fish ran in schools the proper bait to use was bookworms. Now ain't I right, papa?"

Mr. Bloobumper reached for his slipper, and Benny disappeared out of doors.—Harper's Bazar.

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A HINDOO POEM.

A Hindoo died—a happy thing to do—
When fifty years united to a shrew,
Released, he hopefully for entrance cries
Before the Gates of Brahma's Paradise.
"Hast been through Purgatory?" Brahma said.
"I have been married!" and he hung his head.
"Come in! come in! and welcome, too, my son
Married and Purgatory are as one."
In bliss extreme he entered Heaven's door,
And knew the bliss he had ne'er seen before.
He scarce had entered in the garden fair,
Another Hindoo asked admission there.
The self-same question Brahma asked again:
"Has been through Purgatory?" "No. What then?"
"Thou canst not enter!" did the god reply.
"He who went in was there no more than I."
"All that is true, but he has married been,
And so on earth has suffered for his sin."
"Married? 'Tis well, for I've been married twice."
"Begone! We'll have no fools in Paradise."
—Charles Hills.

OTERO AND THE CZAR.

Once Expelled by Him From Russia, She Now Returns in Splendid Style

Most persons who remember the first mania for Spanish dancing some four years ago have not forgotten Otero. After she left New York she appeared in Berlin, Paris, Vienna, and Budapest. In all four cities she was known as the diamond queen, because her neck, wrist and bodice were ablaze with gems whenever she danced. The German newspapers gave her and her diamonds columns of free advertising, but stopped short when informed that she had sold all her gems at auction for $57. The sale took place in Budapest about two years ago; the purchaser was a Hungarian soubrette. From that time until a few months ago little was heard of Otero. A few weeks ago, however, this paragraph went the rounds of the Berlin and Vienna dailies:

"We hear from Madrid: One of the celebrities who has come into public notice in connection with Alexander III's death and burial in St. Petersburg is our fellow country woman, Corolina Otero. She was expelled from Russia long ago because at a stag party given by a Grand Duke she gave a too life like representation of Truth, that is, she appeared in the costume of Eve before the fall. As is well known, she has been the favorite of whole familes of princes and noblemen.

"After the Czar's funeral she took it for granted that the order expelling her from Russia would become a dead letter, and she started for St. Petersburg. In itself her journey would have passed unnoticed had not she herself made it a topic of the times by carrying it out with royal and theatricol splendor. Miss Otero rode away from Paris in a special train consisting of a hotel car, a first class carriage, and a baggage van. The train was to stop only for changes of locomotives.

"This piece of amusement, which cost some $22,000, was paid for by the present admirer of the Spanish beauty. He is a half crazy English lord, who wastes his time and millions in Paris. The friends of Carolina Otero fear that she will be sent back from St Petersburg as swiftly as she went there."

The Wig-Wag Language of Dogs.

It is no doubt a startling conclusion, but Dr. Louis Robinson, who has been investigating the mysteries of canine language, has practically set up the theory that a dog speaks with his tail tip.

In the case of all hunting dogs which pack together the tail is carried aloft, and is very free in movement. There is no doubt that foxhounds habitually watch the tails of those in front of them when drawing a covert. If a faint drag is detected, suggestive of the presence of a fox, but not sufficient to be sworn to vocally, the tail of the finder is set in motion, and the warmer the scent the quicker does it wag. Others seeing the signal instantly join the first, and there is an assemblage of waving tails even before even the least whisper is heard.

Should the drag prove a doubtful one the hounds separate again and the waving ceases, but if it grows stronger when followed up the wagging becomes more emphatic, until one after another the hounds begin to whine and give tongue and stream off in Indian file along the line of scent. When the pack is at full cry upon a strong scent, the tails cease to wave, but are carried aloft in full view.—London Dispatch.

Are You Ever Annoyed

by a buzzing or roaring sound in your head? Have you difficulty in hearing distinctly? Are you troubled with a continual dropping of mucus, irritating the throat and causing you to cough? Is your breath unpleasantly affected and accompanied with bad taste? Is your hearing less acute If so, you have catarrh and should at once procure a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, the best known remedy. The Balm will give instant relief.

A Slight Misunderstanding.

A well-known brilliant entertainer, who has just returned from a five years' tour in South Pacific seas, has many amusing tales to tell, among which is the following:

"I was ordering my advertisement in a Melbourne daily newspaper office one day," said the narrator, "when a tall, lanky countryman walked in and said he wanted an 'In memoriam' notice in the obituary column of the paper.

"'My ole guvnor died a year ago,' he explained, 'and I should like a bit o' poetry in the paper about him.'

"'All right,' answered the clerk, 'have you brought it with you?'

"'No,' said the rustic; 'can't you fix me up a bit?'

"'Certainly,' replied the clerk. 'Our charge for "In memoriam" notices is six shillings an inch.'

"A look of intense amazement passed over the countryman's face.

"'Good gracious!' he cried, as he made for the door, 'I can't stand that. My guvnor was six feet high!'"—Melbourne Argus.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

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Only 25c.

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Great sale of
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MONDAY, Jan. 7.

During the dull season merchants will sell goods at a small profit to force business We are satisfied with no profit; we do this to keep up our record.

Only 50c.

This is not a one article sale, but includes corset covers, skirts, night dresses and drawers; we have 100 dozen of each price and can easily suit you; we are sure to have a rush on these goods. To avoid this you should call early.

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A wonderful difference in the prices you will find on dress goods. We have cut the prices on every piece in the store; they all go at cost and below.

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About that coat, now is the time you want it and you save a few dollars on it by buying it here. We sell every coat and cape in the store at cost.

Hosiery & Underwear

Same sort of reductions we have made in the prices of ladies' gentlemen's and children's underwear, hosiery and gloves. Just try us.

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THE OUTLOOK OF TRADE

Bradstreet Reports No Material Improvement.

Revival of Business Is Said To Depend on a Settlement of the Currency Question—Notwithstanding the Depressing Conditions Merchants Are Hopeful.

New York, Jan. 5.—There has been no material improvement in general trade within a week and the more important trade centres does not reveal specially hopeful views for an improvement in business in the near future. In many instances trade revival is declared to depend on a settlement of the currency question. The most encouraging expressions of opinion are that merchants are hopeful.

Among more favorable conditions are reports that stocks of goods of all descriptions in the hands of jobbers, manufacturers and retailers, west and northwest, are generally smaller than usual at this season; that the business of the year in dry goods, hats, shoes, millinery and groceries has been fairly satisfactory, and that cold weather has stimulated demand for coal and seasonable fabrics.

The silver lining is found in an advance of 25c. a ton in shipping rates to northern markets from southern points of pig iron production. Print cloths are weaker and sell at a shade under last week's quotations. Coal too, is fractionally lower. Pig tin is lower, as are pork, raw sugar, Indian corn, live cattle and hogs. Foreign competition with American woolen dress goods for spring delivery is sharp, and domestic fabrics are rather neglected, although many mills are busy on orders for men's wear woolens. Following the list of decreases in prices are leather, lumber, coal, naval stores, coffee, oats and cotton, for which quotations have been maintained. Cheaper grades of shoes at eastern factories are higher, as are wheat and lard.

Total bank clearings at sixty-nine cities report an aggregate for the calendar year 1894, $44,995,000,000, 16 per cent. less than in the panic year 1893 and 26 per cent. less than in 1892, the year of the largest volume of bank clearings. Clearings for 1894 constitute the smallest aggregate for nine years, the next smallest total being $41,255,000,000 in 1885 and $44,120,000,000 in 1884.

Available wheat, United States and Canada, Jan. 1, aggregated 127,009,000 bushels, 17,000,000 bushels more than one year before, 11,000,000 bushels more than two years ago and 49,000,000 bushels more than three years ago. Wheat afloat for and in Europe on the 1st inst. aggregated 57,744,000 bushels, a falling off of 22,200,000 bushels from one year ago, 10,500,000 bushels from two years and 20,700,000 bushels from three years ago.

The continuance of gold shipments, amounting to $5,550,000 for the week, and the corresponding shrinkage of the treasury gold reserve, supplement the effect of limited railroad traffic and small earnings on the leading granger lines in creating a bearish speculative sentiment.

At larger eastern cities only a moderate volume of business is reported, Buffalo and Boston inclining to regard the near outlook the more hopefully. Philadelphia and Pittsburg are naturally affected somewhat by lower quotations for iron and steel, and Baltimore prefers awaiting orders from commercial travelers before expressing opinions on the outlook.

General trade is reported quiet at Charleston, Nashville and Memphis, with collections fair only. At Chattanooga and at Atlanta very little is doing in wholesale lines, the former reporting manufacturers quiet as a result of prolonged holiday influences and the weather. At Savannah trade is quiet but improving, and collections are only fair. Cotton manufacturers are taking some new contracts, but merchants will act with extreme conservatism. Augusta cotton factories report a fairly good demand and improved collections, though general trade shows no gain. City and country trade is reported fairly satisfactory by Jacksonville. Damage from extremely cold weather in Florida to fruit and vegetables is quite heavy, orange growers being affected seriously. At Birmingham manufacturers report orders scattered, general trade quiet, and collections only fair. There is only a small volume of business at New Orleans and collections are slow. At Galveston trade is very quiet and orders are for needs only.

All western cities announce practically unchanged trade conditions and light or moderate volumes of business, conspicuously Cleveland, Cincinnati, Detroit and Louisville, although the straits city reports cold weather has stimulated orders and Louisville that merchants are more hopeful. At Chicago orders are mostly of the filling-in variety. Jobbers and wholesalers at Kansas City and Omaha report only a moderate trade, whereas at Des Moines and Milwaukee mercantile collections are slower.

At Toronto business is quiet and the prospects are thought not favorable, although stocks of merchandise generally are small.

$20,000 for Williams College.

Williamstown, Mass., Jan. 5.—Williams college has received $20,000 from the estate of Madame Souberbeille, who recetly died abroad. It is to be a memorial of her father, Horace F. Clark, of the class of 1833. The executors have not yet signified what use they wish made of the funds.

Absconder Nicholas Arrested.

Boston, Jan. 5.—Frank M. Nicholas, the alleged absconding bookkeeper of Frank Herwig, New York city, has been arrested in this city as a fugitive from justice. He expressed willingness to return to New York without requisition papers.

Marshal Pavia Dead.

Madrid, Jan. 5.—Marshal Pavia, leader of the movement which culminated in a military dictatorship on Jan. 3, 1874, was found dead in his bed. He had heart disease.

Local Weather Forecast.

Fair; colder; northerly winds.

THE NAVASSA INVESTIGATION.

Attorney General Olney Will Try To Correct the Evils Complained Of.

Baltimore, Jan. 5.—United States District Attorney Marbury has begun an official investigation of charges of ill-treatment and illegal detention of laborers at Navassa island by the Navassa Phosphate company. The investigation is being made at the instance of Attorney General Olney, who has directed Mr. Marbury to make it thorough, and then to advise him as to the best course to pursue in correcting the evils complained of.

Navassa island is little more than a barren rock with scant vegetation. It is owned by the Navassa Phosphate company of this city, which engages men to mine the heavy deposits of fertilizer which are found there. The company exercises sole authority and its representatives have repeatedly been accused of brutal and inhuman treatment of the workmen.

The present charges are brought by two colored men, Don Carlos Abrams and John H. Devine, who recently returned from Navassa in a pitable condition.

They told United States District Attorney Marbury how the Navassa laborers were starved and abused. Ten men died on the island in the first three months. Finally the situation became so desperate that the workmen demanded to be returned to their homes and 118 of them left Navassa early in November. Fourteen of them died on the voyage.

John H. Fowler, vice-president of the Navassa company testified that none of the laborers were illegally detained, ill-treated, or starved.

Mr. Marbury will lay all the facts before Mr. Olney. From the way he talks, it is to be inferred that he is in favor of a thorough investigation by the government at the island.

THE SHREWSBURY RACES.

Fastest Time Ever Made by a Third Class Yacht.

Red Bank, N. J., Jan. 5.—The fastest race ever sailed over the ten-mile course of the North Shrewsbury River Ice Yacht club by a third class yacht took place yesterday. It was for the challenge pennant. During the race the wind blew a gale from the north and the boats were nearly lifted from the ice when a puff struck them. The race was over the triangular course, which was sailed over three times, making a distance of ten miles. The starters were: Commodore W. Morford's Flaw, Edward A. Say's Daisey, and Charles Burd's lateen-rigged Zip. The last named boat was an easy winner, sailing over the course in fourteen minutes. The Flaw finished two minutes and thirty seconds later.

Three races will be held to-day, one in the morning and two in the afternoon. The successful yacht in these races will be pitted against the Burlington yacht on Monday for the championship pennant.

The lists for the skating races which are to be held this afternoon are well filled. The principal race will be for the Monmouth county championship, distance one mile.

HE SAVED HIS WIFE.

The Husband Beheaded by the Engine That Carried Her Away.

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 5.—Jacob Fisher and wife, while crossing the Ringtown bridge, on the Catawiska branch of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, at midnight, were struck by a locomotive. Fisher was beheaded and his wife seriously injured.

The trestle is a high one, and the unfortunate couple were about half way across when overtaken by the locomotive. The couple were on their way from Ringtown.

They had waited at the end of the bridge for a train to pass, and they then started across when they were caught by the engine that was following after the train to push it over the grade.

Fisher threw his wife on the cowcatcher and attempted to jump on it himself, but fell and was run over and beheaded. Mrs. Fisher had both legs broken. Fisher was 40 years old, and leaves three children. He was a carpenter by trade.

The Madagascar Mails.

Washington, Jan. 5.—In regard to the temporary suspension of United States mails to the interior of Madagascar because of the war between the French and the natives, Superintendent Brooks of the foreign mail service states that all mails can be delivefed at Tamatave, the chief port of the island, and letters for interior points will be held at Tamatave subject to call.

Placed in an Insane Asylum.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Mrs. David L. Foutz, wife of the captain and manager of the Brooklyn baseball team, has been removed to the asylum for the insane at Amityville, L. I. Mrs. Foutz became suddenly violent while at the Jamaica station of the Long Island railroad yesterday, and the efforts of several persons were found necessary to place her on a train.

Sympathetic Mine Strike.

Dubois, Pa., Jan. 5.—The men employed in the Rochester mines here, and in the mines of the Bell, Lewis & Yates Co., at Reynoldsville, have struck because the company stopped work in the Sprague and Hamilton mines at Reynoldsville and partly in the Rochester mines, and discharged the hands. Those who were still retained struck out of sympathy.

Thinks Justice Shiras Acted Hastily.

Camden, N. J., Jan. 5.—Prosecutor Jenkins, of Camden county, thinks Associate Justice Shiras, of the United States supreme court acted hastily in granting the writ staying murderer Lambert's execution, and if the justice had had knowledge of the decisions of the lower courts, he would have refused Lawyer Semple's request.

Valuable Flour Mill Burned.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 5.—The flouring mill of Graybill & Co., at Millersburg, has been totally destroyed by fire, together with valuable machinery and large quantities of wheat and flour. Loss $35,000; insurance about $22,000.

200 Fishermen Were Drowned.

London, Jan. 5.—It is estimated that 200 fishermen belonging in Hull and Grimsby were drowned during the recent gales.

ILLINOIS HOSPITAL FIRE

Insane Institution at Anna Partly Destroyed.

Over 200 Female Inmates Rescued—Stood Shivering in the Snow Until Temporarily Provided For—Many Carried Out by Force—One Attendant Missing.

Anna, Ill., Jan. 5.—The excitement caused by the fire at the Illinois Southern hospital for the insane has somewhat subsided and the inmates from the burned portion have been temporarily housed in other portions of the building and in the village.

The fire broke out in the centre section of the building and that section with the south wing, which comprises over half of the entire structure, was completely destroyed. The north wing, machinery, laundry and kitchen departments were saved.

The south wing contained the quarters of the female patients, the male patients being quartered in the north wing. All the patients, to the number of 500, were, it is thought, safely removed.

As soon as the fire was discovered the danger bell was rung to alarm the guards and arouse the inmates. The fire spread so rapidly that the hospital employes instantly realized that it could not be controlled by the meagre fire apparatus with which the institution was supplied, and while some of the guards rushed through the halls and corridors, unlocking doors and opening windows, others ran to the village and summoned the local fire department.

The hospital contained nearly 1,000 inmates, and the section which was destroyed was occupied by over 200 women. In the south wing of the building were located about 300 women and children, and the north wing of the building was set apart for the men, and at no time was this section in danger.

As soon as the guards gave the alarm, the insane women began screaming, and rushing to the further corners of their cells, threw themselves in a heap on the floor or cot and in many cases it required the united efforts of several employes to convey them to places of safety.

They were gotten out safely, however, and were grouped on the snow-covered ground. For a few minutes they shivered in the bitter cold air until they could be marched or carried to other buildings. The villagers rushed to the assistance of the asylum people and rendered valuable aid in rescuing the sick and refractory inmates.

Several times some of the patients broke away from their guards and attempted to rush back into the burning building. They were quickly caught, however, and in cases where they were violent they were bound to other patients by straps and ropes. A messenger was sent to Cairo, Ill., asking for the help of the fire department at that place. A special train was quickly made up, and the department soon appeared upon the scene. The lines of hose were soon laid and four big streams of water poured on the burning building.

The flames were quickly gotten under control, and the fire was confined to the centre section of the south wing building. In this department were located the quarters of the physicians and other employes. In many cases the officials lost all their instruments and personal effects. A close estimate of the damage to the building places the loss at $275,000, and it is believed this is fully covered by insurance.

One of the female attendants, Miss Ida Anderson, is reported missing, and it is feared she perished in the upper dormitory. It is possible, however, that she may be located at one of the houses of the village, where many of the attendants were carried on account of being injured by burning clothing or suffering from exposure on account of the frightfully cold weather.

Chairman Wilson's Successor.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Mr. Dayton, of West Virginia, who was elected in November last as the successor of Congressman Wm. L. Wilson, the chairman of the house committee on ways and means, was on the floor of the house yesterday and introduced generally to members on the republican side of the chamber by Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania.

Held in $10,000 Bail.

North Adams, Mass., Jan. 5.—Dr. Leon Deleruyssen has been held here in $10,000 for the grand jury for criminal assault. The testimony in the district court was sensational. One of the witnesses against the man was Florence L. Shipman, a 14-year-old girl, who accuses him. The bail is the largest ever set in the North Adams police court.

$22 Per Ton for Steel Rails.

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—It has been learned that the price to be paid for the 30,000 tons of steel rails recently ordered by the Pennsylvania Railroad company is $22 per ton. Last year the company paid $24 per ton for its rails, and the present price is the lowest it has ever been.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR—Quiet. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.25.

WHEAT—Firm. No. 2 red, 62¼c.

CORN—Dull. No. 2, 53¾c.; steamer, 48½c.

OATS—Quiet. No. 2 white, 38¾c.; No. 2 mixed, 34¾c.

PORK—Quiet. Extra prime, 13.50@16.00; mess, 12.75@13.25.

LARD—Firm. January, 7.15.

BUTTER—Firm. Creamery, state and Pennsylvania, fresh extras, 23c.; creamery, western extras, 25c.

CHEESE—Steady. State, full cream, fancy, 11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Dull. Western, 24@25c.

SUGARS—Dull. Granulated, 3 12-16@4c.

BEEVES—Active. Prime native steers, 4.20@5.15; dressed sides, 7@8½c.

SHEEP—Unchanged. Common to choice, 2.00@3.50; dressed mutton, 4½@6c.

LAMBS—Firm. Ordinary to choice, 2.50@4.62½; dressed lambs, 5½@6¾c.

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Sundays, 1, 9 05, 9 36 a. m., 9 41 p m.

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For Newark and New York.—3 02, 5 24, 6 45, 6 47, 6 45, 7 20, 7 40, 7 57, 8 05, 8 20, 8 32, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 47, 10 20, 10 38, 10 40, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 12, 1, 1 50, 224, 3 40, 3 45, 3 47, 5 47, 6 44, 6 47, 8 30, 8 45, 9 05, 9 07, 10 07, 11 25 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 55, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 40 a. m., 12 25, 1 45, 3 20, 3 45, 5 45, 6 45, 8 24, 8 45, 9 05, 9 12, 9 25, 10 07, 10 16, 10 18, and 11 46 p. m.

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For Woodbridge—1 45 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 50 a. m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 52, 5 44, 6 12, 6 52, 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 45, 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

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For Trenton—1 03, 5 57, 7 10, 7 50, 9 05, 9 36, 11 45 A. M., 1 05, 1 37, 3 45, 5 05, 6 32, 7 45, 8 42, 9 30 P. M. Sundays, at 1 05, 9 05, 9 05 9 36 10 41 A. M., 5 40, 6 57, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Flemington—7 50 A. M., 3 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 50, 11 45 a. m., 4 52, 5 05 p.m., via Monmouth Junction, week-days.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 10, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 00, 3 30, 4 45, 5 00, 6, 6 25, except Saturday, 6 30 6 45, 8, 8 15, 9 00, 9, 9 30, 9 45, 10 30, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 25, 6 29, 6 55, 7 20, 7 55, 8, 8 45 9 22, 10 08, 10 27, A. M., 12 05, 1 15, 2 07 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 54, 6 54, 7 07, 8 50, 10 17 11 30 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 25, 10 05, 11 30, A. M 12 25, 1 45, 3 00, 5 20, 7 11, 8 20, 9 25, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 11 05 A. M., 1 15, 1 55, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 05, 3 55, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 6 04, 6 50, 8 20, 7 10, 7 55, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 00, 8 45, 9 55, 11 25 A. M., 1 10, 2 00, 6 10, 6 00, 7 30, 9 20, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 15, 9 04, 11 a.m. 12 05 7 00, 3 22, 5 05, 6 05, 6 14, 8 04, 8 20, 10 05, 11 14 P.M. 8 21, 10 26, 11 25 P. M. 12 20 night Sunday—8 45, 9 04, A.M., 3 00, 6 20, 6 14, 8 04, 10 15, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 05, 3 25, 4 20, 5 20, 6 30, 7 15, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 35, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 9 12, 9 40, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 45, 9 15, 9 54, A.M., 12 45, 3 05, 5 15, 7 30, 9 21 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 8 20 A. M., 3 05, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 05, A.M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 30 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 00, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 4 05 p.m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem, Bangor, Scranton, Pottsville, Manch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Manch Chunk.

5 05 P. M., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

6 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Manch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 39 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 12 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 38 A.M. Sundays for Easton, 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 39 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 12 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 5, 10 37, a. m 1 12, 3 51, 6 54, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 9 53, a. m., 3 03 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 9 37, 5 22, 5 10 37 a. m., 1 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 54, 7 09 p.m. Sunday—9 53, a. m., 3 03 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 5.10 37 a. m., 1 12 3 51, 4 30 p. m.

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For Trenton 3 45, 9 44, 9 45*, 10 45, a. m., 12 45, 3 05*, 5 10* 6 45 p. m., 1 12 night. Sunday—3 45, 9 44, a. m., 3 05*, 5 10* 6 45 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Sundays—4 10, 8 50, 9 50, 10 35 a. m., 3 00, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—6 05, 7 05, 9 21, 11 10 a.m. 2 05, 6 15, 9 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—8 05, 7 05, 12 10 p m, 3 00, 5 12, 6 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 6 00, 9 00, 10 25, a.m. 12 15* 3 10, 5 20*, 6 52, 9 03 p.m. Sundays—1 00, 4 00, 9 00, 10 27 a. m. 1 15* 4 30 6 40* 9 03 p. m.

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½ pound pepper	.20	½ pound pepper	20
1 package corn starch	.08	1 package corn starch	08
1 sack salt	.05	1 sack salt	05
1 pound raisins	.10	1 pound raisins	10
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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Jan. 6. Topic, The Laver.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Ex. xxx, 18, 21; John xv, 3; Titus iii, 5; Heb. x, 22.

Bodily cleanliness is the common Scriptural symbol of soul purity and righteousness. To appreciate its full religious significance we need to contrast the abounding filth of oriental streets and house and prevalent habits of uncleanness of the common people with the scrupulous neatness commanded in the Mosaic law. It is well in this connection to make an inductive study of the Bible teaching of purity, comparing the rules for bodily purification given in Exodus, Deuteronomy, Numbers, Leviticus, with the New Testament customs of the Jews described in Gospels, Acts and Epistles. The laver in the form of a huge bowl of brass mounted on a pedestal of the same metal stood conveniently in front of the tabernacle or holy tent and near to the brazen altar on which the sacrifices were burned. Water stood continually in the upper and probably also in a lower part, so that the priests could wash both hands and feet every time they came into the sacred inclosure. In the temple similar arrangements, but on a larger scale, were provided. Skillful mechanical contrivances filled the lavers with clean water and carried away the foul. These frequent washings were not only for the purpose of removing the blood and impurities unavoidable in handling the sacrifices and doing the service of the sanctuary with bare feet, but were a special object lesson in piety as a sign of the holiness of the God worshiped. Godliness was cleanness. It was a long remove from the pollutions of daily sinful life in principle, though in the very midst of the camp. They who bore the vessels of the Lord must be pure. Washed bodies and clean, white linen garments were a constant reminder to priests and people that God could not look with the least degree of allowance upon sin.

In the New Testament rite of baptism we have a continuation of the same thought. It is sacramental in that it is an outward and visible sign of the inner and spiritual grace which abides in the soul of every true child of God. It saves not in the sense of some unknowable operation, "not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the appeal of a good conscience toward God through the resurrection of Jesus Christ." We are to draw near to God "with a true heart in fullness of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our body washed with pure water."

The Heart of Religion.

This is found not in subtle philosophical distinctions in doctrine nor in exact observance of ritualistic forms and ceremonies, but in spiritual experience and vital personal piety. This is receiving large recognition by all branches of the Christian church. It is manifest in the character of the preaching of the present time, in the public prayers, addresses and testimonies of professing Christians. Consistent and pure practice in daily life is more than ever before insisted upon as a mark of real piety. Helpfulness to the poor and sinful is developing rapidly the energies of many of the young folks. If the rising generation have less of theory than former ones, they are surely displaying promise of greater practical activity and brotherhood.

The Parish Church at Epworth.

Like most of the ancient parish churches of England, the one at Epworth is of stone and is surrounded by the village cemetery. It stands on a slight eminence. An avenue shaded by trees on either hand leads up to it from the village which lies just below. The tombstones are well cared for, the grass kept closely cut and gravel walks in good repair, so that the churchyard in summer evenings when the twilight

PARISH CHURCH, EPWORTH, ENGLAND.

lingers late is a favorite resort for old and young. Near the side entrance is the tomb of Samuel Wesley, on the top of which his son John stood and preached to the people when the pulpit had been refused him because of his Methodist practices. Inside the church are seen the same chairs which stood near the pulpit in Wesley's day and were then considered ancient, and the baptismal font which is supposed to have come from a still more ancient church of Saxon times.

Danger Avoided.

There is danger frequently in societies which become large and influential that they be made to serve financial ends, for which they were never intended, and so their true purpose be thwarted or hindered. It was wise in the board of control at the meeting in Boston, in view of all circumstances, to adopt this resolution:

"That we deem it unwise and unconstitutional for any individual member of the board or any member of the cabinet to give direction to the financial policy of the League other than that directed by the board."

What Is Good.

Of goods or absolute ends there are but two—perfection and happiness.—Sir William Hamilton.

There are 600 German chapters of the Epworth League, increasing in numbers and enthusiasm.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 6. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—The week of prayer. What shall it mean to us?—II Chron. vi, 13-21, 29-33; vii, 1-3.

The Scriptural references used to illustrate the topic are taken from Solomon's prayer at the dedication of his temple in Jerusalem. This was a very important work, and it was proper that God's house should be dedicated to him in prayer. Prayer is suitable at all times, but specially so at important periods of life. Jesus Christ Himself, when upon earth, set us an example of this kind. Before every important event in life he spent much time in prayer. Just before choosing the twelve apostles, a most important act of his life, he spent the entire night in prayer, and immediately before the crucifixion in the garden of Gethsemane he agonized in prayer with God. The week of prayer is an important period. It is the first week of a new year. It is usually the introduction to a series of evangelical meetings, looking forward to the reviving of the church and the conversion of sinners. It may well, therefore, be spent in prayer and supplication to God for His blessing, and we may do well to consider the question, What shall it mean for us? following the suggestions of our topical reference:

1. It should mean a week of supplication to God (II Chron. vi, 18-21). Here Solomon simply pours out his soul to God in prayer and calls upon the Lord to hearken unto his cry. This should be the leading characteristic of this week. It should indeed be a week of prayer. Too often this element is neglected, and from the very start the aim is to lead men to Christ, so that it is not a week of prayer, but a week of gospel services. Valuable as these are, this is not the object in this week. It should be spent principally in prayer, and the other can easily follow.

2. It should mean prayer for self, and also for others (II Chron. vi, 29-33). Here Solomon prays that God will hear and answer the prayers of the people as each one prays for his individual needs and wants, and also that he will hear and answer the prayers of the strangers who come to the temple to worship. In the public services during this week self should not be forgotten, and we should also remember in our prayers all for whom it is our duty to pray.

3. It should mean a week of answers to prayer (II Chron. vii, 1-3). Here we have the answer given to Solomon's prayer. God comes and takes possession of the temple. So we should want our prayers to be answered, and they will be if we pray in faith, believing that it shall be done unto us.

Bible Readings.—I King xviii, 36; Job xi, 3; Ps. cxix, 58; Isa. lv, 6; Jer. xxix, 13; Lam. iii, 41; Zech. xii, 10; Math. vii, 2; xxi, 22; Mark xi, 25; Luke xviii, 1-7; xxiii, 42; John xiv, 13, 14; Rom. viii, 15; Gal. iv, 6; Phil. iv, 6; I Tim. ii, 8; Heb. x, 22.

The Guiding Finger of God.

The encouraging thing about all this is that we can so plainly see God's guiding hand. As from the beginning, so down to the present day. Christian Endeavor has grown in just this way. Without much human effort or direction, as it would seem, the work has spread and gathered force and volume.

In every state and province at home, in every denomination in America, then in England, Australia, Mexico, India, China, Japan, France, Turkey, Spain, South America, were those that grasped the underlying ideas of Christian Endeavor, whose hearts were enlisted, who saw its possibilities, and who went to work to realize them in their own neighborhood.

Now this same practical and blessed story is being repeated in Germany, in Switzerland, in Norway, and I hope I shall be able to soon add Sweden and Denmark to the list.

Thus directly under the guiding finger of God is the work advancing. Thus is our glorious fellowship wider with every setting sun.—Francis E. Clark.

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If ever life shall seem
To thee a toilsome way
And gladness cease to beam
Upon its clouded day;
If, like the weary dove,
O'er shoreless ocean driven,
Raise thou thine eyes above;
There's rest for thee in heaven.

But, oh! if thornless flowers
Throughout thy pathway bloom
And gayly fleet the hours,
Unstained by earthly gloom,
Still let not every thought
To this poor world be given,
Nor always be forgot
Thy better rest in heaven.

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It was nearly sunset, when, looking toward the road that ran at the bottom of the little hill on which her house stood, Belinda saw the tall form of Aaron, driving a black and white cow before him. He had discarded his high silk hat for a straw one, but otherwise he was attired as in the morning.

"Now, den!" he exclaimed, ten minutes afterward, "wot yer tink of dat keow, Sister Tinsley? Dat's a monstrous fin' keow wot I fotches yer."

Aunt Belinda looked approvingly at the animal. "How much milk do she guv?" she asked.

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"Whar you buy her, Brudder Aaron?"

"Didn' buy her," he answered. "I done raise her. Had dat keow when she were a littl' cah'f. Lemme go put her in de shed. Den we kin talk more 'bout de bisness of de mornin'."

"S'pose you milks her fust, Brudder Aaron, I'll go fotch a pail. It's 'bout milkin' time, an' I wants ter tas' her milk."

Involuntarily Aaron glanced up and down the road, and then he said: "Dunno 'bout milkin' in my bes' breeches, Sister Tinsley."

"Oh, you kin be keerful," said she, "an' I wants ter tas' her milk," and she went into the house for a pail.

Aaron was not a very rapid milker, but in the course of time he finished and brought the pail to Belinda.

"Dat's not much milk," said she; "looks like yer keow done guv mos' her milk in de mornin'."

"Dat's so," said Aaron, "jes' wait 'til mornin' and yer sees de milk."

"All right," said Aunt Belinda, "you kin tuck her to de shed an' tie her up."

When Aaron came back he wanted to sit down and talk matrimony, but Belinda would have none of it.

"I'se busy now," said she, "I'se got ter iron Capt. Camp's shirts. You come in de mornin', Brudder Aaron, arter breakfas' an' den I'll talk bisness."

"Got one job o' milkin' out of yer, anyway," said she to herself as he departed.

When Aaron was entirely out of sight Aunt Belinda took the cow from the shed and led her down to the old field and left her near the fence which ran by the road side, where there was some grass growing in among the bushes in the fence corners.

Very soon Moses Lipscomb appeared upon the scene, dressed in his ordinary clothes, tarnished, torn and easy of fit. He was very warm and very much excited.

"Look hyar, Aunt B'linda," said he, "dat ar long-legged brack Aaron was down at de stor' at de cross roads an' braggin' dat he was goin' ter marry yer, an' sayin' dat it was all fixed an' settled. Wot dat mean, Aunt Belinda?"

"Dat mean he lie," said Aunt Belinda, quietly, "nuthin' 'sprisin' 'bout dat."

Moses' face brightened. "Den how 'bout me, Aunt Belinda? Gwine ter take me? Yer says you guv me my ahnser ef I comes arter supper."

"Tain't so easy, Moses," replied Aunt Belinda, speaking meditatively, "dar's lots of tings to be thunk 'bout. Now dars dis one ting, I wants a keow an' ef a husban' comes 'long wot kin guv me a keow, wot de good of my takin' one wot cahn't? Kin you guv me a keow, Moses?"

"KEOW!" HE EJACULATED.

The brown countenance of her suitor lengthened. "Keow!" he ejaculated.

"Yes, sah," said Aunt Belinda, "an' I'se got ter see de keow fus' 'fore I guvs any man my ahnser. Cahn't take no man an' den trus' him for de keow. Now, don' yer say annudder word, Moses Lipscomb. I hain't got no time to be talkin' now, I'se got ter finish ironin' Capt. Camp's shirts, for he wants dem ter-morrer mornin' 'fore breakfas'. So git 'long, Moses, an' ef you comes ter-morrer arly an' tells me ef you kin guv me a keow or ef yer cahn't I'll guv yer yer ahnser. Go 'long now," and she went into the house and left him.

For a few moments Moses stood as if he had just been sentenced to the county prison.

"Keow!" said he to himself. "Ef she'd asked me to guv her de handl' of a milk pail I hain't got none," and then, turning, he walked mournfully away.

When Aunt Belinda opened her door the next morning and looked out upon the dew-besprinkled landscape, sparkling under the first rays of the morning sun, she saw Moses Lipscomb standing in front of the house. His hands were in his pockets, his soft old hat was stuck on the side of his head and near him was a black and white cow, contentedly nibbling the short grass.

"Mornin,' Aunt B'linda," shouted Moses, "hyar I is an' dar she. Don' say I don' guv yer no keow! Dars a monstrous fin' animal an' I fotch her to yer an' I guve her ter yer. Now wot you say ter dat, Aunt B'linda?"

Aunt Belinda put her hands on her hips and threw a severe expression into her face

"Dat's a mighty fin' keow," said she, "but look hyar, Moses Lipscomb, whar you git dat keow? You knows you hain't got no keow, and you knows yer never saved money 'nough outer yer wages, when yer gits eny, ter buy de hide of a keow, let 'lone a hull one. Now den, you stan' up straight 'fore me an' tell me whar you git yer."

Moses stood up before her and looked her straight in the face. "Aunt B'linda," said he, "I done stole dat keow."

"Stole her!" cried Aunt Belinda, "and fotch her to me!"

"Dat's 'zactly wot I done," said he. "You knows jes' as well as I does I hain't got no keow an' couldn' never buy one, an' when I knows I can't have yer, Aunt B'linda, widout I gits a keow, I'se boun' ter git a keow, an' says I ter myself: 'Moses Lipscomb, ef you kin tote a three hundred poun' hog, ef yer tries ter, yer kin git a keow ef yer tries ter.' But bress my soul, Aunt B'linda, I hain't no need ter try, 'cos when I was agoin' home yes'day evenin' de fus' ting I see when I gits down to de road was dat brack an' w'ite keow eatin' grass by de fence in de ole field. Lor! How I jumps when I see her. Says I: 'Moses, de good angel Gabriel sen' you dat keow. Dat keow don' b'long 'bout hyar an' I reckon she b'long to dat druv wot wen' through hyar t'other day, an' she done git los' in de bushes an' was luf b'hin'.' So I jes' gits over de fence an' I sits down on de grass near by her an' I watch her all night, an' arly dis mornin' I druv her up hyar. I'se bin waitin' more'n two hours when yer come out, Aunt B'linda, an' ef yer keeps her in de shed dat ar driver won' fin' her when he comes back, wot he cahn't do an' leave de res' of de cattl'."

"You done stole her!" repeated Aunt Belinda.

"Yes, I done jes' dat," replied Moses, "an' wot's more, I'd stole forty keows rather dan not git you fer a wife, Aunt B'linda."

"Moses Lipscomb," said she after a slight pause, "you is wot I calls a one-sin man. Yous done gone an' stole dat keow, but dar you stops. You don' come ter me an' tell no lies 'bout it. Now dar's dat long-legged Aaron, he done stole a keow an' fotch her ter me an' tell me a bucketful of lies 'bout her. I'se lived long 'nough ter know dat I cahn't git no husban', 'specially in dis part ob de county, widout no sin at all, an' so I'se boun' ter take de one wot's got de leas' an' I reckon dar aint nobody round hyar wot's got less dan one, an' so, Moses, I'll take you. An' now I'll guv you de milk pail an' you milk dat keow, 'cos tain't fair ter de pore dumb creetur ter let her go not milked, an' den you tuck her whar you fin' her an' leave her dar. When you done dat yer kin come back an' have yer breakfas'. Ef dar's one ting I hates," she continued as she went into the house, "it's milkin'!"

It was about an hour afterward and Moses was still eating his bacon and dipping his corn bread into the melted and bubbling fat when Aunt Belinda, looking out of her window, saw the long-legged Aaron striding over the field. He was dressed as on the day before except that he wore a pink rose in his buttonhole.

As Aunt Belinda liked to have her conferences outside of the house, where there was room to talk, she went out to receive him.

"B'linda," said he, as he took off his hat and held out his hand, "my deah B'linda, whar's de woman on de top of de earf wot more gladden de heart—"

"Stop dat, you long-legged Aaron!" she cried. "Wot you mean ter speak like dat ter me an' call me sweetheart names? Don't yer do dat no more."

"Wot you mean?" cried Aaron. "Ain't that 'fair twixt us all fix'd? Didn't I guv yer dat keow ter mar'age settl'men,' paid in 'vance? Didn't you p'omise me—"

"Go 'long wid yer!" shouted Aunt Belinda. "How yer dare come hyar wid yer lies an' yer thieveries? I seen yer yes'day mornin' comin' over de field! I seen yer stop an' look at dat brack an' w'ite keow, an' I knowed you knowed dat keow didn' 'long in dis hyar neighborhood, an' I jes' thunk ter myself I'd ask dat long-legged Aaron ter guv me a keow an' see wot he do. Den yer done stole dat brack an' w'ite keow an' fotch her ter me an' tell me lot o' lies 'bout raisin' her from a littl' cah'f! Now let me tell yer, you Aaron, dat brack an' w'ite keow is my keow. Day 'for yes'day I bought her outer a druv of cattl' an' paid fer her wid money wot I done save from washin' an' ironin', an' I put her in dat field, an' nobody 'bout hyar done know I'se got dat keow. An' you done stole my own keow an' come hyar wid a pack o' lies an' ask me ter marry yer on 'count of yer guvin' her ter me—my own keow!"

"Mis' Tinsley, said Aaron, drawing himself up, "de langwidge you's usin' ter me is 'fensive ter my min'. Ef you's de kin' o' woman wot uses sich langwidge I don't want no wedlock wid yer, an' I don' want ter hyar no more fool talk 'beout yer buyin' dat keow. I'se too ole fer any sech tales as dat. Jes' you guv me back my keow an' I retires from dis controwersy. An' look hyar, Miss Tinsley, ef yer don' guv her back I'll have yer ... 'tainin' keows on false pertenses."

At this moment a sudden noise was heard inside the house, a stool was tumbled over the floor, a table was pushed roughly to one side, there was a quick stamping of feet and in an instant Moses Lipscomb, his eyes glaring and his head lowered like a bull about to charge a matador, appeared in the doorway.

"Git, you, Aaron!" cried Aunt Belinda. The injunction was not needed. The long-legged suitor gave one glance at the doorway. This was not the first time he had seen Moses Lipscomb with his head down and his eyes glaring, and without hesitating he turned and fled, with Moses after him, roaring like an infuriated king of the herd.

Aaron's legs were very long; his silk hat fell off, and he did not stop to pick it up, and his fright and his strides were so great that he soon left his pursuer far behind. Moses stopped and, giving the hat a kick that would have done credit to a college football man, and, shaking his fist after his flying foe, he shouted:

"GIT, YOU, AARON!"

"Ef ever I kotch you, you daddy-long-legs, I'll butt yer low an' I'll kick yer high, 'til yer never knows de diff'rence twixt de earf an' de sky! Comin' hyar an' talkin' ter my B'linda 'bout 'restin' her fer false pertenses an' a keow!"

When Moses returned he found Aunt Belinda seated in a chair, laughing until the tears ran down her cheeks.

"He make me crack my sides!" she exclaimed, "I jes' say ter him: 'Git!' an' he more'n got!"

Moses sat down on the grass, wiping his face with the corner of a torn shirt sleeve.

"Was all dat de true fac'," he said, "wot you done say 'bout buyin' dat keow an' her bein' yer keow all de time?"

"True as Gospel," said she, "I kin show yer de 'ceipt wot I made de driver guv me 'fore I paid him. Wouldn' trus' no stranger like him wot might come back hyar sayin' he done los' a keow in Perkins' ole fields."

"Den, B'linda," said Moses, "I reckons I'se a no sin man, 'cos ef I done guv back de keow wot I stole to de pusson wot I stole her from, den I'se all right."

"Go 'long, you Moses," cried she, "I hain't got no time ter talk sich fool talk wid yer. I'se got ter iron Capt. Camp's shirts an' tuck 'em down ter him, an' you go git me some good light wood fer ter he't de irons wid, and when you done dat I'll guv yer ten cents ter pay pore Uncle Pete fer de hire of dat coh't wot you comes hyar wid ter pay 'tentions ter me wid a view ter matermony. I knows you hain't got no money ter pay him wid, an' ef we's ter be married we's got ter start squar."

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FUNERAL OF LITTLE JOSIE.

Flowers Heaped on the Casket Holding the Mangled Form.

Hope Chapel was a sad place at 1:30 Sunday afternoon, when the funeral of little Josie Cook, who was killed by the Royal Blue train, took place. There was a large gathering of mourners, despite the bad weather, and the little casket was heaped with roses and lilies and other floral bloom, by the many who had held dear the friendship of the life so cruelly crushed out. Rev. G. Kennedy Newell conducted the impressive ceremony, and spoke with rare tenderness of the dear Sunday-school child who had been called to the Jesus whom she loved. He referred to the happiness of the week before, when Josie had spoken a Christmas piece from the platform, and he held out comfort and consolation for the mother and grandmother, who wept through the sad scene. The eyes of most the assembly shed their tribute to the little one gone from the school, and at the grave in Hillside Cemetery tears mingled freely with the rain. The mournful duty of carrying the casket was filled by Messrs Thomas Reed, Walter Mague, Alexander Muir and John Cose.

The session of the Chapel Sunday-school was mournful with the sense of double loss of the week, Mrs. Sparks having been laid to rest from the chapel the day previous.

Personally-Conducted Tours to Washington, D. C., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

There is probably no place that offers so much in the way of sightseeing and other things of general interest as Washington, D. C. Apart from being the Nation's Capital, the magnificent Government Buildings and beautifully-planned streets and public parks make it well worth a visit.

The series of three-day tours arranged by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, under its perfect personally-conducted tourist system, gives every one an opportunity to visit Washington under most favorable circumstances and at a very reasonable cost.

The tours leave New York on January 17, and at intervals of three week until May 23, 1895, inclusive. The rates, including accommodations at Washington's best hotels, are $13.50 from New York and $11.50 from Philadelphia; proportionate rates from other points.

Detailed itinerary will be sent on application to Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or Room 411, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

Machinery Helps Labor.

The Kappa Delta Phi of the High School debated Friday the question "Is the use of machinery beneficial to the laboring classes?" Charles B. Morse '95 and John V. Beekman, Jr. '95, defended the affirmative; and Charles Noble '95 and Henry Eggerding '96, the negative. The president decided the debate in favor of the affirmative.

Charles B. Morse '95, John V. Beekman, Jr. '95 and Arthur B. Crane '97 were appointed a committee to arrange for a stereopticon entertainment for some Friday evening soon.

The programme committee reported the following programme for the next meeting: Debate—"In general, are monopolies beneficial?" Affirmative—J. H. Craig '96 and A. B. Crane '97. Negative—F. W. Cornwell '96 and Ernest Rapalje '97.

A committee, consisting of Ernest Rapalje '97, H. B. Drake '95 and F. W. Cornwell '96, was appointed to make arrangements for a Kappa Delta Phi straw-ride.

Park Avenue Baptist Week of Prayer.

Following is the arrangement for the week of prayer in the Park Avenue Baptist Church, each service beginning at 8:

Pastor's lecture Monday evening, "Why should Christians testify in meeting?" followed by prayers for greater Christian liberty; lecture Tuesday evening, "The genuine Christian spirit which discards the world for Christ", prayers for genuine Christian consecration; pastor's lecture, Wednesday evening, "Prayer confronted by a huge obstruction", followed by prayers for quickened consciences; lecture Thursday evening, "The happiest of all communions", followed by prayers for church, brethren and pastor; Friday evening, Christian Endeavor meeting.

Got a Black Eye in Church.

Cadwallader Jones has a black eye, but he got it honorably. He was making repairs to one of the swing doors in the Unitarian Church Saturday, and it escaped from the fastening and struck him in the face.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

A BUD AMID ROSES.

Delightful Coming-Out Party of Miss Mabel F. Wilder.

An "at home" was given by Mrs. Edward Payson Wilder at her pretty residence, 922 Central avenue, Saturday afternoon, to introduce the beautiful Miss Mabel F. Wilder, who, artistically gowned in white, and bearing a magnificent bouquet of roses, stood with her mother and the fair Miss Lucy Morris of New York, in the reception room to greet the coming guests. The drawing room, parlors and music room were profusely decorated with LaFrance, American Beauties, and Jacqueminot roses, and the banquet room was a perfect vision of pink. The massive mantelpiece in the reception room was banked in LaFrance, intermingled with English violets and beautiful filmy green. Assisting the fair ones who received were the Misses Howard and Miss Mattie Baxter of New York, Miss Edith Gilbert, Miss Lilly Moore, Miss Phœbe Lovell, and Miss Florence Wilder of Plainfield. At either end of the banquet board, made beautiful by dainty candelabra and artistic clusters of lovely roses, the whole enhanced by banks of ferns and potted plants which filled the alcoves and graced the sideboard, stood Mrs. William A. Cummings of New York, and Mrs. Leander N. Lovell, presiding over the feast of delicacies served by Max Wiertz.

Among the guests assembled to honor the fair hostess and the lovely debutante were many from New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City, who, together with the many Plainfield society people, numbered fully three hundred and fifty.

One of the features which added much to the enjoyment of the affair was the excellent music provided by Argenzia's Orchestra of Brooklyn.

There was an entire absence of that formality which ofttimes mars similar occasions, the gathering resembling rather a happy house party than a formal reception, and silently bearing evidence of the tact of the genial hostess.

As 7 drew near, the guests began to depart, not neglecting to shower congratulations for the great pleasure afforded them.

After the guests departed the happy house party to the number of twenty-five reassembled in the dining room to partake of an excellent banquet, gay mirth and pealing laughter seasoning the repast.

Dancing was next in order, and the fair women with their gay gallants floated through the beautiful rooms in time with the witching music or sought cozy nooks for rest and quiet chat until near the midnight stroke.

The Heart, Not the Coat, Makes Humanity.

An apt illustration of the fact that little people have a limitless capacity for enjoyment, regardless of environment or poverty, was noted by a Daily Press reporter Saturday afternoon.

Three little girls, whose garments gave evidence of their lowly station, had formed themselves into a merry sleighing party. The smallest, a mite of five or six, was the centre of the trio and, stooping low, with her shoes for runners, had caught the skirts of the one in front, who was pulling the animated "sleigh" thus formed at quite a rapid gait, while the third assisted in the rear by pushing the little one along.

The keen pleasure depicted on their faces was in marked contrast to the sombre features of a fur-covered little one of about their own age, who was being drawn in an opposite direction on a handsomely painted sled by a sumptuously attired older sister, who glanced with scorn at the improvised tandem.

Week of Prayer at Trinity.

In the Trinity Reformed Church last evening a profitable and spiritual prayer meeting of one-half hour's duration was held, led by A. B. Clemens, after which an interesting and helpful discourse was given by the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck. It was the opening service of the week of prayer, to be held every night this week, and the seventy-five persons present were more than repaid for coming out such a stormy night to ask God for the gift of His Holy Spirit.

Tonight a half-hour meeting for men only will be held in the lecture room of the church at 7:30, to be followed by the regular prayer meeting at 8.

Early Evening Burglary.

The ringing of the burglar alarm in the International Fur Company's store at 7 Saturday evening attracted the attention of the police, and Proprietor J. A. Karet, who lives in the Clifton flats, was notified. A thorough investigation was made, but nothing was missing from the stock. An attempt had been made to enter the store through the trap door in the cellar.

Legislature Tomorrow.

The New Jersey Legislature meets tomorrow, and, save for the election of a United States Senator to take the place of John R. McPherson, there is very little purpose to their meeting or their continuance in session.

As to the election of a United States Senator, William J. Sewell will be elected, with scarcely any opposition in votes.

THE PRESS THEIR STUDY.

High School Boys Emulating the Profession Devoted to the Preservation of the World's History and the Record of Civilization's Progress.

The Plainfield High School Press Association has been organized. The charter members are five young men who are deeply interested in newspaper work, and the conditions of membership are that the applicant shall be a full believer in the value of the newspaper and zealous after knowledge of the art preservative of all the arts. The little corps of zealots express especial admiration for the Plainfield Daily Press, which it considers a complete home newspaper because of its devotion to science and progress and its department of high-grade literature in addition to the news of the day. The members of the association are ambitious to graduate into newspaperdom, which offers so varied and useful a field. They are espousing the profession among the girls of the school, with the view of reviving the dormant literary society as an auxiliary to the Press Association.

Debates of the Lyceum.

The High School Lyceum has arranged the following programme for the meetings of the next two months:

Jan. 11—Hash debate, subject to be provided by programme committee.

Jan. 18—Debate—"Is it more desirable to live in a warm climate than in a cold one?" affirmative—J. V. Rittenhouse '97, C. B. Morse '95, G. A. Horne '95, Ernest Suffern '97; negative—Nathan Lane, Jr., '94, F. W. Cornwell '96, H. B. Drake '95, Howard Miller '98.

Jan. 25—"Improvement" meeting, each member to speak on the improvements made in a certain class of labor during the last ten years. Committee of arrangements, J. V. Rittenhouse '97.

Feb. 1—Debate—"Which does the most to produce crime: poverty, wealth, or ignorance?" The principals for the three sides were appointed as follows: poverty, Ernest Rapalje '97; wealth, A. B. Crane '97; ignorance, J. H. Craig '96. Each principal is to have two seconds to be appointed in some future meeting.

Feb. 8—Debate—"Is ambition a vice or a virtue?" affirmative—H. B. Drake '95, G. A. Horne '95; two seconds to be appointed later; negative—J. V. Rittenhouse '97, Nathan Lane, Jr., '94; two seconds to be appointed later.

Feb. 15—A special St. Valentine's Day meeting, the details of which will be announced at another meeting. Committee of arrangements—H. O. Nightingale '95, chairman; G. A. Horne '95, H. B. Drake '95, C. B. Morse '95, Nathan Lane, Jr., '94, J. V. Rittenhouse '97, Howard Miller '98.

As Feb. 22 is Washington's Birthday there will be no meeting that day

A Slippery Time.

Plainfield people who ventured out yesterday did so at the risk of their equilibrium. The cold rain following a dash of sleet had during Saturday night coated the pavements with a treacherous sheet of ice, and nearly everybody who valued sound limbs and uncracked skulls took to the middle of the road, where there was more room to fall, and a little better footing. A considerable number of brave Christians defied the elements and attended morning service, and there was the customary postoffice contingent after the morning mail. But the effort to maintain dignity and uprightness was so great that in the afternoon and evening most people staid indoors.

The evening service of the First Baptist Church was omitted last evening on account of the storm.

Minnie Lester Tonight.

Much interest is displayed over the engagement of Minnie Lester, with her new company, band and orchestra at Music Hall this week. Miss Lester has always met with a hearty reception here, because both she and her company deserve the patronage of theatre-goers.

Do Not Delay.

"What can be done with little, need not be done with much", is an old saying, and if applied to the care of the eyes will avert much trouble and expense. Do not defer giving them attention at the first hint of waning sight. Remember that an examination at Collier's will cost you nothing, and will insure you reliable advice as to what measures, if any, should be taken to prevent chronic disease of the eyes and the countless disorders consequent thereto.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

RECEPTION AND DANCE.

Long List of Patronesses to Honor the Columbia College Boys.

A reception and dance to the Glee Banjo and Mandolin Clubs of Columbia College will be given Monday evening, January 14, in the Casino of the Union County Country Club, and promises to be a leading social event. The following is a list of the patronesses: Mrs Marion Ackerman, Mrs Robert L Burnett, Mrs Augustus C Baldwin, Mrs Charles C Cokefair, Mrs Edgar Corlies, Mrs Rowland Cox, Mrs Martin I Cooley, Mrs John B Dumont, Mrs James DeGraff, Mrs George W Endicott, Mrs George Evans, Mrs M E Edgerton, Mrs Henry A McGee, Mrs Alexander Gilbert, Mrs Stephen A Ginna, Mrs Daniel F Ginna, Mrs Ellis W Hedges, Mrs Samuel Huntington, Mrs Benjamin Hegeman, Mrs Frank O Herring, Mrs Walter Haviland, Mrs L N Lovell, Mrs A A Low, Mrs Craig A Marsh, Mrs J P Mason, Mrs J W Reinhart, Mrs Walter A Stewart, Miss Emilie Schipper, Mrs L G Timpson, Mrs Mason W Tyler, Mrs J Evarts Tracy, Mrs Evarts Tracy, Mrs George W VanBoskerck, Mrs Edward VanBuren, Mrs E L Walz, Mrs O G Warling, Mrs Joseph W Yates, Mrs Frederick W Yates.

There will be informal playing and glees by the college clubs at intervals during the evening, and the Casino will be decorated with the college colors.

Over two hundred invitations have been sent, and the college boys are promised an enthusiastic reception.

Revival in Vincent Chapel.

The revival meeting in Vincent Chapel Saturday evening was especially devoted to the younger members of the church. The meeting was opened with a hymn, after which Charles Scudder of Drew Seminary led in prayer. The Drew Quartette, consisting of Mr. Raymond, Mr. Rowe, Mr. Andriese and Mr. Harper, sang "Ashamed of Jesus", a hymn written by a child ten years of age.

Mr. Harper then addressed the meeting with words appropriate to the occasion. His text was Psalm 39:7—"And now, Lord, what wait I for? My hope is in Thee".

Mr. Raymond gave a short talk on "Procrastination, the Thief of Souls".

After the singing of a few favorite hymns, there was a season of prayer, which was followed by another hymn, and the benediction by Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes.

The Sunday afternoon service in Vincent Chapel was called "A Meeting of Decision". The Drew Quartette opened the meeting by singing "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me". This was followed by a prayer by Mr. Harper.

The school next listened to an address by Mr. Rowe. His text was John 12:21—"We would see Jesus".

After a number of short prayers, Rev. Dr. Barnes made an address. Another hymn was followed by prayer. After J. W. Jackson, the school superintendent, had given the customary Sunday-school notices, the meeting was dismissed by Dr. Barnes.

During this week, the week of prayer, meetings will be held in Vincent Chapel every night.

Congregational Services.

In the Congregational Church the following is the programme for the Week of Prayer:

Monday, 8 p. m., Prayer for Churches and Christians; Eph. III: 14-21. Tuesday. 8 p. m., Prayer for Christian Work and Workers; Hab. III: 2. Wednesday, 8 p. m., Prayer for Children and Youth; I. Kings XVII: 17-23. Thursday, 8 p. m., Prayer for the Family and Home; Luke VIII: 41. Friday, 8 p. m., Prayer for the Christless and Wandering; Ezek. XXXVII: 9. Sunday, Jan. 13, 7:45 p. m., Devotional and Gospel Service, with the use of Stereopticon Views.

A Deluge at Trinity.

It was fortunate for the Trinity Church people that the rain storm did not happen on a week day, or their church might have been badly damaged by water. Yesterday morning Sexton Mundy found the water pouring into the church and lecture room at the east front corner of the building. He summoned H. E. Gayle, the builder, and after tubs and pails were set to catch a portion of the running water, Mr. Gayle made an examination of the roof and found that the large tin leader on the front of the building was frozen solid and the water had backed up and overflowed into the church. An hour's work remedied the trouble and saved a big bill of repairs.

—John Bodine of Grandview avenue had the thumb of his right hand badly crushed at the Pond Machine Tool Works.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THERE'LL BE A RACE.

England Accepts America's Terms.

There will be an international yacht race this year for the America's Cup.

The Royal Yacht Squadron, at its meeting in London today, decided that it would not be objectionable to give the receipt required by the Cup Committee in the event of the trophy being won by an English yacht, as specified by the deed of gift of 1887.

New Brunswick Greeks in Town.

The Delta Upsilon Society of Rutgers College to the number of 15 drew up in front of McVey's about 9 Saturday evening and climbing out of their box sleigh proceeded to view the town, making the echoes ring with frequent college yells. Soon, however, hunger drove them back to the bountiful feast prepared for their enjoyment by he of the luxurient Lord Dundrearys and the sunny smile. Song, joke, and college call seasoned the dinner and the fun was fast and furious.

Following the college boys at the genial Mac's was a lively party of six society belles from Morristown, who gave way in turn to several parties from out of town, attracted equally by the good sleighing and the prospective banquet with which the North Avenue Boniface with the exceedingly high forehead, was sure to provide for their delectation.

Opening of the New Annex.

The new operating room at Muhlenberg Hospital, which is one of the most convenient and complete in the State, was used Saturday for the first time, when a delicate surgical operation was most successfully performed. The chief operator was Dr. G. W. Endicott, whose skill and success were admired and complimented by the entire hospital staff. Muhlenberg is now one of the most complete establishments of its kind, and its records prove Plainfield to have a medical staff that any city would be proud of.

Warning to the Public.

The Citizens Organized Aid Association would warn the public against persons going from door to door begging under assumed names or presenting false statements. All householders are asked to send persons begging at the door or on the street to the office of the C. O. A. A. with a householders ticket, (if these are available), when the agent will give the householder the benefit of all she has learned of the case. If the householder desires to give assistance in case of worthy applicants he may state this willingness on the ticket.

To Toot All Right Hereafter.

The report that the North Plainfield Fire Department is to have a new fire gong is pronounced by Chief Fairchild untrue. The gong is all right, and has not been sent away. The steam valve was sent several days ago to the Gamewell Fire Alarm Company, with the idea of locating the exact trouble. It has been found, and the firm who made it will supply a new valve, and it is then expected that the borough fire alarm system will be in as perfect condition as Plainfield's. Today is the time set for testing the new valve.

Suicide of S. T. J. Byam.

S. T. J. Byam of 19 Tiers street, Newark, manager of the New York office of the Pratt & Whitney Company, manufacturers of machinery and machine tools, at 138 Liberty street, New York, shot himself this morning in the right temple in his office. He was taken to the Hudson Street Hospital in a dying condition, and expired five minutes after his arrival there.

High School Notes.

Isaac Titsworth '95, gave a declamation this morning on "The Supreme Court of the United States". This was followed by an explanation of the power of the Supreme Court, by Supt. Maxson.

Miss Whitney, the Fourth Class teacher, was not present today, being confined to her home with a heavy cold.

The ambitious Fourth Class today received their red and gold class pins.

Aurania in Her Dock.

The Cunard liner Aurania from Liverpool, with the body of Mrs. William Waldorf Astor on board, arrived at her dock at 1:50 this afternoon.

—The residence of Mr. Harned on East Front street is quarantined on account of a case of scarlet fever.

—The Emmanuel Baptist Church will give a Swiss ragamuffin promenade concert in Central Hall Jan. 31.

—An entertainment is in preparation at St. Joseph's Church, arrangements for which will be completed this week.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

DEATH OF DANIEL CORY.

Plainfield's Landmark Passes Away at the Ripe Age of 87.

Daniel Cory, a landmark of this section, died at 7:30 last night, of his apoplectic stroke. He would have completed his 87th year in June, and all of his life was spent at his birthplace, the old homestead at Warrenville. Mr. Cory was a man of great industry, and by his push and thrift amassed a fortune. He studied for the law, and was graduated, but never practiced. He leaves a son, John Cory of Front street, and a widow, his second wife. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 1, at the late home of the deceased.

Send Us the Recipe.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—Those of your readers who have been in Germany will remember with pleasure the "Kaffee Kuchen" used in homes at breakfast. It is also called "Moravian Sugar Cake", as it is made by Moravians in their settlements all over the world, whether in Russia, Germany, Holland, England or America. My aunt, the widow of a distinguished Moravian bishop, baked the best "Kaffee Kuchen" I ever ate. I have the recipe printed in English for the benefit of American friends. Should any of your readers wish to enjoy it, they need but ask me for a copy. Yours etc.,

Easton, Pa. H. T. FRUEAUFF.

Sixty and Carman Speak.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—The undersigned had their attention called to an article published in your paper Dec. 26, "Were they afraid to face the traps?" We wish to state that our absence from the shoot was unavoidable and that we were not afraid in the least. We infer, judging from the tone of New Market Sport's article, that some of the New Market contingent might be agreeable to shooting a match, and to that end we hereby challenge any two residents of New Market or Dunellen to a match on live birds, the conditions of which may be arranged by calling at Carman's Market, Dunellen, any time in the near future.

T. W. SIXTY,
WM. H. CARMAN.

Came Here to Marry.

New York papers yesterday published a romantic story of the alleged elopement of Edwin S. Westlake and Alice T. Tewksbury, locating the marriage in Plainfield. As a matter of fact, most of the story was moonshine. Westlake is a Boston clergyman's son, and the girl also is from Massachusetts. They have for some time been anxious to mary, and the girl's parents have been anxious too. They came to Plainfield to have the ceremony take place quietly among strangers, hunted up Rev. Mr. Rodman, were married by him just as he would have married any other people under similar circumstances, and immediately they left town.

Little Ones Spread Christmas Sunshine.

The little ones of the Children's Home were entertained by the Sunday-school of All Souls Church in the church parlors Saturday afternoon. A pretty Christmas cantata was given for their benefit by the little people of the school, and at its conclusion marches and games were enjoyed by all.

Cocoa and cake were served in abundance, and it did the heart good to witness the keen enjoyment of the merry little people in their effort to make their less fortunate guests happy. That they succeeded was due in great measure to the efficient management of Mrs. H. B. Wells of Washington avenue, who had charge of the happy party of young philanthropists.

A large sleigh came for the children at 5:30, and they returned to the Home. Their pleasure was greatly increased by their sleighride to and from the church, for which additional enjoyment they were indebted to the kindness of William Hand of Park avenue.

The Week With the Methodists.

The Week of Prayer will be observed with union services by the Front Street and Grace Methodist Episcopal churches. Meetings will be held in Vincent Chapel every evening, beginning at 8. Owing to the interest shown during the last week, the services will be evangelistic in character. Already nearly a score have committed themselves to a Christian life. The Drew Quartette will be present and sing this evening.

—It is understood that Edward White has leased from the Misses Conklin the store adjoining his present one, and that an archway will be cut through. This is to be done to make room for his large stock of goods and increasing business.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE TROLLEY RAN WILD

Mad Career of a Car Down a Kingston Hill.

Motorman Charles Link Terribly Injured and Will Probably Die—One Passenger Jumps in Safety—The Other Four Badly Bruised—The Car Demolished.

Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 7.—A car of the Kingston City Electric railroad ran away on the Broadway hill, and Motorman Charles Link, Conductor James Norton and two men and two women, Mrs. James Seifferth and Kate Mulligan, passengers, had a lively experience.

One of the men jumped from the car and landed in safety. Motorman Link received injuries which may prove fatal, while Mrs. Seifferth is suffering from a severe nervous shock and bruises. Miss Mulligan and Conductor Norton were not hurt.

The hill, which extends from St. Mary's Roman Catholic church to Ferry street, is about half a mile long, is very steep, and down this hill the car slid in a few seconds. The track was covered with ice, and although the brakes were put on at both ends of the car, the sand boxes used and Link reversed the motors, the electricity failed to take effect.

By this time the car was moving at the rate of a mile a minute, and many excited spectators gazed in horror at the runaway. The car kept the rails until the sharp curve at the foot of the hill was reached, and when it struck the turn so great was the impetus that it bounded in the air, straight way into the front of the Cornell Steamboat company's building, twenty-five feet away.

Motorman Link was on the front platform and one end of the platform struck the bluestone archway of the building, while the other end of the platform dashed throught the glass front of the towing office, jamming Link through the wooden frame and glass. He was terribly cut and bruised, while Mrs. Seifferth and Miss Mulligan, also Conductor Norton and the man who had remainder on the car, who were on the rear platform, were knocked down. Link was taken to the Kingston hospital and the women to their homes.

The car was demolished and the front of the building damaged.

NEGROES FIGHT A DUEL.

Spectators Were More Seriously Hurt Than the Participants.

Charleston, Mo., Jan. 7.—A duel with pistols took place shortly after noon between two negroes on the street in the very heart of the business centre of the city. The duellists were Job Edwards and Brick Crawford. They had trouble over a "crap" game, and the dozen shots they fired did more damage to outsiders than to the shooters.

Lawrence Glover, a prominent young man, received one of the bullets in the intestines, and his recovery is doubtful. Deputy Marshal John Dickmeyer was shot through the thigh while attempting to arrest the negroes. Edwards received a bullet in his arm and Crawford's scalp was cut by another. The friends of the wounded men talk strongly of lynching the prisoners.

Bitter Winter Weather in Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 7.—The first bitter cold weather of the winter has been felt here. On account of a heavy snow storm street traffic has been impeded for the last several days in the suburbs. Trains were delayed throughout Germany and on several roads of the west and south were forced to cease running. It snowed for four days in the Rhoengebirge and the railways in northwestern Bavaria and Hesse-Nassau were blocked completely by drifts of snow and ice.

Talmage Preaches in New York.

New York, Jan. 7.—The Rev. T. De Witt Talmage preached his first sermon as a New York clergyman yesterday afternoon in the Academy of Music. An audience that filled every seat and occupied the aisles of the great building greeted the doctor with applause when he came on the stage. He will preach at the Academy of Music every Sunday afternoon hereafter.

Disastrous Fire at Toronto.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 7.—One of the most disastrous fires in the history of the city originated in the basement of the Globe (newspaper) office and that was killed and several others severely burned to the ground. One fireman was killed and several others severely injured by falling walls. The total loss will probably reach in the neighborhood of one million dollars.

Corn for Nebraska Sufferers.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 7.—A car left here last night loaded with corn and North Carolina rice for the Nebraska sufferers. It was contributed by the Atlantic Coast Line and the car bore the legend: "Corn and North Carolina Rice, Contributed by the Atlantic Coast Line for the Nebraska Sufferers."

Miss Stevenson Growing Weaker.

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 7.—Miss Mary Stevenson, daughter of the vice-president, rested more comfortably yesterday. It is believed, however, that she is growing weaker. Her father and the members of the family are with her.

Found Dead in a Cellar.

Jersey City, Jan. 7.—Franklin N. Lockman, 23 years, a letter carrier attached to the Bayonne postoffice, was found dead in a cellar underneath the hardware store of J. Levitch in Bayonne yesterday.

ANSWER TO INGERSOLL.

Cardinal Gibbons' Remarks During the Presence of Mgr. Satolli.

Baltimore, Jan. 7.—Archbishop Satolli, the apostolic delegate, officiated at the pontifical high mass celebrated at the cathedral yesterday, and Cardinal Gibbons delivered the sermon. The edifice was crowded in every part.

Mgr. Satolli was assisted by the cathedral clergy and many visiting clergymen, and over 300 students from St. Mary's seminary occupied places in the sanctuary. The choir rendered an elaborate programme of special music. After the mass Cardinal Gibbons held his regular New Year's reception in the parlors of the archiepiscopal residence.

In his sermon his eminence evidently had in mind Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, who recently delivered his lecture on the bible in this city.

"It is fashionable as well as profitable," his eminence said, in beginning his sermon, "to cast odium as well as ridicule on Christianity and the sacred scriptures, which are the basis of the Christian religion. A man of limited capacity, but of fluency of speech and shafts of wit can propose objections and difficulties in half an hour which may take a learned man a month to answer."

CAPT. GIESSLER'S SCHEME.

Has Established a Colony on Cocos Island To Dig for Treasure.

San Francisco, Jan. 7.—News comes from Panama that Capt. Giessler, who has a record on this coast as a daring navigator, left that port one month ago with a small party of Germans to hunt for Pirate Morgan's buried treasure on Cocos island.

Giessler firmly believes in the treasure and his latest scheme is to establish a colony on the island and carefully dig over the place where the pirate buried his hoard, seventy five years ago.

Last summer Giessler made a trip with two men from Frisco to Cocos island but one man died and Giessler returned to Panama. Then he went to Costa Rica and secured a permit to establish a colony on the island. This party of eleven people, including three women and two children left New York last November. They expect to remain on the island six months.

They carried forty tons of provisions and they expect to dig over all the ground where the treasure is supposed to lie.

JOHNSTOWN IN PERIL AGAIN.

Rising Waters Threatening the City with New Danger.

Johnstown, Pa., Jan. 7.—The thaw of ice and snow which has set in as a result of a warm rain, has resulted in considerable damage to property. Scores of residences and business houses are damaged.

The police were sent out to warn merchants and others to clear the ice from their buildings.

A more threatening danger, however, is the rapid rise of the river. The great snow of a few days ago is melting on the mountains, and, reinforced by a heavy fall of rain, is swelling the Conemaugh and Stony Creek. There is an additional danger of a gorge of ice at the Pennsylvania railroad stone bridge.

In any event, unless the heavy rainfall ceases in a few hours and a cold spell comes another flood, such as was experienced last spring, seems inevitable.

MURDERED BY MEXICANS.

Father and Son Killed While the Mother Narrowly Escapes.

Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 7.—News has been brought in by stage from Mammouth that F. M. Doll, a prosperous rancher and merchant, his son 21 years old, and his wife were murderously assaulted by Mexicans near their ranch on the Arivaipa, Graham county. They were driving together, and without warning the Mexicans opened fire, killing Doll and his son. Mrs. Doll was shot in the face and the assassins would have killed her also but for a team coming from an opposite direction. Seeing the approaching wagon the Mexicans fled. Mrs. Doll will recover. A posse is pursuing the miscreants.

A Curious Combination.

Clinton, Ia., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Eunice Holcomb, aged 74 years, and A. Hollenbeck, aged 78, have been married at Monmouth, Ia. This is the woman's sixth husband, she having received a divorce from spouse number five only two weeks ago. The marriage makes a curious complication in the Like family. The bride is a stepdaughter of David Like and the groom is his father-in-law. The bride thus becomes mother-in-law of her stepfather and step-mother of her stepmother.

French Explorers Traced.

London, Jan. 7.—The Central News correspondent in Shanghai says that the French explorers Grenard and Rhins, who have been missing some two months, have been traced. Rhins was murdered by Chinese after leaving L'Hassa, the capital of Thibet. Grenard was arrested by a rebel officer and was started for Peking. On Dec. 10 he passed through Tai-Yuen, province of Shan-See.

3,000 Men Discharged.

London, Jan. 7.—Many tinplate works in the Swansea district are closing their contracts. Some 3,000 men have been discharged in accordance with previous notices. The cause of the reduction is the decrease of the American demand.

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Secretary Gresham's Statement as to the Sugar Tariff Widely Discussed Throughout Germany—Freiherr Von Hammerstein's Views on the Question—Other News.

Berlin, Jan. 7.—Secretary Gresham's statement as to the American sugar tariff and treaty obligations has been discussed widely since the arrival of the last United States mail. Among deputies as among editors the one opinion is that the United States ought not to enforce a discriminating sugar tax against Germany. Many deplore that the American representatives in Washington regard Germany's prohibition of American cattle as a retaliatory measure. They say it is merely sanitary. To bolster this argument the government published in the Norddeutsche Allegemeine Zeitung a paragraph to the effect that Belgium's decree against American cattle showed how justifiable Germany's action was from a sanitary point of view. Freiherr von Hammerstein, a great man in the farmer's alliance and the leading agitator among the high tariff conservatives, says:

"I cannot understand why Americans raise such an outcry about German retaliation. There is no such thing, although Germany is justly entitled to retaliate if so inclined. The American differential duty on German sugar certainly is a sufficient cause for retaliation, and there can be no doubt of it since Secretary Gresham himself admits that Germany has been unfairly treated by the United States.

"Germany has been obliged to prohibit imports of American cattle owing to the discovery of Texas fever among them. The existence of the disease was beyond the slightest doubt. Even if congress had not passed the sugar clause, the prohibition would have been issued and maintained. The question is absolutely independent of the sugar tax.

"England formerly was Germany's best customer in the cattle market. Now she shuts her doors to our cattle for fear of infection. The whole effort of Prussian farmers is directed to reopening the English market. Therefore they watch jealously that no new development, like Texas fever in the German herds, give England an excuse to defer this reopening. America's violation of treaty obligations will not give force to her demands for a repeal of the prohibition nor will it stimulate Germany to offer the United States commercial advantages in return for commercial injuries. Still the agrarian party does not desire to provoke a customs war. The two nations are too closely allied by mutual interests. Such a conflict would be disastrous to both."

Finally the agarian leader admitted that America's treatment of German sugar was perhaps not altogether unwelcome to Freiherr von Hammerstein Loxten, his cousin and minister of agriculture, who now had a chance to do something for the agrarians. He did not believe however, that the minister of agriculture would be able to meet the extreme demands of the high tariff men, most notably those made by Count von Kanitz. This admission reveals the kernel of the whole question. The government aims to satisfy as far as possible the agrarians and bring their party to the ministerial phalanx in parliament. The reports that American beef has been prohibited for the benefit of Australia is erroneous. The German prohibitions cover also imports from Great Britain, through which most Australian meat comes in transit. The agrarian pressure now bearing on the government will lead soon to a decree against all Australian beef, whether sent directly or via England.

For the relief of the sugar interests the government has prepared a bill to keep in effect the full bounties which, according to a recent measure, should be reduced on Aug. 1, 1895, and should be abolished on Aug. 1, 1897.

The fashionable season in Berlin opened with the New Year's fetes at the Old Castle. Although the imperial family has not moved in from the new palace in Potsdam, Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia and the Prince and Princess of Saxe-Meinigen have been at the castle during the past week. Prince and Princess Frederick Leopold have returned to the palace on the Wilhelm Platz. Other high members of court society are arriving daily and making ready for a long programme of social gayeties.

The Empress Frederick has given a series of receptions in which she has kept in the background the military elements which outdazzles all else at the emperor's gatherings. Most of her guests are diplomatists, artists and writers. The painters are especially numerous, as the Empress Frederick has retained her interest in pictures as well as in sculpture. Her reunions are calculated to revive the best traditions of Berlin salons where art and letters had first place and politics was tabooed. The emperor visited his mother twice last week and took her to the old castle to show her the new decorations which she suggested and helped him plan.

Among the presents in preparation for Bismarck's eightieth birthday is a silver obelisk engraved with the names of eighty American cities which have German clubs. The givers will be eighty German-Americans who fought in the war of 1870-71.

Chancellor Prince Hohenlohe's visit in Friedrichsruh is still in doubt. It is reported that he will go within ten days and will arrange for the emperor's reception by the Bismarcks.

Found Unconscious in the Street.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 7.—Charles Brewer, a barber from Germantown, Pa., who was out of work, was found unconscious in the street here and taken to the hospital where he has since died.

Rev. Dr. King Dead.

Chatham, Ont., Jan. 7.—Rev. Dr. King, famous in slavery days for helping escaped slaves from the United States to Canada, is dead here, aged 82 years.

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"You know," said Col. Enderby, "it's two hundred years to a day, almost, since that DuCasse affair occurred along this very bit of coast we are looking at."

When the colonel begins a piece of information by the words "you know," I am always prepared to hear something concerning which I was totally ignorant; and I fancy the colonel would be surprised to find it otherwise.

Now, it so happened that I had heard of the French admiral, DuCasse, as having had some connection with Jamaica; nevertheless, not to disappoint my friend, I murmured, in a semi-interrogative tone: "Oh . . . DuCasse?"

"You know what I mean," proceeded he, with confidence. "The French were backing up the Old Pretender—the son of James II. by Mary of Modena,—and that scoundrel DuCasse was sent out here with a fleet to see what he could pick up. It was a couple of years after the great earthquake that sunk Port Royal; but there was plenty of booty to be had in the island yet, and the Frenchmen knew it. He fetched up one fine day off Morant bay, yonder, and set ashore a part of his force there, and a part further down the coast, at Cow bay—we drove along by there this morning. Well, he caught us napping, that's the truth. He and his rabble were no better than the worst of pirates. They made bloody work of it, I tell you; men, women and children—slaughtered 'em all, sir, by Jove! Well, it's a good while since; but I've always wished I could have a chance to get back at 'em; and maybe the time may come yet—there's no telling—eh?"

"Did they get much plunder?" I inquired.

"Plunder!" cried the colonel, his warlike mustachios bristling. "Loaded down with it—loaded to the gun'll! And slaves!—they carried off near fifteen hundred of 'em. We gave 'em a touch of our quality before they got off, though," added the grizzled warrior. "Col. Beeston was governor—Sir William he was then—who used to own the land Kingston now stands on. He was a stiff old chap, was Beeston; and when that French scoundrel tried to repeat his infernal tactics at Carlisle bay, Beeston was down on him with the militia, and wiped him off the island, by Jove, leaving seven hundred of his cutthroats dead behind him."

"By the way, colonel," said I, after a pause, "wasn't it that same DuCasse who afterwards defeated your Admiral Benbow in these same waters?"

The colonel was obviously taken by surprise; he had no notion that I knew that. He hummed and hawed, frowned and bristled; but there was no getting round history. "Oh, Benbow! Fine old chap, Benbow; but rather a duffer, I fancy. Oh, well, it was a long time ago, that; a long time ago. Charles! bring us two more, do you hear! and jump, now!"

"Yassah, Massa Cunl, sah!" responded Charles, and vanished with the glasses and an indulgent smile.

Col. Enderby had been an honored resident of Jamaica for twenty years or more; he came here with a brilliant reputation, won in the Indian mutiny. He was the owner of several estates on the island and was on a round of visits to them, and had invited me to take a seat in his carriage. We were at this moment sitting on the veranda of one of them, a little way up a mountain side, enjoying the air of the late afternoon and a most delicious prospect of sea and coast.

During the pause that followed the order given to Charles my eyes were caught by a ship some miles distant in the offing. She added the needed touch of human interest to the view, and I watched her proceedings with pleased and idle attention.

"What sort of a craft do you call that, colonel?" I asked, at length. "She looks to me more like a Chinese junk than anything."

"Eh? Oh—that? Chinese junk, eh! Well—hardly! She is a queer-looking affair, though. Where's the telescope? Charles! Where the deuce has that rascal—oh, gone after the . . . . Why doesn't he get back? Charles!"

"Yassah, massa," said Charles, reappearing with what he had been sent for and the same charitable smile.

"Humph! Fetch me the telescope, Charles."

"Tel'scope? Yessah!"

"By Jove, she's an odd fish—a very odd fish!" muttered the colonel, after a prolonged scrutiny through the instrument. "I can't say that I quite . . . . See what you make of her."

I took the glass and looked. I am more familiar with ships than with the early history of Jamaica; but this vessel came under no category I was acquainted with. She was not a large boat—under two hundred tons, I should say—and her lines were peculiar and rather awkward; she was high in the bows and in the stern, after the fashion of the ships we see in old marine paintings, and her spars and rigging, also, had a very antique look. She resembled a Chinese junk more than anything; but there were differences; she was painted black, which no Chinese junk ever was, that I heard of; and her sails were of canvas, much torn and defaced. Besides, what should a Chinese junk be doing here?

"There's a reef out thereabouts," remarked the colonel. "If she isn't careful, she'll find it out!"

"She appears to be sailing without any wind," said I. "She's well manned; I should think there might be fifty or sixty men on board. And they're working as if their lives depended on it. But either they're very awkward, or that fellow on the poop, with the red cap on—or is it a red feather in his hat?—doesn't know what he's about. He can't intend to come ashore here; and yet that's just what he seems to be doing."

"He's a duffer; he might be a Frenchman, by the way he behaves," said the colonel, resuming the glass. "They're an outlandish-looking gang, sure enough, those chaps are; look as if they might be the remains of some of DuCasse's pirates, kept alive for their sins," he added with a chuckle. "Recollect I came across some legend to that effect, in a manuscript chronicle in my collection, the other day. I'll look it up. By Jove, that red-feathered fellow is bound to the deuce, sure enough! And how he manages to move in the dead calm, at that rate, is beyond me. He must be the Flying Dutchman! He'll be high and dry on the reef in ten minutes, whoever he is!"

"He's caught in some current, I suppose," said I.

"Confound this light!" growled the colonel; "it's failing us just when we want it."

In fact, the sun was setting; and, as our outlook was towards the southeast, the shadow of the gigantic Blue Peak was thrown upon that part of the offing where the ship was. She was merged in it, and it was no longer possible to distinguish what was going forward on her decks. It seemed that the sheets were hauled aft, as if to take advantage of a breeze imperceptible to us; but the effect was to head the vessel directly towards the reef, from which she now seemed to be but a few hundred yards distant. On she came, the water rippling from her bluff bows, and rising and sinking slowly on the long swell. She was moving obliquely relative to us, her port side being half turned to us. Now a long line of white surf broke almost under her nose.

"By Jove, there she goes!" cried the colonel, jumping to his feet excitedly. "He's done it!"

As he spoke her forward part was uplifted by a roller and came down heavily on the reef. The shock caused her main topmast to break short off at the cap, and it hung down amidst a tangle of cordage. Meanwhile, unless my eyes deceived me, a flag was run up to her mizzen; but it was too dusky to distinguish what device it bore.

"THERE SHE GOES," CRIED THE COLONEL.

Tropical twilights are short; and almost at the moment the ship struck the air seemed to become perceptibly darker. Probably a cloud had passed across the west. On the horizon to the southeast, however, a mass of cloudy vapor was beautifully lighted up by the reflections of the sunset splendor and colored with tints of exquisite delicacy. It moulded itself into various similitudes of form, and finally took that of an antique vessel very much resembling the one on the reef—a gigantic ghost of a ship, which glowed with phantom fire through its portholes, and finally vanished in a pillar of gray, diaphanous smoke.

The practical and energetic colonel doubtless did not witness this picturesque ornament of the scene. His mind was full of the actual situation down there on the reef; and though he had so vigorously denounced the stupidity of the "red-feathered chap," and even gone so far as to accuse him of Frenchiness, he now began to consider plans for succor.

"Why don't he show any lights, though?" he muttered. "Has he the idea that he has come ashore on an uninhabited island?"

"If he has been cruising about since 1694, possibly he has run out of his stock of rockets and candles?" I suggested.

"Do you see any signs of his putting off a boat?" continued the warrior. "He's got boats, for I noticed a couple of them before the light failed. Why, what the deuce ails him? Anybody would think that every man-jack of 'em had been struck dead by the same blow that stove in her bottom."

Indeed, there was not a sign of life on board the questionable stranger; she lay dark and inert, as if she were the wreck of generations ago. Not so much as the flash of a lantern or the report of a gun came from her. And yet, a minute ago, her decks had been a-swarm with life.

"What do you make out of it—eh?" demanded the colonel, chafing under his perplexity.

"The case strikes me as very simple," I replied. "She is, as you say, a sort of Flying Dutchman affair. She has been doomed for a certain number of years or centuries to sail the seas that witnessed her crimes; and to-night her season of earthly purgatory has expired. Her crew, who of course were simply dead bodies animated by demons, having navigated her to the point she started from, have now taken flight to their own abode—"

Here the colonel interrupted me with an indignant snort.

"Jesting is all very well," quoth he; "but what's to be done about those poor devils down on the reef? It may come on a storm before morning, and every mother's son of 'em be drowned before our eyes. I'll tell you what it is; if they haven't sent on shore to communicate with us by the time we're through with our dinner, I shall take a boat and go out to see what's up, in person. That's what I shall do! Would you care to accompany me?"

"Nothing would please me better. I have always wanted to board a phantom ship, colonel, and there is no man whom I would prefer to yourself for my companion in such an adventure."

The colonel growled, called for Charles, ordered him to have dinner as soon as possible, and gave him further instructions relative to our proposed expedition.

Fortunately for our purpose, the night turned out perfectly fine and still, and there was a moon, which rose just about the time we were ready to embark on our trip—between eight and nine o'clock. We had driven down from the colonel's house, some two or three miles, over a rough road, in a single-seated buggy; on arriving at the beach we found the faithful Charles awaiting us.

"Has the fellow made any signs of life yet?" demanded the colonel, as his servant helped him to alight.

"No, Massa Cun'l, sah," Charles replied. "Dey's like as if dey wus gone to sleep, sah. De boys here, dey don' like it, sah; say it ain't right, an' I was 'bliged for to promise 'em extra pay to take us out, sah."

"Ah, the rascals! Let them alone not to lose a chance of turning a penny! So, the crew out yonder's asleep, are they? Well, we'll wake 'em before long. Push off, give way, there, and be lively!"

The rowers—there were four of them—bent to their oars, and we swept out into the still lagoon, the rising moon sending her level rays into our faces from the left, and the end of the colonel's big cigar glowing beneath his grim mustache. Owing to the position of the moon, it was difficult to discern anything of the ship, which lay upwards of two miles out; she was a shadow, and little more. As we advanced, a silence fell upon us; nothing was heard but the regular breathing of the men, the clip of the oars as they took the water, and the creak of the rowlocks. After we had proceeded for about twenty minutes, another sound became audible—the gentle breaking of the swell upon the reef. We were now scarce a mile away from it, and the ship was silhouetted against the whitish glisten of the sea beyond her. But no noise, no movement, no light announced that there were living beings on board. It was certainly mysterious. I glanced at the colonel, who sat with the tiller ropes grasped in his hands steering straight for the ship. His bushy eyebrows were drawn together, his square jaws were set, and he looked as if he were leading a forlorn hope right up to the enemy's guns.

"Well, what do you think of her?" said I.

"I shall hold her commander to an account for his conduct," replied the veteran. "The ocean is not my element; but I know what proper behavior is, afloat or ashore."

"It is my opinion," I pursued, "that he means to lure us on board and then cut our throats, as the final act of his two centuries of piracy."

"An officer of her majesty's service is not lured into ambuscades by coasting tramps, sir—even if he be on the retired list!" returned the colonel, with sternness. "Rest assured, I shall know how to make myself respected."

"Very respectable men have been murdered before now, especially by tramps," said I. "However, I will bring the Star-Spangled Banner to your assistance if there is any trouble; and meanwhile we will hope for the best."

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THE WEATHER.

Colder, Southwesterly Winds Shifting to Northwesterly.

Westfield has adopted a sewer-construction plan differing from Plainfield's. Plainfield first buries thousands of dollars worth of pipe in the streets, and takes her time about picking out land for disposal beds. Westfield believes that the outlet should be provided before the pipes are laid. Therefore she has bought the Zabriskie 100-acre farm, paid $10,000 for it, and will now go ahead and construct her sewers and operate them as fast as built. Westfield is wide-awake in this matter as in all.

Those intelligent and enterprising young men of the High School who have taken up the study of newspapers will find a fruitful field for their investigations. There is no nobler nor more important profession than that of newspapermen; and Plainfield, which has already provided the world with shining examples of the genius, perhaps holds in these students genus even greater. The Press salutes the students in journalism, and is proud of their recognition of its own worth as an entertainer and educator.

It was Plainfield's proud privilege to claim Julian Hawthorne, famous son of a famous father, as one of her people, during his residence in the romantic house on the Scotch Plains road to Springfield, and he was one of the familiar figures of her streets. Plainfielders have therefore a personal interest in him, and in his writings, even aside from their intrinsic worth. In his latest story he is faithful to his own school of romance, and weaves a fanciful tale around an ancient vessel, peopled with dead men and a live baby. He calls it "A Mystery of the Caribbean", and in developing that mystery has made a story worth reading. Like all the newest stories by the favorite writers, it has been copyrighted to Daily Press use, and today The Press gives the first instalment. The best literature of the day is found in The Daily Press, and in no other paper in Plainfield, and readers of The Press have no need of other newspaper, magazine or periodical. Hawthorne's "Mystery" will be succeeded by a story of brilliancy from the fascinating pen of Harriet Prescott Spofford, entitled "The Beauxlieux Diamonds". People are still re-reading and talking about the two tales recently published in The Press, by Ruth McEnery Stuart and Frank R. Stockton. The former's "Arkansaw Prophet" was as pathetic and pretty a story as ever melted human heart, and Stockton's "Moses and Aaron" was full of his own quaint and irrepressible humor. Be sure to read the "Mystery" now running, and watch out for "The Beauxlieux Diamonds". And there are others coming.

—A reception will be given at the Plainfield Manual Training School Jan 24. Supt. Maxson and Dr. Richards will speak.

—The carpet department at the Commercial Palace is being moved down stairs today. A full line of jewelry and books will occupy the space.

—The installation of officers will take place at the meeting of Minerva Temple, Bathbone Sisters, tomorrow evening. Mrs. Pope, John Thompson and C. Ackerman are among those who will entertain the audience with music.

—Neumann Bros. the Watchung Avenue grocers are offering special inducements of 10 per cent discount on all their leading brands of canned goods. Remember these are strictly first-class goods. Their motto is good goods, small profits, and quick sales.

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She wanted a bracelet, not a bracelet of silver, but of gold, if you please, and of double width, a regular horse's bit sort of bracelet, with heavy, thick links. Only the trouble was that it was expensive, and Hippolyte, her husband, shook his head.

Mme. Doz was on pins and needles. When they went out together she stopped him before all the jewelers' shops.

"Oh, look at this one!" she would say. "No, not that little one—it is very vulgar; I mean the larger one. Go in and find out the price, my dear, will you? That does not bind us to anything."

And when he reappeared confused and stammered: "They want one hundred dollars," she replied, with conviction: "Oh, that is not too dear."

Then she added: "You'll buy that bracelet for me, won't you dear? If you don't buy it for our tenth year of married life, you know, I shall be ill and so bad. I shall think that you no longer love me. Indeed, I think now that you don't care for me very much since you show so little eagerness to give me pleasure."

One morning walking round her room in her dressing gown, Fancy said to him, with a serious expression on her face:

"And what if I contributed to the purchase of the bracelet; if I give you part of the money what would you say then?"

He opened his eyes with astonishment.

"Ah! I am wrong," she sighed. "I have saved all this money, sou by sou, in my housekeeping. I economized ten sous here and two francs there, and I meant that you should never know it. But I am too good natured, too foolish, too weak!"

"O, there it is!" cried Fancy. "Look at it! Is it not real beautiful? How it glitters! Let us go in! Only you are not going to buy it, you are not going to say anything, but just let me make the bargain."

She went into the shop. Mme. Doz asked to see the bracelet. She fastened it on her wrist, looked at it lovingly, felt the weight, caressed the polish and played with it so prettily that even the jeweler, a fat florid man, felt the charm of the little woman and favored her with his best amiable smile.

She expected to gain something by this little seduction, and she asked:

"How much is this bracelet, monsieur, eighty dollars?"

"One hundred and ten," he replied, in a low, insinuating tone.

"That's too dear."

"She looked at Hippolyte perplexed.

"It is—a little expensive—yes," murmured the husband, "but—if it gives you pleasure—why—"

His face wore the resigned, unhappy expression of a man who is thinking.

"Well, then," she said, decisively, "I will keep it. Pay up, old boy."

He took out his purse and looked at her.

"Ah, oui; it is true, you have not got enough," and she took slowly out of her pocket a little pocketbook and took thirty dollars from it.

"Eh, bien! are you satisfied?"

"Yes, my darling!" she cried, with emotion. "How good you are! I would embrace you if you were not in the street."

Five minutes later she stopped in front of a well-lighted window and examined the bracelet.

"Curious," she said. "I thought it was larger. Is it really the same one we looked at last night?"

"Certainly, my dear, it is."

At dinner she said: "Then you really do think it is beautiful?" she asked.

"Yes; and you?"

"I—oh, I am quite satisfied—quite—only I thought it was a little larger, that's all."

Then, with the fire of a new wish in her eyes, she added:

"For the next anniversary of our marriage, in another ten years, I want a ring of diamonds, with a pearl in the center—a large one like a pea.

"It is so amusing to wish for things."
—From the French of Paul Marguerite

How She Got Ahead of Them.

Mrs. Winsome—What makes Mrs. Jabsy keep her clock two hours fast?

Mrs. Winsomemore—So she'll know all the gossip of the town two hours before it happens.—Detroit Sun.

OVERHEARD IN SOCIETY.—"I hear De Graff is making a great success as a musician." "But he doesn't know anything about music." "No; that is why he succeeds."—Detroit Free Press.

All Quiet at Homestead.

Pittsburg, Jan. 7.—The excitement of last week at Homestead and Braddock has about disappeared and by morning the mills and furnaces will be working in full.

Serious Coasting Accident.

East Norwich, L. I., Jan. 7.—Six young men of this town were injured Saturday night while coasting, and one of them, Frank Simonson, is expected to die.

In Sympathy with the Strikers.

Marblehead, Mass., Jan. 7.—During the past few weeks, the striking lasters and locked-out men have been successful in keeping the factories practically idle. The sympathies of the people appear to be wholly with the strikers.

Filled Their Places with Americans.

New York, Jan. 7.—The American Line Steamship company has retired all the quartermasters of foreign birth on the steamship New York, and has filled their places with native Americans.

Judge Hoar's Condition.

Concord, Mass., Jan. 7.—Judge Hoar continues to hold his own. He was reported to be feeling quite bright last evening.

Local Weather Forecast.

Clearing; southerly winds.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The son of James T. Scott is seriously ill.

Mrs. Knight, milliner, is today removing to Connecticut.

Hiram Hornish of North avenue is critically ill at his home.

William M. Smith of Elmwood place is affected with a severe cold.

Miss Mary Clayton of Freehold is the guest of Mrs. B. B. Rogers.

David Bushmore of Grove street has returned to Cornell University.

Fred Taylor of East Fifth street returns to his studies at Cornell Wednesday.

Miss Mary B. Wells of Washington avenue has returned to Smith College.

Miss Grace Vail of Dunellen is stopping with her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Vail of Orchard place.

Joseph Moon of North Plainfield is detained from business on account of a heavy cold.

Miss Jennie Simpson of Craig place is stopping for a short time with friends in Washingtonville.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mosher of Elmwood place is suffering from bronchitis.

Miss Ethel Walth of Brooklyn has returned home after visiting her aunt, Mrs W. Tier of Bank place.

Mrs. A. D. Mallinson very pleasantly entertained her Sunday-school class at her home Friday evening.

Charles Ball, formerly of Plainfield, and an employe at Potter's Press Works, is visiting friends in town.

The great and only Sid Bowman was a distinguished caller on The Press today, the guest of Frank L. C. Martin.

L. B. Woolston of Grandview avenue is not confined to his home by illness, as reported by another paper Saturday.

Mrs. L. W. Randolph of West Second street is improving from a severe cold which has confined her to the house.

Arthur H. Serrell of Plainfield avenue returned today to Lehigh University, after spending his vacation at his home

Miss Shreve of Grove street and Miss Martha Tracy of West Ninth street have resumed their studies in Bryn Mawr College.

Dr. G. H. Clark of 434 East Second street is very seriously ill with a complication of diseases. Dr. Zeglio is in attendance.

Henry Rider returned today to Yale College; A. Huntington, H. McGee, Clarence Peck and H. Lovell, go back Wednesday.

Ralph Campbell of Netherwood avenue is recovering from a heavy cold which prompt treatment prevented from becoming serious.

Chas. Butts returned to this city yesterday after an absence of about one year and a-half. He has been visiting his former home in Toronto.

Rev. Hobart Clark of All Souls Church will exchange pulpits next Sunday with Rev. Dr. Eaton, of the Church of the Divine Paternity, New York.

The first of a series of Monday evening receptions to members of Dr. Rodman's parish will be held at his residence, 224 LaGrande avenue, this evening.

The marriage of Miss Maude Agnes Bowers to Frederick Banks is to take place in Grace Church Thursday, Jan. 24. The reception following will be in Hotel Albion.

Mrs. Jane Craver of Corning, N. Y., came to Plainfield this morning and will make her home in the future with her daughter, Mrs. T. B. VanNess of Third street and Central avenue. Although over 80 years of age Mrs. Craver is still hale and hearty.

A grand musical reception will be given Miss Lydia W. Dufford in honor of her return to New York from the Conservatory of Music of Boston, which a number of Plainfield friends will attend. Plainfield friends on East Front street will give her a reception at an early date. A good time is anticipated.

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

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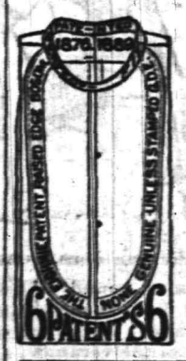

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THE AMERICAN WIZARD.

Edison Tells of the Possibilities of the Kinetoscope.

In no country in the world is a man of genius in any direction more honored or appreciated than in America. It could hardly be otherwise, since the people are not only intelligent and thoughtful, but personally interested in questions relating to public life and policy, and to those improvements which add a convenience to business or a comfort to a home.

What a change has come over the face of the earth since the telegraph gave us instant communication with all parts of the world! What would the man of business say if by some sudden catastrophe all the cable lines beneath the ocean should be destroyed and he were compelled to wait anywhere from fourteen to sixteen days while his letter is going to London and the answer is coming back? At the present moment he sends his cable message, lights a cigar, reads his morning paper, and by the time the last puff of smoke has disappeared he gets his answer.

And what a change in all the affairs of life the telephone has effected! To the business of the country it has been an addition too valuable to be computed. We did get on somehow without it, before we knew such a thing was possible, but we certainly could not get on without it now that we have become accustomed to the advantage it offers.

As to the kinetoscope and its possible combination with other instruments, Mr. Edison says:

In the year 1887 the idea occured to me that it was possible to devise an instrument which should do for the eye what the phonograph does for the ear, and by a combination of the two all motion and sound could be recorded and reproduced simultaneously. This idea, the germ of which came from the little toy called the zoetrope, and the work of Muybridge, Maree and others, has now been accomplished, so that every change of facial expression can be recorded and reproduced life size. The kinetoscope is only a small model, illustrating the present stage of progress, but with each succeeding month new possibilities are brought into view.

I believe that in coming years, by my own work and that of Dickson, Muybridge, Maree and others who will doubtless enter the field, grand opera can be given at the Metropolitan Opera House of New York without any material change from the original, and with artists and musicians long since dead."

That is at least very interesting. It is a dream worth dreaming, and we will have to be satisfied with the music of the spheres while our grandchildren will listen to the phantom artists and the phantom music of our day.

Is the time coming when steam will be supplanted by electricity, when we shall either take balloon trips from Atlantic to Pacific, or fasten on a pair of wings and spend the hot summer days astride a cloud, when the horse will have become as scarce as the buffaloes are, and when—but it tires the imagination. We shall simply have a new heavens and a new earth, and such men as Edison will have the credit of inaugurating the era of magic.

DEATH THAT IS NOT REAL.

The Liability of Physicians to Err Concerning It.

"Except where a surgical operation is performed, the only absolute sign of death is the decomposition of the body," said a physician during a conversation on the proposed method of reviving criminals who have suffered in the electric chair.

"I have had cases of apparent death in my practice. An urgent message from the physician in charge called me one night to a young ladies' seminary in New York city. As I ascended the stairs to the patient's room I was met by the housekeeper, who, between her sobs, could only say:

"'It is too late, doctor; she is dead.'

"I went up to the room, nevertheless. There upon the bed lay a young girl of about 18. Her face bore the mask of death.

"'I am sorry to have troubled you at this hour,' the doctor said. 'The heart stopped beating about five minutes ago.'

"I bent over and listened at the chest; no respiration, no beating of the heart was to be heard. While I listened some one said:

"'I always thought she would go off in one of those attacks.'

"These words were a revelation to me, and I hastily threw off my coat and began artificial respiration. Little by little there was a change of expression in the face; the features relaxed, the eyes appeared less sunken, the face became flushed, the eyelids moved, and after a full hour of constant work the life of youth returned. The girl had had an attack of grave hysteria. She is now married and the mother of three handsome children.

"Do I think that people are often buried alive? Yes, I do; perhaps oftener than we imagine. Life may exist without being evident; but non-evidence of life is not proof of death. If ever we are able to discover the moment when death substitutes itself certainly for life, we shall have solved a problem which has occupied the philosophers of all times and all countries.

"One of my professional friends tells me of a providential escape from premature burial which occurred in his practice:

"'I attended a little girl of three,' he says, 'up to the time when in my own judgment and that of the parents and all present the child was dead. Being assured of this, I went home; but two hours later, in the evening, I returned to the house, being concerned about the mother, to whom the death of the child had been a great blow. The father was busy writing, informing friends of their loss. On leaving the room where the parents were, I passed in front of the little one's bed. My look fell for an instant upon the little face, when I thought that I noticed an almost imperceptible movement of the sheet that covered the body.

"'The cheeks were hard and cold, the conjunctiva insensible, the pupils completely insensible to light. I should not have dared affirm that the slight movement which I had seen came from the body, and yet I believed that my little patient was not dead. I have never been able to explain how that phenomenon was produced; I do not attempt to explain it, but the one thing certain is that the child was considered dead, that she was enshrined for the tomb, and that she is to-day in very good health.'"

Young Lady (tailor made)—Take my seat please.

Old Lady (near sighted, but grateful)—Thank you, sir. You are the only gentleman in the car.—Tit Bits.

FAITH CURES IN AUSTRALIA.

Two Patients Near Death Who Were Saved by Water and Imagination.

Some interesting experiments have recently been made with the faith cure in Australia. Dr. W. J. Barkas, a physician of Sydney, who, while no an enthusiastic believer in faith cure, has some confidence in it, describes a couple of cures which he effected recently by merely playing on the imagination of his patients.

A well-to-do woman about 60 years of age had been suffering for years from a dozen or more imaginary ailments. She thought that every organ in her body was affected. She was continually complaining of a burning sensation in her body. She could not sleep, and she was able to take but little nourishment. The result of such a series of nervous troubles was that she worried herself into a critical condition, and when Dr. Barkas was called in she was in danger of death. At Dr. Barkas's suggestion massage was tried, but it did no good, and as a last resort the physician decided to use the faith cure. With great solemnity he informed his patient that death was imminent, and that she must prepare herself to meet it. Every remedy but one had been tried unsuccessfully, he said, and he regretted to use that one on account of the great danger attending it. It would kill or cure her, he said. The patient in great excitement demanded that the remedy be tried. The doctor explained that the drug he would have to use was tasteless and colorless, and looked very much like water. It must be administered by an experienced person at certain times in the day, and if taken one second before or after the stated time might cause death. The woman was all the more eager to try the remedy after this, and Dr. Barkas left her, and later in the day came in with a huge bottle of pure distilled water. At regular intervals doses of water were given to the woman, and as the days went by she began to get better. Her appetite came back, a flush appeared in the cheeks which had been pale for years, the inability to sleep disappeared, and in three weeks the woman, who had been at the point of death, had entirely recovered.

The other experiment was with a woman who was in an extreme state of emaciation from incessant vomiting. When Dr. Barkas was called in her condition was so critical that other remedies having failed, he resolved to try the faith cure. He began by telling the woman of a wonderful remedy he had for just such cases. He thus won the woman's confidence, and began the cure by making her sleep by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. The first time she slept for eight hours, which was more than she had slept on a stretch for nearly a year. The second dose he gave the woman consisted of about one-quarter the quantity of morphine used in the first injection. This time the patient slept twelve hours, and did not vomit for several hours after she woke up. The third injection consisted of water alone, and had as much effect as either of the other two. After this nothing but water was used. Gradually the vomiting grew less frequent, the patient grew stronger, and was able to take food, and in two weeks she was riding horseback, and taking all sorts of exercise. Now she is in better health than she ever was.

LOVE'S DISAPPOINTMENT.

Wedded on Thanksgiving Eve at the Age of 88, He Now Seeks Divorce.

A romantic Indiana marriage that took place here Thanksgiving eve bids fair to culminate in the wreck of the matrimonial bark. The principals to the wedding were Charles Moore, a Monroe county farmer, aged 88 years, and Mrs. Amanda Pierce of Kokomo aged 64. They have not lived together since the ceremony, and the groom has applied for a divorce.

The couple in early childhood, were lovers, high spirited, strong willed, and stubborn, a characteristic that remains with them yet to a remarkable degree. A lover's quarrel and separation by removal threw their lives in different paths. Both married other companions, reared large families, and accumulated a goodly share of this world's goods in the half century that has since passed. A few years ago, their consorts were removed by death. Later the lovers of fifty years ago met again. The old flame was rekindled and it culminated in a wedding, the ceremony being at the home of the bride Thanksgiving day.

The nuptials over, the venerable groom returned to his 1,200 acre farm, near Bloomington, and the bride began packing her goods to follow. Then she changed her mind. She concluded that it was not the proper thing for her to leave her children and grandchildren so far away and informed the groom that he must come to Kokomo and live with her. This turn of affairs did not suit Mr Moore. He had the household all prepared for its new mistress, and contented that he could not afford to comply with her request; that his business interests would suffer thereby, and finally informed her that if she wanted to live with him she must come to his home. The bride refused to comply, and the piqued groom brought matters to a focus by filing an application for divorce in the Monroe county courts.

He Was.

A dudish looking youth was walking down the Bowery, looking in at the shop windows. A Bowery sport, intent on having fun with him, tapped him on the shoulder and said:

"Say, young feller, are yer wid me or ag'in me?"

"I'm wid you and ag'in you and onto you," replied the dudish looking youth, and when they picked up the Bowery sport and carried him away he looked as if he had mistaken a cable car for an all-night owl lunch wagon.

Mr. Goodman—My poor man, you seem despondent. You are out of employment, no doubt. But cheer up, the time will soon come when you will find yourself working, and——

Weary Weeks (interrupting)—Dat is wot worries me, boss. I struck as many as er dozen people ter day widout gettin' a cent, an' if business don't pick up I'll hev ter go to work. I can't see no way out of it."—Brooklyn Life.

Taken by Surprise.

Cousin Jane—Did you stay up late Christmas eve?"

Jack—Yes; brother Bobby and I lay awake, and about 11 o'clock we heard the door open, and in came Santa Claus; up jumped Bobby and I, and grabbed him. Who do you think it was?

Cousin Jane—Santa Claus, of course.

Jack—No, it was papa.—Chicago Record.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE

—The Board of Education meet tonight.

—The Park Club alleys are being inlaid with walnut spots to set the pins on.

—Joseph Kitchen, contractor, has purchased a horse and wagon for his business.

—F. L. C. Martin expects to have the '95 Columbia on sale soon. He says it's a beauty.

—The Camera Club meet tomorrow evening, at which time the election of officers will take place.

—The Common Council of '95 meet tonight for organization and the reception of the Mayor's message.

—G. L. VanEmburgh very acceptably conducted the service at the East Third Street Mission last evening.

—The Christian Endeavor society of the East Third Street Mission will hold a business meeting Thursday evening at 7:15.

—It was found necessary last evening to use the sweeper on the street railway on account of the ice, which made travel very slow.

—G. B. Musgrave of West Front street has moved temporarily to one of Manning's new stores while his place is being improved.

—A meeting of the Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in the lecture room of the church.

—Alert Hose Company's beautiful silver carriage was taken from Terrill & Cole's, Saturday evening, and stored in Pliny Fisk's barn on West Sixth street.

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Congregational Church packed a barrel Saturday afternoon for the needy people of Nebraska and Kansas.

—The first meeting of the William Phillips Tilden Guild of All Souls Church, which was announced for last evening, was postponed one week, owing to the inclemency of the weather,

—Walsh's Hall in the West End is to be transformed into a dwelling-house. Work will be commenced soon, and it is hoped that it will be completed by Spring. Baker & Young will do the work.

—Past-Commander James Atwood of Trenton will install the officers of Post 73, tomorrow evening, at which time the officers of the Women's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans also will be installed.

—A large limb of a tree on Somerset street, opposite the Thorn block, fell on the guard wire over the trolley wire yesterday. It did no damage, as the top wire held it firmly till it was removed.

—A substantial storm door has been placed at the East Third Street Mission, and other improvements are in contemplation. Arrangements are making to have the reading room open at an early date.

—The regular annual meeting of the Plainfield Board of Underwriters will be held this evening at 8, in the office of J. C. Pope & Co., at which time the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

—At a special meeting of Somerset Council, J. O. U. A. M., Saturday evening, Mr. Templin was elected a trustee, and Franklin Howell Assistant Recording Secretary. The officers will be installed tomorrow evening by District Deputy Charles I. Young.

—The constant running of water across the sidewalks in front of large buildings on Park avenue and Front street proves that the drainage from the roofs is inadequate, and at this season of the year it is especially bad, for the water freezes on the sidewalk, making walking dangerous.

—The Musical Guest is given away to all callers on Frederick Durand in the Babcock Building, where Mr. Durand exhibits the famous Hallett & Davis pianos, already a favorite in many Plainfield households. These pianos he sells for cash or instalments at prices as low as those charged for inferior instruments.

—An annual donation gathering takes place Wednesday evening at the residence of I. J. Coon, South Sterling. Music will be furnished by the Y. M. C. A. quartette of this city, and others. Should the weather prove stormy, the donation will take place the first following fair evening. A good supper will be provided by the women. Plainfielders with pleasant memories of the harvest home there will attend.

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HAWAIIAN DISCUSSION

Likely To Occupy the Senate's Attention To-Day.

Provided Mr. Lodge Is Able to Carry Out His Programme—Urgency Deficiency Bill May Possibly Consume the Balance of the Week—Currency Bill in the House.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The present week in the senate will probably be remarkable more for that which it will fail to accomplish than for anything that may be done. The most significant feature will be the precipitation of the debate that will grow out of the proposition in the urgency deficiency bill for the collection of the income tax. This will not come up, however, until well toward the latter part of the week.

There will be a continuance of the incidental Hawaiian discussion growing out of the resolution of Mr. Lodge, requesting the president to inform the senate why this government has withdrawn our ships from Hawaiian waters, provided Mr. Lodge and those acting in concert with him are able to carry out their programme.

It is rather expected in administration circles that a batch of Hawaiian correspondence, now awaiting transmission to congress, will negative some of the points made in the debate as to the attitude of Great Britain.

On the third of this month Mr. Peffer gave notice that he would to-day, after the routine business, call up for consideration senate bill granting a service pension to soldiers and sailors of the war of the rebellion, and this may, to a small extent, antagonize Mr. Lodge's resolution. There is a well grounded belief, however, that Mr. Lodge will succeed in continuing the debate which he on Friday characterized as a "stunning success."

The Nicaragua canal bill, which seems to be doomed to interminable debate, still remains on the calendar as the unfinished business, and Mr. Mitchell of Oregon has the floor to address the senate on the subject.

But little business will be transacted to-morrow for immediately after the morning hour the senate will listen to speeches on the memory of the late Senator Colquitt of Georgia.

The urgency deficiency bill will probably be reported on Wednesday, and once up for consideration a debate will commence that will continue through the greater part of the week.

The debate that will begin the moment Mr. Cockrell calls up the deficiency bill will be interesting and lively.

Mr. Hill will doubtless figure to a great extent in the matter and he will have some enthusiastic followers on the other side of the chamber.

In this matter Mr. Quay, of Pennsylvania, seems to be playing the part of a free lance, as is evidenced by the amendment to the deficiency bill of which he gave notice the other day.

Mr. Quay's amendment strikes out all reference to the income tax wherever it appears in the deficiency appropriation bill and substitutes a new wool schedule. As a vehicle for debate in the hands of a man like Mr. Quay this amendment opens up a field for discussion that is practically inexhaustible.

The determination of the programme of business in the house this week will depend on the outcome of the democratic caucus held to-day. The conditions under which the currency bill shall be further considered, and whether, indeed, it shall be considered at all, are matters that cannot be foretold.

It is the impression among democratic members that the bill will ultimately be passed, but the outlook is foggy. It is the opinion of a member of the committee on rules, expressed on Saturday, that general debate on the bill will close with the end of to-day's session, prior to the holding of the caucus.

In case the caucus should do what is unexpected and decide against the passage of the bill, the time of the house can be engaged with the consideration of appropriation bills.

Kilrain Likely to Enter the Ring.

Baltimore, Jan. 7.—Jake Kilrain, after an absence of three and a half years from the ring, is likely to try conclusions with Joe McAuliffe, the California heavyweight. Kilrain has received a challenge for a twenty round fight, the conditions being that unless McAuliffe finished Kilrain in the twenty rounds the latter is to take the purse.

Snow Slide Engulfs a Train.

Renova, Pa., Jan. 7.—Snow slides from the Allegheny mountains engulfed a Philadelphia & Erie railroad train between Ritchie and Hyner, a few miles east of here. The train was released only after a crew of seven hundred men had tunnelled through the snow for a distance of nearly five miles.

Will Assist in Fighting Debs' Case.

Brockton, Mass., Jan. 7.—The Central Labor union has voted financial assistance to the American Railway union to be used in fighting the Eugene Debs case on an appeal and voted to instruct Congressman Morse to use his best efforts to have passed the bill in favor of American seamen.

Moynahan in Superb Condition.

Buffalo, Jan. 7.—Frank Moynahan of Jamestown who will meet Jim Daly in a 15-round glove contest at Jamestown January 15, is in superb condition. His friends have agreed to put him against Jim Hall at Philadelphia for 10 rounds if he finishes first with Daly.

Shot and Killed Her Husband.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Stella Flint shot her husband through the head, killing him instantly, and then sent two bullets into the arm and shoulder of her mother-in-law. It is thought the woman was insane.

President Carnot's Son Elected.

Paris, Jan. 7.—Ernest Carnot, son of the late President Carnot, has been elected to the chamber to represent the Cote d'Or constituency for which Pierre Gueneau formerly sat. He was not opposed.

THE DEADLY CURRENT AGAIN.

Horrible Death of a Silk Weaver in Camden, N. J.

Camden, N. J., Jan. 7.—For half an hour last evening a helpless and horrified crowd stood on Tenth street below Carpenter and watched the full force of an electric light current passed through the dead body of a man who had been killed by stepping upon a live wire. While Harry Schaeffer, a young silk weaver, was walking along Tenth street he stepped upon a broken electric light wire that was trailing on the pavement. As the shock of the current passed through him Schaeffer threw up his hands and fell to the pavement crying out: "My God, won't some one lift me up."

In falling Schaeffer was thrown upon a mass of broken telephone wires that had been left lying in the street since the recent storm, and his feet remaining across the live wire, his body completed the circuit and the current constantly passed through him into the heap of wire. A crowd speedily gathered, but no one dared go to the man's assistance.

As the current passed through the body it distorted the features into horrible grimaces and the terror-stricken spectators were uncertain whether the man was alive or dead. After an hours delay the current was finally turned off and the body was picked up.

The first shock undoubtedly killed the man and he felt no pain after he fell to the pavement. The soles of his shoes were burned through and his face where it had rested against the wires was burned to the bone.

M'GLYNN IN THE FOLD.

Now Pastor of St. Mary's Church at Newburgh, N. Y.

Newburgh, N. Y., Jan. 7.—The Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn conducted his first Sunday service as rector of St. Mary's church, in this city yesterday. Father O'Keefe, of Highland Falls, officiated at the masses at 6:30 and 8 o'clock, and Father McEvoy, of Fishkill, officiated at the mass at 9:30.

Dr. McGlynn addressed his new parishoners briefly at each mass. He sang the solemn high mass at 11 o'clock and afterward preached an able sermon on the feast of the Epiphany.

Last night Dr. McGlynn preached an eloquent and forceful sermon on "The Christian Priest." The services were all attended by very large congregations.

HELP FOR ST. JOHNS, N. F.

$150,000 in Specie Received Saturday and $100,000 Due To-Day.

St. Johns, N. F., Jan. 7.—The steamer Silvia, from Halifax just arrived, brought $150,000 in specie. She also had on board the officials of the Bank of Montreal, who will open a branch of that bank in this city to-day.

The specie will be used in the payment of the salaries of the government officials, and will help in a great measure to stimulate trade through the circulation of the money.

The steamer Corean, from Liverpool, which is due here, has on board another $100,000, $50,000 of which is for a savings bank in this city and the remainder is consigned to business houses.

FOUR MEN DROWNED.

Schooner Parker Sinks the Boston Pilot Boat No. 3.

Boston, Jan. 7.—The Gloucester fishing schooner Horace B. Parker, Capt. W. H. Thomas, just arrived, reported having been in collision with the Boston pilot boat D. J. Lawler, No. 3, Capt. William Abbott. The collision resulted in the sinking of the pilot boat and the loss therefrom of four of her boat-keepers, Steward Rudolph Harrison, the only survivor, being brought here by the Parker.

All the pilots had been put on ocean steamers bound to this port, previous to the disaster, and have since arrived here safely. The drowned men were all foreigners.

Asks for a Receiver.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 7.—A petition has been filed here for the appointment of a receiver for the Northwestern Cordage works, by Samuel M. Allison, until recently manager of the concern. He alleges that the company is insolvent, but the officers claim to the contrary. The trouble seems to be a difference of opinion among the stockholders.

Arrested for Wholesale Poisoning.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Michael Worman, of Forest City, a borough just over the Susquehanna county line, has been arrested and committed to jail charged with attempting to poison her husband, his father and mother, and a boarder, by putting paris green in their food. She has confessed.

Was Only a Bait.

Paris, Jan. 7.—The Matin prints a report that Dreyfus said to one of his guards just before his degradation: "I did hand over documents to Germany, but they were only a bait. If I had been able to keep it up I should have got eventually documents of capital importance from the Germans.

Two Skaters Missing.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 7.—Joseph Hill, son of James Hill, a commission merchant, aged 15 years, and Edith Pettebone, aged 14 years were seen on the Susquehanna river at a late hour Saturday night skating. They are missing, and it is believed both are drowned.

General Post Dead.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Representative Philip Sidney Post, of the Tenth Illinois district, is dead in his apartments at Hotel Hamilton in this city after a short illness. The immediate cause of his death was heart failure, brought on by an acute attack of gastritis.

After Sugar Bounty.

New Orleans, Jan. 7.—Gov. Foster leaves here Thursday night for Washington, to appear before the house committee on appropriations to urge the bounty report of the sugar crop of 1894 be paid.

Italy Recalls an Ambassador.

Rome, Jan. 7.—Signor Ressman, Italian ambassador to France, has been recalled. Count Gallina, first secretary of the embassy, will act as charge d'affaires.

Mrs. Astor's Body Arrives.

New York, Jan. 7.—The steamer Aurania from Liverpoll, bearing the body of Mrs. William Waldorf Astor, arrived here this morning.

JAPAN IS AFTER PEKIN

Peace Terms To Be Withheld Until She Has That City.

Landing Parties Busy Exploring the Bays on the Coast of Shantung—Advices from Tokio by Steamer China—Emperor Kwang Su Ready To Flee at a Moment's Notice.

London, Jan. 7.—A dispatch from Pekin says that the Chinese envoy to negotiate for peace with Japan had a farewell audience with the emperor on Friday. Japan refuses to grant an armistice. Mr. Denby, the American minister, believes that the negotiations will be fruitless.

The Japanese will withhold their terms for peace until they shall have occupied Pekin. Japanese landing parties are busy exploring the bays on the east coats of the province of Shantung.

Tokio, Dec. 21, via San Francisco, Jan. 7.—There seems to be little doubt that Emperor Kwang Su has conferred on Gen. Von Hanneken, a commission such as no foreigner ever before held in the middle kingdom. Hanneken is said to have been placed in such a position that he has direct access to the throne. He is empowered to raise and equip an army competent to defend the empire and to fill its upper ranks with European officers. The rumor alleges that he is engaged in procuring several hundreds of his compatriots from Germany and that German arsenals will be found willing to supply all necessary war material on credit, trusting to be recouped when peace is restored.

Viceroy Li recently submitted to the throne a most imposing statement of the military bulwarks surrounding the throne. It appears that his majesty, Kwang Su, rendered solicitous for the safety of his capitol by constantly arriving reports of Japanese victories asked the great earl what measures had been adopted to check the final advance of the foe. Earl Li's report shows that half a million of men are under arms to protect the capitol. Nevertheless Kwang Su has packed up his trunks and is ready to fly at a moments notice.

What is known as the strong foreign policy party in Japan command a majority of the votes in the lower house of the diet, and are the government's opponents. These men stand in the way to a moderate settlement of the quarrel between their country and China and it is scarcely possible that any terms of peace acceptable to China will satisfy these politicians. But the government will not be guided by them. It will make such a compromise as shall vindicate Japan's moderation without sacrificing her titles.

On the 16th of November, Major General Oseko, who had been ordered to move from Taku Shan to the assault of Sui Yen, reached the latter place at the head of two battalions. Co-operating with him was another column that had marched from Feng Hwan to take the enemy in the rear, and so accurately timed were the movements of the two forces that the enemy finding itself assailed from two sides, retreated without offering any effective resistance, but in good order, in the direction of Hai Cheng. The Japanese on their side, having placed a garrison in Sui Yen, withdrew their battalions to Taku Shan and Feng Hwan, their intention being to postpone any further advance westward until the successful operations of the second army against Talien and Port Arthur should set it free to march north and co-operate with the first army. That involved a delay of about two weeks. In the beginning of December the westward movement was resumed. It had been ascertained that Tomucheng, a town 18 miles southeast of Hai Cheng, was occupied by the enemy in considerable strength. Tomucheng lies at the junction of two roads, one coming from Feng Hwan (70 miles distant). The main body of the Japanese division moved by the latter road and two battalions under Major General Oseko striking northward from Sui Yen, marched by the Feng Hwan road. On December 11, the enemy's most advanced post (Tao Hotsz) on the Sui Yen road was reached. Its force, consisting of three thousand infantry and four hundred cavalry, with eight guns, was driven back after a brief resistance. Next day another body of 4,500 strong with six guns, was dislodged from its position (Po-Tsao-Ho-Den), three or four miles further on, and Japanese following up their advantage, took possession of Tomucheng on the same afternoon. Meanwhile, Major General Oseko, on the other road, had defeated a force stationed 13 miles from Tomucheng at Panchia-Paotsz, and the two wings entered Tomucheng almost simultaneously, having had only seven men wounded in the two days operations, against 104 killed and wounded on the enemy's side. Thence they advanced together on the following day and at 11 a. m., Hai Cheng was in their possession. Its garrison was found to consist of only 1,500 men, who, after a show of resistance retired in the direction of Lao Yang. There were no casualties on the Japanese side in the capture of Hai Cheng and the enemy's loss is not yet ascertained.

The occupation of Hai Cheng is of considerable strategical importance. It places the Japanese on the high road from New Hwang to Moukden. It falls within the range of possibilities that Moukden may be captured within the next three weeks.

Fourteen Horses Burned.

Baltimore, Jan. 7.—The explosion of an oil tank in a warehouse of the Standard Oil company at Canton last night caused a loss by fire of $400,000. The flames spread so rapidly that fourteen horses that were tied in their stalls in a nearby stable were burned before they could be released.

Warship Dale Sunk.

Baltimore, Jan. 7.—The historic old warship Dale, which arrived here Saturday from the Washington navy yard, sank at her wharf in Spring Gardens, at the foot of Charles street.

Queen Louise Reported Ill.

London, Jan. 7.—The Central News hears from Copenhagen that Queen Louise is seriously ill.

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8.34 p.m—SOUTHWESTERN EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping car, daily, to Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, and Memphis. Dining car Altoona to Richmond.

8 43 p. m.—PACIFIC EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, daily, for Pittsburg, Columbus, Chicago, and Toledo, daily, except Saturday for Cleveland.

For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 01 9.05, 9.36 a. m., 9.39 p. m.

Sundays, 1, 9 05, 9 36 a. m., 9 41 p m.

For Baltimore only 1 57 p. m., week-days.

For Newark and New York—3 03, 5 34, 6 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 07 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 22, 8 37, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 4 10 20, 10 28, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 18, 1 50, 224, 2 40, 3 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 44, 5 1 5 20, 5 46, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 26 7 58, 9 17, 9 10, 9 50, 10 08, 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 34, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 38, 1 46, 2 20, 3 45, 5 45, 6 45, 8 34, 5 46, 7 05, 7 12, 7 26, 7 58, 8 30 9 18, 10 18, and 11 46 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 5 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43, A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 3 32, 5 10, 6 26 7 46, 9 42, 9 30 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 5 57, 9 05, 9 26, 10 43 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Rahway—1,1 43 daily ex. Monday, 4 08, 6 44, 7 10, 7 30, 8 54, 9 46, 9 50, 10 50, 11 43, a. m., 12 46, 1 18, 1 37, 2 43 3 20, 3 39, 3 59, 4 26, 4 52, 5 20, 5 40, 6 0 6 12, 6 17, 6 37, 6 45, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 46, 8 14, 8 54, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1,1 43, 8 05, 9 43, 9 50, 10 28 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 2 47, 3 52, 4 50, 5 20, 5 40, 7 21, 7 37, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

For New Brunswick—1 00, 5 57, 7 19, 7 30, 9 05 9 26, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 05, 1 37, 3 43, 3 59, 4 39, 5 05, 5 40, 6 05, 6 45, 7 46, 9 37 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 5 50, 9 05 9 26 9 49, 10 43 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 52, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 52, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 36, 9 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 20 a. m., 12 55, 2 43 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 5 57, 7 19, 7 30, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 3 43, 5 05, 6 26, 7 46, 9 42, 9 30 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 5 57, 9 05 9 26 10 43 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 30 A. M., 2 43 and 6 36 p. m., and 5 40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 30 A. M.; 2 43 P. M.

For Freehold—7 30, 11 43 a. m., 4 52, 6 05 p.m., via Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via Monmouth Junction—7 30 and 11 43 a. m., 4 52 and 6 05 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 19 5 46 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

For Sea Side Park, Island Heights and Toms River—12 46, p m.

For Boston—6 46 p. m., daily.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 8 30, 9 00, 9 12, 9 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4 50, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 10, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 33, 6 30, 6 33, 7 30, 8 00, 8, 8 18, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, A. M., 12 06, 1 15, 2 07, 3 30, 3 33, 4 54, 5 04, 7 09, 8 20, 10 17 11 32 P. M. Sunday—8 03, 8 32, 10 06, 11 32, A. M., 12 06, 1 45, 3 30, 5 30, 7 11, 8 28, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 50, 9 05, 10 05 11 20 A.M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 5 00, 5 40, 6 04, 6 54, 8 50, 9 20, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 05, 9 25, 11 05 A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 6 15, 6 50, 7 30, 9 35, 10 20 P. M. Passengers for Newark change cars at Bound Brook.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 20, 8 15, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 05, 3 22, 5 45, 6 26, 8 05, 8 15, 8 54, 8 56, 9 55, 11 20 night Sunday—5 45, 9 20, A.M., 3 08, 5 20, 6 14, 6 26, 10 15, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 5, 6 20, 7 00, 7 55, 7 58, 7 45, 8 50, 9 08, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 3 08, 4 25, 4 28, 5 28, 6 26, 8 05, 8 (7, 8 46, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 20, 9 48, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 9 00, 10 00, M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 26, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 3 08, 5 14, 7 20, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M., 3 08, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 05, 8 55, A.M., 12 25, 4 05, 7 p. m. Sundays—7 15, 10 05, A. M., 5 45, 7 05, P. M.

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WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Boston, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 56 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 P. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

9 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton.

5 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 58 p.m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 57 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 57, 9, 10 27, a. m., 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 9 03, a. m., 3 50 p. m.)

For Perth Amboy, 8 57, 9 00, 9 10 27 a. m., 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—9 03 a. m., 3 50 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 57, 9, 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 12 p. m.

For Boynton Beach 8 00 10 27 a m 1 18, 3 12 p m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, 8 46, 10 46, a. m., 2 00, 5 10 8 51, 9 57 p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—5 45, 9 4 m., 2 00, 5 10, 6 46 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 5 45, 8 46, 9 46, 10 46, a. m., 12 2 00, 5 10, 8 26, 9 57 p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 00, 5 10 6 46 p. m., 1 12 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 46, a. m. 2 00, 5 10 6 46 p. m. 1 12, night. Sundays—9 46 a. m., 2 00, 5 10 6 46 p.m. 1 12, night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 25, 7 50, 9 21, 11 10, 1 00, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 25, 12 10 p m, 8 20, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 3 05, 10 25, a.m., 12 15, 3 10, 4 20, 6 24, 7 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 6 55, 9 05, 10 27 a. m., 1 10, 4 20 6 03 p. m.

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Senate Lodge, 3543, Knights of Honor. The regular meetings of this Lodge are held the First and Third Thursday evenings of each month in Stillman Building, No. 213 West Second street, at 8 p. m.

R. G. Pease, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter.

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 2094, Ancient Order of Foresters of America, meets in K. of P. Hall, No. 108 West 2d st., first and third Tuesday evenings in each month.

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Samuel H. Lunger, Fin. Sec. 9 25

Amber Lodge, No. 148, F. & A. M. Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front street.

C. C. Howard, W. M.
T. A. Rogers, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street.

Chas. Yeager, Secretary.
Dr. D. C. Adams, W. M.

Plainfield Council, No. 712, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Prompt Firemen's Steward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.

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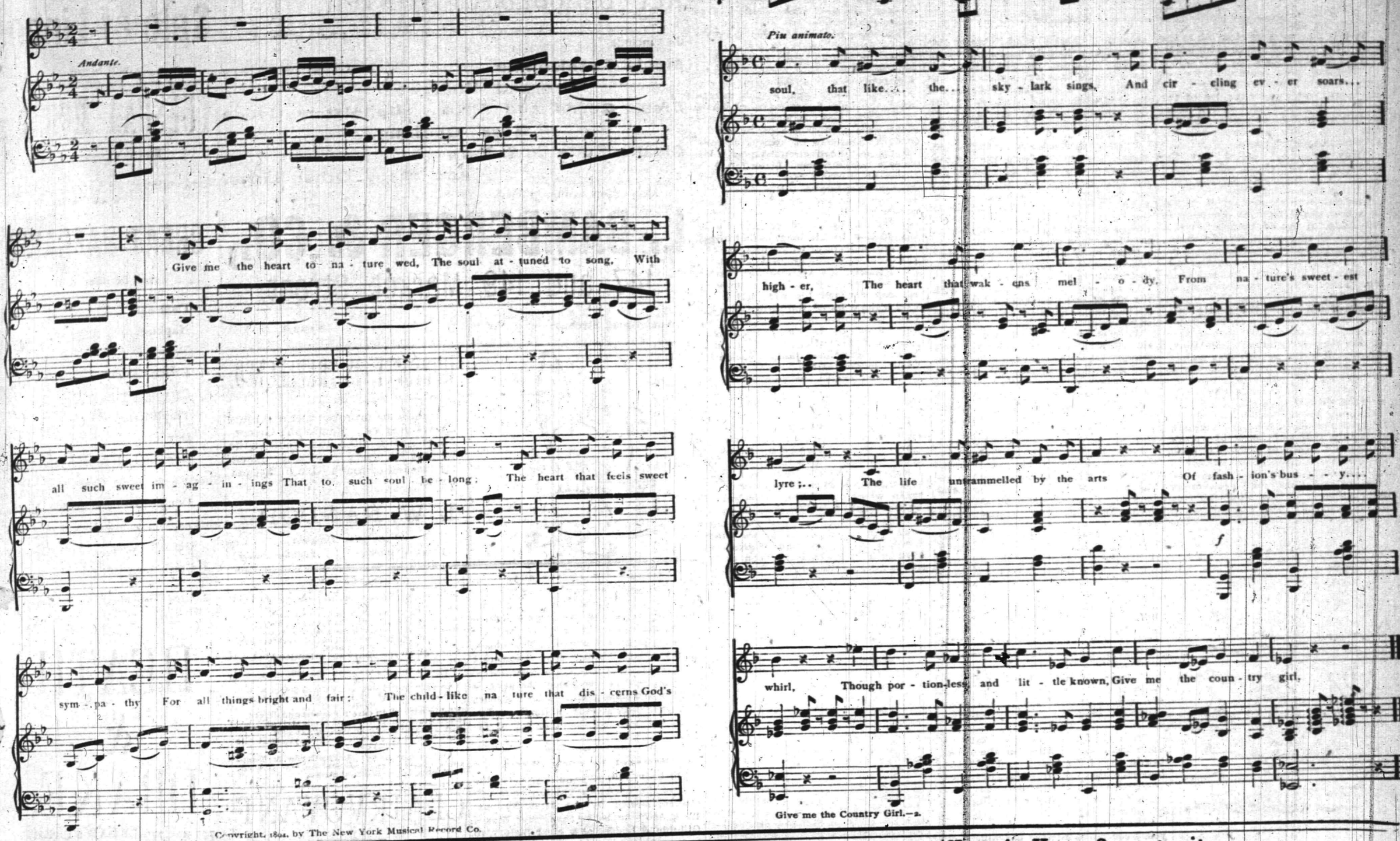

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½ pound pepper	.20
1 package corn starch	.08
1 sack salt	.05
1 pound raisins	.10
" currants	.10
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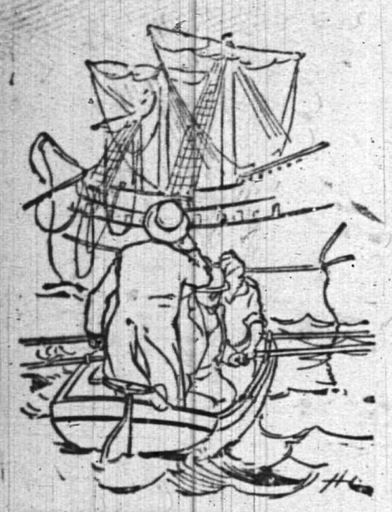
By this time we were close on to the reef. The ship had struck at high tide, and lay with one-half her hull across it. Nothing more convenient for our purpose could have been arranged. We lay in still water under the lea of the reef, the top of which was now bare; and all we had to do was to clamber out on it, get a line from over the ship's side, and go aboard.

"Way enough!" called out the colonel; "stern all! Look out, forward there! Now, then, we'll have a word with this chap. Ship ahoy!"

The hail was stentorian; it might have been heard back at our point of embarkation; but it produced not a whisper of response from the vessel. The situation did not strike me as being entirely agreeable. It was picturesque and impressive, but not inviting. There were the loneliness of the the quiet, moonlit sea, the limpid beauty of the night, the gentle sucking sound of the waves as they lifted and subsided about the reef, and the shadow-like mountains piling themselves aloft to the north—they seemed very far away just then! Close beside us, overhanging our heads, were the black sides of the unaccountable ship, a sort of grotesque marine catafalque, containing no one could tell what; so lately full of life and bustle, and now as deadly still as a veritable tomb. What did it mean, or portend? What in the name of mystery had become of its late occupants? They could not have got away; they had been under observation from the time the ship first hove in sight; and yet they could not be on board, unless . . . The



"SHIP AHOY!"

alternative was the thing that I have described as uninviting. If that swarm of men were on board, lurking in such breathless silence within a few feet of where we were sitting, there was difficulty in persuading one's self that their conduct boded us any good. On the other hand, of course, it was scarcely less difficult to imagine what benefit they could expect from doing us any harm. Here they were, hard and fast on the reef, at the mercy not only of a change in the weather, but of the inhabitants of the island. They must be aware that our visit could be intended only in their interest. All the same, I do not mind saying that my most urgent longing at that moment did not take the form of a craving to clamber up the ship's side and find out what was going on there.

As for the colonel, it is the business of warriors not to know what fear is; and in his case there was the added consideration that he felt—whether reasonably or not matters little—that her Britannic majesty was being slighted in his person. At all events, I am able to affirm that, to all appearances, the only effect upon my friend of this ghastly unresponsiveness on the part of the ship's company was to develop in him a wrath, the fiery quality of which was but feebly symbolized by the glow of the cigar which was gripped between his teeth. He repeated his hail twice; and then, turning to me, with the deadly calm of one who has passed beyond the point where demonstrations of any sort can adequately express his emotions, he said, in the softest tones I had ever heard him use: "I think I'll just step aboard and make a few inquiries. Will you remain here, or—"

If I had been an Englishman, or even a negro, I think I might have been prevailed upon to let that gallant gentleman have all the fun to himself; but, as I had the honor of the Stars and Stripes in my keeping, at least as much as he had that of the lion and the unicorn in his, I at once replied, in a loud and cheerful tone: "Remain here? Well, not if I know myself! I came out here to see these fellows, and you can bet your life, Col. Enderby, I am not going ashore again without having done it!"

"Ah! then have the kindness to follow me," said he, in the same unnaturally silky voice. He stepped out on the surface of the reef, and I followed him. It was only a few inches above the water, and was both rough and slippery. We trod on limpets and sea-urchins, and slimy strips of seaweed twined themselves about our ankles. Something that looked to me like the fin of a gigantic shark moved to and fro in the water a few yards off.

"Charles," said the colonel, "hand me out that lantern." Charles did so. "Charles," continued his master, "you will remain here until my return. You are not to come on board unless I summon you. (I thought it highly probable that Charles would observe this injunction.) Keep the boat about where she is—(Suppose, thought I, these fellows should take it into their heads to scuttle off as soon as our backs are turned: what then?)—and let no one presume to leave his place, or indulge in any laughter or horse-play during my absence."

Charles undertook to restrain any undue hilarity. Indeed, the countenances and bearing of the men did not seem to me to betray any strong desire to break forth in careless mirth, to troll jovial tavern catches or to leap out on the reef and indulge in a breakdown; but the light was dim, and I may have been mistaken.

"And now, I believe we are ready," added the colonel, with a courteous inclination in my direction.

"I am certainly," returned I, with the air of one who has too long been chafing under inaction; and we turned to the ship.

As luck would have it, the cordage appertaining to the topmast, which was snapped off at the time the ship struck, was dangling over the side not far from where we stood; and a fragment of rat-line served us in place of a rope ladder. The colonel, in spite of my efforts, politely but firmly insisted on preceding me, and ascended with remarkable agility for a man of his years.

I felt that the eyes of the boatmen and of Charles were upon me. I sprang lightly after him, my head nearly coming in contact with his boot-soles, and in a moment we stood together on the deck. Yes, there we stood; and still alive!

We glanced forward and aft. Nothing resembling a human figure was in sight. In the shadow of the high bulwarks, however, and along the sides of the deck-houses, I discerned several dark objects lying like rolls of sail-cloth, or heaps of spare rigging. Upon one of these heaps, the colonel flashed the light of his lantern.

"Eh?—why, what the deuce—" he muttered. He inspected another heap to his right; then still another, further forward. "Asleep?—or drunk?—or—" He stopped; we looked at each other and the tension of my nerves came very near relieving itself by an altogether inopportune fit of laughter.

The colonel, after a pause, deliberately knelt on one knee on the deck, beside one of the heaps, and held the lantern close to the whitish appearance at one end of it. Then he put his hand upon it. Then he arose rather hurriedly and said to me:

"Dead, by Jove! and dry as last year's cocoa-nut into the bargain!"

"Dry?" I repeated with a peculiar shudder. "Dry?—what do you mean?"

"The man is a mummy—that's what I mean," returned the colonel. "He's skin and bone; he might have been dead a thousand years. And to judge from the clothes he has on," he added,

"DEAD, BY JOVE!"

throwing the light over the costume of the corpse, "he ought not to have been alive for the last two hundred years, anyway!"

Prompted by a curiosity yet stronger than my horror, I bent over the remains and examined them closely. They were those of a man—or of what had once been one—of a rugged and brutal aspect, deeply tanned by the scorching of countless suns, seamed with old scars, and shaggy with hair that hung in masses from his skull, and clothed his gaunt visage to the eyes. The flesh, however, had dried into a thick integument of the consistency of parchment, lying close to the bony framework, and giving the impression of a figure carved from some dark colored wood. The eyes themselves had disappeared, shrunken into their sockets; the lips were like strips of cartilege, and were drawn back from the yellow teeth, giving the involuntary expression of a savage snarl.

Such was the body; the dress was like none I had ever seen before, unless in some stage extravaganza, or represented in ancient pictures. It consisted mainly of a jerkin and short breeches of some rough material, and a thick pair of boots coming up to the knee. The cut and fashion of these garments showed at a glance that they had not been made in our day, nor for many generations before; they might have been the fashion in an age when Charles Second sat on the throne of Spain, and Louis Quartoze and William of Orange on those of France and England. How, then, came they to clothe the body of a man lying on the deck of a vessel in this year 1894?

The colonel and I did not ask each other this question; we were not in the humor for speech. We continued our investigations and found the deck strewn with corpses, all more or less resembling the one I have described. They lay in all postures and places, as if stricken down suddenly where they stood by some comprehensive thunderbolt. Some had ropes still in their hands, as if they had been hauling the yards or taking in sail. All were armed with weapons of one sort or another, but none of a pattern known to modern armories. There were cutlasses, dirks, pikes and many grotesque and clumsy pistols and matchlocks, whose detonations no living ear could have heard for centuries. Here and there, in points of vantage, we found seven or eight quaint old bronze cannon, some of them richly carved and embossed.

The waist of the ship was low; the decks forward and aft were raised above the middle space to the height of a man and were reached by steep flights of steps. On the poop we discovered, leaning against the mizzen mast, the only figure on board which had kept its feet. It was the corpse of a tall man, with wide shoulders and a certain stateliness of bearing, in spite of the untoward circumstances. He wore a wide-brimmed black felt hat, ornamented with a superb great plume of scarlet feathers. His dress was rich and decorated with barbaric magnificence. His erectness was only an accident; he had been propped up in his position by his long, basket-hilted rapier, the point of which was stuck in the deck, while the hilt was caught beneath the rim of the gold-inlaid corselet that he wore. The colonel, in moving to look beneath his wide hat brim, struck the point of the rapier with his foot, whereupon down fell the dead man prone upon the deck, with a great jingle and crash of arms. The colonel, for all his steadiness, jumped back as if from a sudden attack. That was the first sound, except our own rare whispers, that had broken the deathly stillness since we had stumbled upon the first corpse.

"I recognize this chap—his red feather, at least," the colonel presently remarked, in as composed a tone as he could manage. "He's the commander, I suppose. Ahem! Well—er—I must say, this seems to me to be a—er—matter in which it is difficult to be guided by precedent. How does it strike you?"

"This ship was built and these men were born about the time the Mayflower took the Puritan Pilgrims to Plymouth Rock," said I. "You and I saw her come ashore here with a living crew four hours ago. At the moment she struck I saw a fellow run aft and haul a flag up to the mizzen peak. There he lies now, with the halliards still in his hands. Suppose we take a look at the flag. That ought to tell us something."

We walked aft, and I cut the flag halliards with my penknife. The flag came down. We spread it out on the deck, and examined it with the aid of the lantern. It was the imperial naval ensign of France in the reign of Louis XIV.

"This is not a thing we can understand, colonel," I remarked. "We must take it as it comes and make the best of it. Let us go below and investigate the cabin."

The colonel was mute; he followed me about meekly. When a thoroughly practical man—a man of action—who believes only in what he can explain by rule of thumb, chances to run across something altogether beyond the scope of common human experience, he becomes, for the time being, as helpless and docile as an infant; and a fellow who sees visions and dreams dreams, and to whom, half the time, the solid earth appears less real than his own thoughts, has him completely at advantage. So I led the doughty old warrior about at my will, and he trotted after me with an unquestioning deference that was pathetic.

I took the lantern, and went in advance. We came to the companionway; it was like the mouth of a black pit. I was not at my ease, however; like Macbeth, "direness, familiar to my thoughts, could not once move me." But just as I set foot on the first step of the descent, there came a sound from below.

It was a sort of whimpering, complaining sound, half animal and half human. It seemed to enter into my blood like atoms of ice. I was prepared for ghosts; but this was not preternatural; the terror of it was due to its being a natural manifestation in the midst of what was spectral. The colonel heard it, but so far from completing his collapse, it revived him. He drew in a long breath. "Some poor devil of a dog is down there," said he, clearing the huskiness out of his throat. "It will be a comfort to rescue him, after all this deviltry! After you, sir!"

Now I, unlike the worthy colonel, am a family man; and domestic life gives a man certain knowledges unknown to celibates. The sound had not appeared to me like the whining of a dog. But it was no use speculating; we went down.

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The unwonted scene of Plainfield Councilmen talking back to one another enlivened the session of the Common Council of '95, which met for organization last night. All was serenity 'till Mr. Frazee got the floor, and after his first taste of blood he was irrepressible. What he did, and what the others did, is chronicled herewith, and will be relished as the account develops.

J. T. MacMurray, Clerk of the preceding Council, called the meeting to order. Those present were Messrs. Erickson, Fisk, Frazee, Frost, Ginna, Moore, See, Stockton and Westphal. The absentees were Messrs. Bird and Dumont.

Mr. Erickson nominated Mr. See for president. Mr. Fisk seconded the nomination. The Clerk was authorized to cast the ballot for Mr. See, which he did. Mr. MacMurray named Messrs. Ginna and Erickson to escort Mr. See to the chair. On assuming his renewed honors, Mr. See said:

"I thank you for being chosen to preside over you another year. The Council is practically the same as last year, and gives assurance of friendly relations. Each year as the city grows the work becomes more burdensome. That it will be well taken care of in '95 is apparent from the personnel of the Council. I am satisfied that at the close of the year matters will be found in as good shape as when the Council of '94 transferred the municipal government to you. I again thank you for the honor you have visited upon me."

J. T. MacMurray was nominated for City Clerk. Messrs. Fisk and Frazee served as tellers, and gathered an unanimous ballot for Mr. MacMurray's re-election.

Likewise was Wm. V. Mundy re-elected janitor, and came in from an outer room bearing a stepladder as his insignia of office, with which he proceeded to assume an exalted position and restore the illuminating properties of a recalcitrant chandelier. This was rewarded a little later by his appointment as janitor of the city offices downstairs, superseding Henry Frisbee, who had been doing for $6 a month work which Mr. Fisk pronounced unsatisfactory. The wages of Janitor Mundy was put at the total of $200. Last year he drew $111.

The rules of order of the preceding Council were adopted as the rules of the new Council, and Mr. Fisk gave notice that at the next meeting he would introduce them as bylaws.

Mr. See paid a compliment to the committees of last year by reappointing them without change except the substitution of Mr. Moore for Mr. Millington, whom Mr. Moore succeeds. The list:

Alms—Ginna, Dumont, Erickson.

Auditing—Frazee, Westphal, Moore.

Fire and Buildings—Erickson, Bird, Fisk.

Finance—Dumont, Fisk, Stockton.

Laws and Ordinances—Westphal, Frost, Frazee.

License—Moore, Stockton, Westphal.

Police and Public Lights—Stockton, Moore, Dumont.

Printing and Stationery—Bird, Frazee, Frost.

Streets—Fisk, Ginna, Bird.

Water and Sewers—Frost, Erickson, Ginna.

Mr. Ginna was unanimously re-elected to succeed himself on the special sewer committee.

The Plainfield Daily Press and the Plainfield Courier-News were designated in the order named as the official papers of the city for the ensuing year.

Various petitions, legacies from the preceding Council, were presented by the Clerk, and referred to the appropriate committees.

A petition from the Plainfield Water Supply Company for needed lights on North avenue in the Netherwood district was referred to the Committee on Police and Public Lights. To the same committee was referred with power the petition for light on Dunellen avenue between Rock and Jefferson avenues. The Fire and Buildings Committee was given power to grant the application for the removal of the building at 432 West Second street to the rear of 430.

The fifth annual message of Mayor Gilbert was read, as printed in full on this page of The Daily Press, and a copy was ordered given by the Clerk to each Councilman.

A. Vanderbeek, Overseer of the Poor, submitted his annual report, detailing the work of his department in line with the annual financial statement already published in this paper, and pointing out that the present huddling together of the city's dependents was demoralizing. He urged better provision. The report was referred to the Alms Committee.

In response to the request of Chief Grant, the Police Committee was empowered to procure trousers and other supplies for the police.

The corrected bond of Constable Dennis Carney was ordered recorded when it should have been approved in form by the Corporation Counsel.

The Clerk was authorized to procure the usual supply of committee cards and roll calls. Necessary stationery and blank books were ordered through the Printing Committee.

$1,000 was ordered borrowed for use on the streets.

At this point Mr. Frazee took the floor and began a speech.

He said he wanted to protest against the action of a member of the Printing Committee in taking to New York the printing of the report on the water-supply investigation. There were—he said—two reliable printing houses in Plainfield, and he did not consider it right and just to take from them business which would go through them in wages to Plainfield workmen. He wanted it known that he was a member of the Printing Committee but that the action of that committee in this matter was without his advice or consent, and had, he understood, been done at the direction of one member of the committee, with a nod towards Mr. Frost.

In the midst of Mr. Frazee's speech Mr. Erickson suggested that the gentleman was out of order, as there was no motion before the house.

"Better let him go on!"—interposed Mr. Frost.—"But as a fact, two members of the committee settled this matter: what has he to say about it?"

"Perhaps"—was Mr. Frazee's quick retort—"I have as much as you!"

Mr. See pounded vigorously with his gavel, and the disputants took their seats, but as Mr. Frost begged that the gentleman be allowed to proceed, and as Mr. Frazee insisted on his right to be heard in this matter, the president ruled it as a question of privilege and Mr. Frazee went on to say that if the people were to be reached by the report the way to reach them was through the newspapers. He moved that the report be published in the official papers.

Mr. Frost said that the report was to be printed in pamphlet form, and that the papers had absolutely refused to have anything to do with it. They would not give a bid. He called on the editor of The Daily Press to bear him out in that.

Mr. Fisk held that this was all out of order, and moved that the motion of Mr. Frazee be tabled. The motion to table was carried with only Mr. Frazee's voice protesting, though Mr. Westphal had been his seconder.

Mr. Westphal raised the next breeze.

"I desire"—said he—"to do now what I perhaps should have done sooner, and that is to resign from the chairmanship of the Laws and Ordinance Committee, a matter I find I have no control over."

"I too positively decline to serve"—said Mr. Frazee.

President See flushed.

"That is an important committee"—he said.—"I trust the gentlemen will on second thought revoke their declinations."

"You served on the committee two years ago: didn't you?"—queried Mr. Frazee.

Mr See said Yes.

"Two years ago it was an important committee" — continued the Lonestar Democrat.—"But last year not one document was referred to that committee. I don't see the use of continuing it. I move it be abolished".

"You can talk all night and not abolish it"—retorted the President.—"It is in the rules, and they can't be changed without the consent of all the members."

Messrs. Westphal and Frazee said they would n't serve. The President said they were appointed under the rules, and they would have to abide thereby. He proceeded to call the committees for reports.

When the Committee on Printing and Stationery was reached, Mr. Frazee said: "Have n't anything to report; perhaps the other member of the committee present has"—with a nod at Mr. Frost. Mr. Frost quietly said No.

A tremendously long ordinance providing for the office of inspector of buildings and for the construction of buildings according to certain requirements, was introduced. It is the development of the ordinance of that title introduced early last year and summarized in The Daily Press exclusively at the time. It was waded through by the Clerk on first reading, and tabled.

While Mr. MacMurray toiled through its forty-odd long sections the President imposed the chair on Mr. Erickson; and most of the Councilmen, who had printed copies of the bill, drifted into the committee room adjoining. Wide-awake Mr. Frazee counted noses, and startled the drowsy atmosphere by exclaiming that there was no quorum. Loud hammering of Mr. Erickson's gavel, and his cry that the members must attend, brought absentees in on a run, and thereafter the quorum was carefully kept full.

On motion of Mr. Fisk, the Finance Committee was instructed to seek additional room for the city offices, either in the Coward Building, or wherever available. He stated that the present offices were crowded, and that fireproof protection was wanted for the city's valuable sewer maps and similar documents, and one of the stipulations to the Finance Committee was that the extended quarters must have a fireproof vault.

The final action of the session was the finding of a big job for the rebellious Committee on Laws and Ordinances. On motion of Mr. Fisk, who stated that the ordinances were in a mixed-up condition because they had been so often amended and repealed and yet never compiled in their existing entirety, the committee was instructed to recodify them with a view to having them printed in full and accurate form for distribution among the people.

As the Council adjourned to January 14, Messrs. Frazee and Westphal repeated that the ordinance work mapped out was not for them as they had resigned from the committee.

"Do n't you intend to fulfil your oath of office?"—asked Mr. Erickson. They did n't say.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

R. F. M. Chase has returned from Europe.

Mrs. James Morning is improving from her recent illness.

Mrs. Wm. Snell and child returned yesterday to Dunellen.

Alfred Noel, son of Netherwood's ex-postmaster, is severely ill.

Miss Fanny Rafferty of Park avenue is visiting in New Brunswick.

A severe cold confines Miss Lizzie Dunn of West Fourth street to her home.

The illness of Ernest Conover of Elmwood place has developed into whooping cough.

Letter-Carrier James Mullen was obliged to lay off yesterday on account of a sprained shoulder, caused by a fall a few days ago.

Genial and popular Harry Werner received a short visit from his father, J. Werner, this week. The senior Werner is one of Bridgeport's leading clothiers.

P. J. McAndrews, the popular Plainfield yardmaster of the Jersey Ccentral, has been confined to his home for some days, suffering from a severe cold and an attack of rheumatism.

The reception held last evening at Rev. Dr. Rodman's residence on La Grande avenue called together but few members of the parish, most everyone believing the affair had been postponed owing to the inclement weather. Those who did assemble, however, spent a most enjoyable evening in quiet social intercourse, and were more than paid for their effort in braving the elements. It is to be hoped that the weather will be more propitious on next Monday evening, when the second reception of the series will be held.

Installation and Entertainment.

District Deputy Grand Master Stannet and staff from Westfield installed the newly elected officers of Plainfield Lodge No. 44, I. O. O. F., last evening. In addition to the elected officers previously mentioned by The Press the following were appointed:

R. S. N. G.—James Clarkson.
L. S. N. G.—N. Pennington.
R. S. V. G.—F. Long.
L. S. V. G.—Mr. Somers.
Warden—E. Bolce.
Conductor—J. Kettering.
R. S. S.—C. Smith.
L. S. S.—J. Horton.
I. G.—Mr. Nelsweich.
O. G.—J. Sutton.

Trustees, (elected by acclamation)—C. Tallman, L. C. Kline, J. Morton.

Following the installation a very pleasant entertainment was rendered, during which the visiting brethren favored with pleasant remarks and laughable recitations, and the good reputation of 44 as entertainers was sustained by Plainfield's ever-popular Dutch comedian, John H Carney, in several happy selections, and by E. M. Odam in comic songs. Following the entertainment supper was served.

Braham Home Again.

Benjamin Braham, alias Gilbride, who had been in custody for alleged swindling, arrived in town from Philadelphia last evening, accompanied by his wife. Owing to Braham's late arrival on Saturday afternoon in Philadelphia he was obliged to wait until court opened Monday morning before bail could be furnished. Mr. Braham's uncle, for many years court interpreter, immediately went his bail in $800.

—The officers of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, will be installed next Monday evening.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PLAINFIELD PROGRESS.

Congratulations for the Past, Concern for the Future.

MAYOR GILBERT POINTS THE WAY.

Gives the New Council Good Suggestions on the Topics of Sewerage, Rapid Transit, the Administration of Relief, Police Protection, the Water Supply Investigation, and Other Matters of Leading Public Interest—An Able and Comprehensive Review of What Has Been Done and What Is Best to Do.

PLAINFIELD, Jan. 7, 1895.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

GENTLEMEN:—It is my privilege to submit a fifth annual message to your Honorable Body, and in so doing I desire to congratulate you on the favorable showing presented in your financial exhibit for 1894.

You commenced the year with an available cash balance of $4 135.67, and outstanding notes of $20,400. The notes have all been paid from the collection of taxes delinquent prior to 1894.

You closed the year with unpaid notes amounting to $16,500, and an available cash balance of $9,584.28. I do not include the notes given for sewer construction in the above statement, as these are to be provided for by special assessment. The uncollected taxes from 1882 to 1894 inclusive amounts to $69,563.56, showing an increase during the year of $2,168.14.

The following comparative statement of expenditures in the principal departments for the years 1893 and '94, will enable you to see to what extent the cost of maintaining these departments has been reduced or increased:

	1893	1894.
Streets	$17,403 02	$11,990 71
Police	8,848 43	9,367 44
Street Lights	9,589 04	9,834 82
Fire Department	11,799 09	12,074 33
Fire Dep't Building	9,843 27	
City Poor	4,407 98	4,172 53
Hydrants	2,332 50	3,256 50
Printing & Stationery	2,331 61	1,340 12
Election Expenses	1,094 95	1,062 01
Public Library	3,662 13	2,988 97

I do not include the miscellaneous expenditures, as they do not vary much during the two years. My object is simply to give the general public an opportunity of seeing in a condensed form, how the public money is being spent.

The Fire Department expenditure is increased for 1894 by the payment of claims of prior years amounting to $1,099 58.

I think it can be truly said that the fiscal affairs of our city are in good shape, and that they are looked after with the care and fidelity that characterize the management of successful business corporations. The people should, and doubtless do, appreciate this, and will not criticise adversely large expenditures where they are shown to be necessary for the public good.

We are all interested in making Plainfield a model city, the accomplishment of which, while it will not justify extravagance of expenditure, does call for a spirit of liberality on the part of taxpayers. We are living in an age of progress, and to keep our place in the foremost rank we must equip ourselves with everything that is necessary to promote the health, comfort and prosperity of our people.

Among the most urgent of our needs at the present time is an increase of the police force. The addition of, at least, five patrolmen to the present force is required to put the department in a state of efficiency. With the few men now on duty the beats are so large that it is impossible for the most vigilant officer to prevent disorderly occurrences in his district. The growth of the city in wealth and population is too rapid to justify too close economy in this department.

A new station house is also needed. The present one is badly located, small and unsanitary, and in every way unsuited to the wants of our city. I earnestly urge the early consideration of this subject.

The illegal selling of liquor is a matter that has engaged the attention of the police during the past year. Several offenders have been convicted, but owing to the fact that the laws to prevent the unlawful sale of liquor seem to favor the liquor sellers, it is almost impossible to enforce a penalty. Convictions secured in our City Court are appealable to the County Courts, the appeal carrying with it the right of a new trial, which practically destroys the jurisdiction of our City Court in cases of this kind. I have requested our Corporation Counsel to prepare a bill for submission to the Legislature to correct this anomaly.

I would suggest the adoption of a new ordinance to compel the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters, with provision authorizing the Street Commissioner, in case of failure of land owners to comply with the ordinance, to cause the snow and ice to be removed, and to certify the costs and expense of such removal to the Assessor of Taxes, as provided in the Public Laws of 1882, page 93. The present ordinance is cumbersome, and difficult to enforce, and contains no provision authorizing the removal of snow and ice from lands of non-resident owners.

I desire also to call your attention to the necessity of a stricter regulation concerning the discharge of firearms within the limits of the city. The recent deplorable accidents in our midst, emphasize the importance of this. The Corporation Counsel has already given some thought to this matter, and doubtless will be able to draw an ordinance that will meet the requirement.

It is my judgment that an amendment to the ordinance to license peddlers which shall provide for the granting of licenses for a shorter term than one year at a proportionately reduced fee, can very properly be made. Under the ordinance as it now stands, all licenses expire on March 1st. This seems an unnecessary hardship to those who desire to take out licenses during the latter part of the year. It would also facilitate matters if authority should be granted to the Mayor or City Clerk to grant licenses during the interim of the meetings of the Council.

The Madison avenue widening is a matter that will come before you at an early day, and doubtless will receive your early attention. This is an important public improvement, the completion of which will greatly promote the appearance and value of property in its immediate neighborhood. The amount assessed against the city seems large, but if no error has been made in estimating the cost, and if the parties assessed for benefits will pay the assessment without delay or opposition, the city can well afford to pay the amount assessed against it, in order to secure this improvement. In my judgment the propriety of assessing a portion of the expense upon the city at large, cannot be questioned, and the amount assessed by the Commissioners does not seem too large.

The beginning of sewerage construction marks an important event in the history of the city. Doubts have been felt and expressed by many as to the ability of the city to construct the proposed sewers for the sum named in the report of the Sewerage Committee, but the figure at which the first contract has been made, removes all doubt as to the correctness of the Committee's estimate. It has been thought wise to discontinue work for the Winter. It will be resumed in the early Spring, and unless some unforeseen obstacle interposes, the probability is that sewers will be in operation in the course of a year thereafter.

I am still of the opinion expressed in a former communication to the Common Council, that Plainfield and North Plainfield should, if possible, co-operate in the selection of disposal beds. The movement in favor of sewers is making progress in the borough, and the probability is that the work will be begun at an early day. When a survey is made and it becomes definitely known to what point the sewage of the borough can be carried by gravity, the question of co-operation can be considered and determined.

There is undoubtedly a feeling of apprehension on the part of many with reference to the location of the disposal beds. This feeling is but natural, and will only be removed when the system is completed and in operation to prove its own inoffensiveness. I have endeavored to correctly inform myself on this point by a close investigation of filtration systems already in operation, and I feel well satisfied that all fears touching this feature of our proposed system are groundless. I am informed that the feeling in the borough is in favor of co-operation if we will carry our line to the Raritan River. Gladly would I favor this proposition if I could feel certain that we would be left in undisturbed possession of our outlet after we reach it. The Raritan River, at any point that we could economically reach by gravity, is not a navigable stream, neither has it a sufficient flow of water at certain seasons to carry off the solid matter that would be emptied into it by a population as large as ours. It may be considered unwise to anticipate legal obstacles, but it seems to me that the uncertainty is too great to justify the expenditure required to reach the Raritan, when by intermittent filtration we can secure a more efficient and less expensive method of disposal. I feel quite certain that if the borough council would appoint a committee to visit South Framingham and inspect the system in operation there, they would quickly decide in favor of filtration, and co-operation.

After the sewers are laid, I think it will be well for the Council to consider the wisdom of laying in the business portion of the city, a more durable pavement than crushed stone affords. Macadamized streets are only serviceable and economical in sections where they are little used. Where there is much travel, experience shows them to be a most expensive form of pavement. I am quite sure that a move in this direction would, in the long run, be in the interest of economy.

The report of the Committee on Water and Sewerage, under date of December 28, 1894, regarding the effect upon our water supply, of excessive pumping to supply outside towns and cities with water, is very suggestive, and is deserving of serious consideration. It seems to establish very clearly the following facts:

1st. That there is a possibility of the impairment of both the quantity and quality of our water, through the undertaking on the part of the Water Company to provide too large an outside area with water drawn from our source of supply.

2d. That under its charter, the Plainfield Water Supply Company has no legal right to furnish any place outside of Plainfield and adjoining towns with water drawn from our source of supply.

3d. That the term adjoining towns, includes only those towns whose territory is in actual contact with the territory of Plainfield.

The danger referred to may be, and probably is remote, but the possibility of danger should suffice to make us very watchful. This question is of too much importance to the people of Plainfield to be disposed of without further attention. I suggest that it be referred to an appropriate committee with instructions to pursue the investigation still further with the view of determining more fully whether the pumping is sufficiently excessive to have any general effect upon private wells throughout the city.

The problem how to provide for the city poor still presses for a solution. I have written so much on this subject that I hesitate to again refer to it, but the longer our present system prevails, the more I can see the need of a change. Our methods are wrong, and neither produce the best results for the city nor for the dependent poor. I think that a poor farm put under the control and supervision of the Organized Aid Association or some other society, equally interested in the welfare of the poor, would be a solution of the question. This would effectually do away with the present system of outdoor relief, would reduce the number of beneficiaries to those whom thorough investigation would show to be worthy, would develop a system, with intelligent supervision instead of public indifference as the administrative head, and would, I believe, result in a saving to the city. The Council could make a yearly appropriation for the support of the city poor, to be expended by the organization selected for that purpose, and thus relieve itself of a responsibility which it is not qualified to discharge.

I present this as a suggestion of a plan, the details of which can be more fully worked out, if it commends itself to your honorable body as worthy of further consideration.

Our street railway has been in operation nearly three years, and I think it is safe to assume that our people have come to regard it as a convenience that should be generally extended throughout the city. The chief obstacle is the difficulty of selecting a route that will be acceptable to the property owners along that route. All would like the railroad to ride upon, but few are willing that it should go by their doors. The last Council passed a resolution authorizing me to select a committee of five to act with the Committee on Streets in locating a route. I find it difficult to obtain a committee in the absence of any definite proposition to work upon. I have been informed that several parties are willing to submit a proposition to construct a line to Netherwood, another one to the Cemetery, and still another one through Fourth or Sixth street to the westerly limit of the city. If this is correct, it seems proper that a definite proposition should be submitted as a necessary prelude to action by your Honorable Body. When a proposition has been favorably acted upon by the Council, the question of route can only be determined by an effort to obtain consent of property owners. This must be the work of the company seeking to locate its tracks. The location of a route by any committee in advance of this, would appear to be of minor importance. However, I shall be glad to appoint a committee, or to co-operate with you in any other way to promote railway extension, or any other object that has in view the public welfare.

Respectfully submitted,

A. GILBERT.

Week of Prayer.

Following are the services during this week of prayer in the First Baptist Church, commencing at 8 p. m.:

Subject, this (Tuesday) evening, "Confession and Humiliation".

Wednesday, Missions.

Thursday, Families and Sunday-schools.

Friday, What does this year mean to us? Meeting conducted by the Society of Christian Endeavor, led by George F. Brown.

President Timpson.

The Plainfield Board of Underwriters last night elected the following officers:

President—L. G. Timpson.

Vice-president—Elston French.

Secretary—M. M. Dunham.

Rating Committee—J. C. Pope, W. A. Woodruff, E. M. VanBuren.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE CAUCUS NOT A UNIT

Show of Opposition to Carlisle's Banking Bill.

Eighty-one Votes for the Proposition While Fifty-nine Were Against It—Seventy-five Absentees Noted—Mr. Springer's Earnest Appeal to Members To Stand by the Measure.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Three hours were spent in caucus by the democrats of the house. The purpose of the caucus was to secure an exchange of views regarding the Carlisle banking bill which was taken up for debate a week before the holiday recess, and which is still before the house. A number of speeches were made in favor of the bill while the opposition was also well represented. The principal vote of the day hinged on a resolution introduced by Speaker Crisp, "that it is the sense of the house that the Carlisle currency bill should be passed by the house of representatives substantially as presented." This resolution was finally adopted by a vote of 81 to 59. The vote showed that seventy-five democratic members of the house were not present at the caucus. This vote and the speeches for and against the bill seemed to be differently interpreted. Mr. Springer, for example, believes that many of those who opposed the Crisp resolution, will support the Carlisle bill in the end, the more especially as some of them are constrained to believe that it will be amended so as to be more in conformity with their sentiments. He says that to argue that the fifty-nine gentlemen who opposed the resolution will also oppose the bill would be to say that the caucus has no persuasive power, a fact which he is inclined strongly to dispute. He believes that a majority of the seventy-five absentees will also support the bill and that it will be carried by a fair majority.

Other gentlemen regard the spirit displayed at the caucus as indicating the death of the measure. They say that the speeches in opposition to the bill show that the extreme silver men as well as the opponents of free silver with but few exceptions, have joined hands in opposition to the measure and that their opposition will be supplemented by the solid vote of the republicans and populists, and that as a result the measure cannot pass the house.

One of the curious incidents of the caucus was the meagre support accorded to the amendment offered by Mr. Sperry, of Connecticut, the purpose of which was to commit the caucus to an indorsement of the bill introduced by him last week to fund the greenbacks and the treasury notes into bonds. An analysis of the vote given for this amendment shows that four of its thirteen supporters are western men, two from Ohio and two from Wisconsin and that the remaining nine are from the east.

Equally surprising was the large vote given to the Terry amendment which authorized the coinage by the secretary of the treasury of a silver dollar of 412½ grains for each inhabitant of the forty-four states and territories. This amendment received the support of fifty-four members and was defeated by a bare majority of ten.

Mr. Springer, in supporting the Carlisle resolution, said:

"The Carlisle bill took the government out of the banking business. If passed, the government would not be responsible either for the current or final redemption of national bank notes. There could be no monopoly under this bill, for banking would be free and all banks that complied with its provisions could take out currency.

"The banks themselves could neither expand nor contract the currency. If there were $100,000,000 of bank notes in the vaults of the banks not one dollar could get into circulation unless some man having business to transact should borrow it and thus put it into circulation.

"The Carlisle bill avoided the extremes which were represented in the country and in the house. It was opposed by Wall street and the national banks on the one hand and on the other by the populists and those who believed that the coinage of free silver at 16 to 1 was the only savior for our financial ills.

"It was a conservative measure, such as the democratic party could adopt and would receive the support of democrats in every part of the country. It has been recommended to congress by a democratic administration. Our democratic president had indorsed it in his message to congress.

"It had been prepared after careful study and investigation by the democratic secretary of the treasury, Mr. Carlisle, a gentleman whose abilities are not excelled by any man in the United States; who presided over the house for six years; who adorned a seat in the senate of the United States and whose administration of the treasury department has been as able as that of any of his predecessors.

"Mr. Carlisle is of the opinion that this bill, if passed, will bring the needed relief to the treasury and while it was not all that he and the democratic members of the banking and currency committee desired to accomplish, it was all in their opinion that could possibly be secured at this time.

"I appeal to democrats to stand by this measure and pass it through the house, believing as I do that it is the very best that can be had under the circumstances."

At the close of his remarks, Mr. Springer was loudly applauded by his colleagues.

Negro Desperado Lynched.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 8.—Spencer Costello, a negro burglar and desperado was lynched near Flora, thirty miles from here last night.

WAR BETWEEN LEADERS

What the Outcome of the Labor Fight Will Be.

Defeat for the Knights of Labor Means a Loss of 8,000 Members, While Victory for Them Would Cause a Disorganization of the Mine Workers' Union.

Columbus, O., Jan. 8.—The national executive board of the United Mine Workers' union has completed its work and the members have left for their respective homes, leaving President Penna and Secretary McBryde to complete the arrangements for the convention to be held here February 12.

There will be two conventions, one of which will be composed of delegates from local assemblies of the Knights of Labor attached to District No. 135, and the other will be a joint meeting of Knights of Labor and progressive union delegates composing the United Mine Workers' union.

It has heretofore been the custom for the United Mine Workers' convention to be held first, but for obvious reasons the Knights of Labor will meet first this time.

Two calls have been formulated by the executive board, one of which is secret and is being sent to Knights of Labor assemblies and the other contains nothing of interest to the general public. The greatest interest hinges on the probable action of the Knights of Labor convention which will meet Feb. 11.

Upon the action taken at that meeting depends to a great extent the business which will be transacted by the other convention which is called to meet the following day.

The secret circular is understood to embody charges against Hayes and Sovereign of the Knights of Labor and advises the miners local assemblies to send delegates instructed to vote to cut loose from the general assembly of the Knights of Labor.

On the other hand, a secret circular is being sent out by Messrs. Hayes and Sovereign appealing to the miners to withdraw from the United Mine Workers and connect themselves directly with the general assembly of the Knights of Labor.

Thus the issue is drawn and upon these two lines the fight between Knights of Labor and United Mine Workers' officials will be waged when the convention meets.

Should the Mine Workers' officials win, the result will be a loss of 8,000 members to the Knights of Labor, and should Hayes and Sovereign come out victorious the result will be practically a disorganization of the Mine Workers' organization. Grand Master Workman Sovereign and Secretary Hayes, together with the general executive board of the Knights of Labor will be here to make the fight of their lives and the same will be true of the Mine Workers' officials.

In view of the fact that the fight will be bitter and speechmaking will probably be unlimited it is not likely that the Knights of Labor convention will complete its business in one day as contemplated by the call. Unless it should happen that the delegates should be practically of one mind and conclude to cut the wrangle between their two sets of officials short and decide the question at issue themselves, there is danger that the entire week will be consumed by the Knights of Labor convention.

For the reasons stated the conventions will be the most important and sensational ever held by any branch of organized labor.

THE MINERS' STRIKE.

Operatives and Yardmen Laid Off on the Rochester & Pittsburg Road.

Dubois, Pa., Jan. 8.—The yardmen and night operators on the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg railroad have been laid off on account of the miners' strike. This road hauls all the coal to market from this section.

The meeting of miners and citizens generally held here to discuss the strike situation resulted in the appointment of a committee to draft resolutions for publication asking the mining company to reinstate the discharged men and condemning the company for the wholesale discharge of employes in mid-winter.

A few Italians who were working at Reynoldsville have joined the ranks of the strikers.

Baltimore Firms Assign.

Baltimore, Jan. 8.—The firm of Charles F. F. Carr, successor to Wilson & Carr, shoe dealer, named Thomas A. Whelan as trustee, liabilities, $25,000. Aaron Brag, furniture dealer, also assigned to Samuel W. Pattison; who filed a bond for $32,000.

Northwood Shoe Company Assigns.

Suncook, N. H., Jan. 8.—The Northwood Union Shoe company, fourteen miles from here, has made an assignment to Mr. Woodbury, of Boston, a director. The Northwood Building association has placed an attachment on the machinery, stock, &c.

Fire Loss During the Past Year.

New York, Jan. 8.—The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of December, as estimated from the Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin, amounts to $10,321,000, and the total for the year is $128,246,900.

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LIGHT WORK IN CONGRESS.

Both Houses Adjourn Out of Respect to Representative Post.

Washington, Jan. 8.—In the absence both of Vice President Stevenson and the president pro tem. of the senate (Mr. Harris, dem., Tenn.), it became necessary for the senate to elect a new president pro tem., which it did in the person of Mr. Ransom (dem., N. C.)

Mr. Ransom stated, in acknowledging the honor done him, that he would only hold the office until the return of Mr. Harris, which will be in a few days. It will be necessary then, however, to proceed to a re-election. A speedy abandonment of the chair by Mr Ransom in favor of Mr. Manderson (rep., Neb.) gave Mr. Frye (rep., Me.) the chance of inquiring satirically, "why the democrats had not retained their organization." Mr. Lodge's Hawaiian resolution which went to the calendar last Friday, was taken from it and brought before the senate on a motion to that effect, which was carried by a vote of 33 to 12—13 democrats and 3 poplists voting with the majority. Mr. Peffer (pop., Kan.), who had yielded the floor for that motion on condition that there would be no debate occupied the remainder of the morning hour with a speech in favor of his "service pension" bill, after which the Lodge resolution went over till to-day.

Mr. Mitchell (rep., Ore.) then made a speech in favor of the Nicaraguan canal bill. At its close resolutions were adopted in relation to the death of Representative Post of Illinois, and the senate, as a further mark of respect adjourned.

The proceedings in the house were of brief duration. After referring to the judiciary committee a petition of S. J. Ritchie, of Ohio, preferring additional charges against Judge Ricks, of the United States circuit court, which was presented by Mr. Johnson (dem., O.), and agreeing to a resolution directing an investigation of the charges, Mr. Henderson (rep., Ill.) announced to the house the death of his colleague, Mr. Post. The usual resolutions were adopted and the house adjourned until to-day.

MASSACHUSETTS BANKS.

The Annual Report of the State Commissioners.

Boston, Jan. 8.—The annual report of the state savings banks commissioners shows 185 savings banks in the state, with assets of $442,391,264; and 25 trust companies with assets of 110,879,135, which, with the co-operative banks, make 331 institutions under the supervision of the board, with assets of $574,194,000.

Only two new trust companies and two co-operative banks were organized in 1894.

The assets of the savings banks have increased $17,800,000 and those of the trust companies nearly $18,000,000. Of the $15,665,211 paid out in dividends by the savings banks, two paid at 5 per cent., four at 4¾, fifteen at 4½, five at 4¼, 155 at 4, three at 3½ and one at 2 per cent., making the average dividend rate for the year 4.06 per cent., against 4.09 per cent. last year and 4.11 in 1892.

MAY RESULT IN SUCCESS.

Efforts of the State Board To Adjust the Cannelville Mine Trouble.

Columbus, O., Jan. 8.—The indications are that the efforts of the state board of arbitration to adjust the difficulties between Morgan & Tandy and their miners will result in success.

The miners at Cannelville, after agreeing to a settlement by a local board, withdrew their assent and the investigation was then made on application of the operators. The arbitrators decided that sixty cents should be paid for mining coal in veins four feet thick, with the ruling rate of seventy cents in the smaller veins.

This decision was mailed to each party to the controversy and Secretary Bishop has received a letter from J. F. Holdsworth, one of the miners, who stated that the decision and recommendations had been received and unanimously accepted by the men. It is probable that work will be resumed.

Naval Changes.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Admiral Ramsey's son, Assistant Paymaster Mortimer M. Ramsay, has been detached from the Minnesota and ordered to the training ship Essex, displacing passed Assistant Paymaster G. H. Hicks, who goes to the Mohican. Paymaster J. R. Staunton of that vessel being transferred to the Monterey in place of Paymaster W. J. Thompson, ordered as fleet paymaster on the Philadelphia.

Fatal Railroad Collision.

Massillon, O., Jan. 8.—By a collision of trains on the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad, east of Smithville, Fireman W. J. Ryan was pinned in his cab and was slowly roasted to death. Edwin Longsdorf, of Smithville, had his neck broken. Conductor Joseph Ramms, of Norwalk, George Parrish of Orrville and John Berkhart of Massillon were seriously hurt.

Earthquakes Continue in Sicily.

Rome, Jan. 8.—Heavy earthquakes continue to shake northern Sicily. The roofs of the church and hospital at Spadafora, San Martino, province of Messina, were demolished yesterday. Losses of property are reported from several other towns.

Nebraska's Vacant Public Land.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Secretary Smith sent to the senate, in response to a the president pro tem. of the senate number of acres of vacant public land in Nebraska to be 11,020,636, in addition to 37,759 acres in abandoned military reservations.

His Body Nearly Cremated.

Dubuque, Ia., Jan. 8.—A japanning oven in the factory of the Conchar Richselber company exploded yesterday causing a $5,000 fire. The body of the foreman, William Daugherty, was found nearly cremated.

Work of the Red Cross Society.

Berlin, Jan. 8.—The Red Cross society of Germany will send 10,000 marks to the Red Cross society of Japan to aid it in its present work in the field.

The Treasury Balance.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The treasury balance [illegible] which $[illegible]

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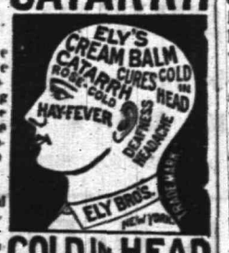

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It was so quiet outside that when the long freight train would come to a standstill with an abrupt, awkward jerk, we could almost hear the big, drifting flakes as they fell. Not a breath of air was stirring, and the big, round moon filtered down through the snow storm with a white softened light that revealed nearby objects in a strange, ghostly sort of way. The soft coal fire that spluttered fitfully in the old-fashioned cast iron upright stove lacked cheer enough to break the spell of the outside air.

Without knowing precisely why, we sat mostly in silence or muttered an occasional monosyllabic observation as to how soon we might reach Jersey City. We were four hours behind time, and somewhere back of us we knew was the West Shore Express likewise behind time, and endeavoring to make up something of its lost run.

Sitting in the small red caboose in the rear of the big freight train, rumbling along through a blind fog of snow with a flying express at our heels, gave an uncanny sensation, that I, for one, did not relish in the least. The drummer who had boarded the train at Newburg sat morosely on a pile of grips, which afforded him a softer seat than the hard, wooden benches strung along the sides of the car. A couple of shippers anxiously discussed the prospects for getting their stock to market without having them half frozen to death.

At the entrance of Joe, the brakeman, however, the glum party seemed to thaw at once. He swung down off the roof of the last box car and in through the door in a cheery, wholesome sort of fashion that warmed us at once.

"Joe," said one of the shippers, "be we going to reach Jersey City before night?"

"Isn't this good enough for you to live in? How'd you like to be out braking to-night?"

"'Taint no snap, that's a fact," the shipper assented.

"No, you bet it ain't," said Joe, decisively. "But this ain't a patching to what it is sometimes."

Something in the manner in which Joe carefully filled his cob pipe, took a bit of stick from the floor, poked it into the fire and lit his pipe slowly and thoughtfully indicated that a story was coming.

"Strange," said Joe at last, with a ruminant look into the fire and a long steady pull at his pipe, "somehow to-night reminds me of the day in January two years ago. That was when we brought Johnny Haines home. Guess you must 'a known Johnny," he added, turning to the shipper.

"Nope. Heard of him. Go on, Joe. What was the story?"

"Not much of a one," Joe replied deprecatingly. "Just a brakeman's yarn, only it's a little out of the common run. The first day I ever saw Johnny Haines I thought him the handsomest lad I ever set my eyes on. He came up on No. 6 on her first trip. We used to meet often up and down the road and got to know each other pretty well. He was one of these lads with a fresh, pink and white complexion and a jolly laugh that made you warm up to him at once. He was straight and strong, and when he used to stand jauntily on top of the car, the train going forty miles an hour and he not thinking it was going at all, there wasn't a girl along the road that hadn't a smile for him as he went by. The lad was anxious to stick and worked hard, and, as he kept his mouth pretty well closed, it was a long time before we found out anything about who he was. He had little ways about him that made us think once in awhile that he hadn't been brought up to work, and his hands at first were as soft and white as a girl's. One of the fellows told us a story of how Johnny belonged to a good family, but got kicked our for some reason or other; but we always thought he made it up, and, in fact we never did find out his story until that night. I mean the night we took him home."

Joe stopped, pulled vigorously at his pipe for a few minutes, blinked rather suspiciously several times, and finally the rather husky voice went on:

"It seems that the lad's name wasn't Haines at all. He took that to conceal his own. His first name really was Johnny, though, and, as that was what everybody called him, the last didn't seem to make so much difference. When he first came on the road he was a little past twenty, and his open, boyish ways made some of the fellows guy him and play tricks on him at first. But it didn't take them long to find out that he had plenty of mettle. A gang of us were laying around the Albany round house one day, waiting for a train to be made up, when Bill Lawson began to nag him and see if he couldn't get a fight out of him. It seems they had some trouble down the road, and when Bill had offered to fight Johnny had refused. He tried to keep out of Bill's way, but when Bill said he was afraid, Johnny turned and walked squarely up to him and said quietly: 'You take that back.' I never knew just how it was done, but Bill made some sort of a feint, and the next moment the big hulking lubber was lying on the ground. Bill didn't seem to know what hit him. But he went at Johnny with such a savage look that a lad without genuine pluck would have turned feather. But when Bill lay sprawling on the ground a second time we found out that Johnny was a scientific boxer. There was an ugly gleam in Bill's eye when he got up, and as he got close up to Johnny, all of a sudden he flashed a big jackknife he always carried. How he got it out of his pocket I never could tell. He made a lunge, but Johnny dodged cleverly and the knife just grazed his face. He was on Bill quicker than it takes to tell it, choking the life out of him. We started to separate them, but when we found that Johnny had Bill so that he could do no damage with the knife, we let them fight it out. Bill finally held up his hand for mercy, and Johnny then let up. After we got them cooled off, Johnny made him shake hands, and, though he didn't show it then, I think afterward Bill came to think as much of him as the rest of us.

Up the road not very far from Albany there is a farm that runs down to the river, and right at the corner of it was a water tank. It happened that on this farm there was a dark eyed little girl who was the idol of all the boys along the road. She wouldn't flirt with us, but she used often to come down to the water tank and get little packages which the engineer, who was a friend of the family used to bring down from Albany. She was plump and peachy, with dark eyebrows and long lashes, and under them the prettiest pair of eyes I ever saw. There wasn't one of us who wouldn't have married her quick if she'd had us. But she was sort o' reserved and shy and none of us had nerve enough to make love to her. All except Johnny. All the girls smiled on Johnny and he smiled on them. He didn't have to see the lass twice before he was head over heels in love with her and it wasn't very long before he made her know all about it. To woo was to win with Johnny, and regular as his train passed the farm Jenny—that was the dame's name—was always there to meet him. We used to chaff Johnny a good deal over the matter, but we couldn't get much out of him.

Somehow, through the engineer or somebody, though, we found out that Johnny was going to marry the girl if he could get his father to consent. He couldn't very well marry on the salary he was getting as a raw brakeman.

"Things ran along through the summer and into the fall, and we noticed that Johnny had got very quiet and reserved like, and was evidently brooding over something. At last we found out that Johnny had been promised a raise, and that along about the holidays he was to be made a passenger brakeman, and then he was going to get married. There wasn't one of us that wasn't glad of it, or who envied him his good luck. The fall stretched way into the winter, I remember, and my, wasn't it beautiful weather! You'd stand up on top of a car, and as the train wound along the river shore mile after mile, just drinking in the air and view. Braking is a hard life, with lots of danger and pretty slim pay. But those days we'd forget all about the hardships and everything else. Johnny was on the same train with me and happy as a lark, thinking how he would marry and go up to Albany to live. I used to notice, though, that every once in a while his brow would cloud up, as if he was thinking of something that hurt him.

"Such weather couldn't last, though, and when the end came, it came with a squall. The thermometer dropped forty degress, and a cold, driving rain that had set in the afternoon turned toward night into a drifting, blinding snow. We had a big train that night, and with the snow and the sleet and the cold it gave us no end of trouble. She parted three or four times, going not more than twenty miles, and it was cold, dangerous work slipping along the top setting brakes or getting down to make couplings. The wind howled and whistled and the snow cut your face, like going through a hedge. It was dark and the lanterns didn't show plain through the snow, and everything seemed to go wrong. Several times we thought we were stalled in the drifts, but we'd uncouple and send the engine and two or three cars through the drift, and then back up and take the rest of the train through. We wanted to get through to Albany, for the next day was a lay off.

"Johnny and I fought like beavers against the cold, and, I tell you, it was ticklish work. I felt more anxious about Johnny than I did about myself, for I was old at the business and he was new, and I knew how easy it was for a sudden jerk to send a man flying down between the wheels. But Johnny wouldn't listen. He said he wasn't afraid, and just then the whistle sounded 'down brakes.' We were sitting in the caboose, shivering around a dirty little fire. I had frozen three of my fingers, and I thought my ears were frosted, too. You see the storm came so sudden we didn't have time to get on any mufflers, and the mittens were pretty thin. Well, we climbed out, and Johnny ran on ahead, saying that he was all right and he'd take the front. The cars on top were as slippery as glass, and we had almost to creep along from one car to another to keep from falling off, for she was running at a good pace, and the snow on the tracks made the cars lurch and swing. I looked up, and through the snow and the dark I recognieed the landmark, and knew we were nearing the water tank, where Johnny's girl lived. Just at that moment the train gave a frightful jerk, and I saw the engine go rearing in the air, and about a hundred feet ahead I saw a lantern swing wildly in the air and go down. I went flat on the car and hung there for dear life. We stopped in ten or twenty yards and I swung off the car like mad. 'Great God, I thought, if that was Johnny!'

"Something made me feel that he had gone under the wheels, and when I crawled ahead a few cars there I found him, lying all white and still. He was too much stunned to say a word. We picked him up and started to carry him to the house—where Jenny lived. We saw that the wheels had gone over both legs—over one near the thigh and the other below the knee. My, but he was a game lad, for all the torture of bringing him up the hill couldn't wring a word from him. We knocked at the door and said that one of the boys had got hurt, and that the engine had jumped the track. A white little face came to the door and looked at us a moment, and then as soon as she saw me and my face Jenny shrieked out:

"'It's Johnny!'

"But she didn't faint or cry, or say another word. We just carried him in and put him on the bed, and she took charge of him. One of the boys rode over to get a doctor, but when he came he saw at once that it was no use. It was only a question of how long Johnny could survive the shock. He lay there very quietly, and finally, when the doctor's examination was finished, he said:

"'Is there any show, old man?'

"I couldn't reply, but he knew as I turned my head away what the answer was. Johnny was quiet for a moment, and then pulling Jenny's hand with his own weakly, he said in a husky voice:

"'Little girl, I want to go home.'

"And that he insisted on all the night. We didn't think that he would be alive by the morning. But he was, and we decided to put him on board the morning express. The wrecking train had thrown the engine out of the road and cleared the track, and when the express came down we flagged her and took Johnny aboard. All Jenny would tell us was that his father lived in New York, but gave the conductor an address for a wire.

"We didn't think that he would last the journey, and about half way down he suddenly clutched Jenny's hand hard, and then lay back still. The little girl threw herself upon him sobbing as if her heart would break, but it didn't do any good. Poor Johnny was gone."

Joe paused a moment and looked into the fire.

"Well," he said, "to cut it short, when we got into Jersey City Johnny's father was there. It didn't take more than a glance at his clothes and his portly bearing to tell me that he was a rich man. He sprang into the car, and would have pushed me out of the road. I knew who he was and I held onto him, and I said:

"'Wait a minute. Johnny was pretty badly hurt.'

"He grabbed me like a vise and said, in a sweet voice:

"'Can he live?'

"I shook my head, and he gasped:

"'Is he—'

"I led him over to where the boy lay, but he didn't want to see him. He looked very hard at the little girl who sat there sobbing, and said slowly:

"'Is this Jenny?'

"And then he took her very quietly in his arms and kissed her.

"I went to the funeral the next day. The old man's hair was turned white, and his face was as lined and rigid as though he was mounting a scaffold. He was twenty years older than the morning I saw him first. It seems that Johnny was brought up, like most boys, to have all the money he wanted. He got wild and in with a fast gang, and, to try to curb him, his father, who was a wealthy banker, got him a place in a store as cashier. Johnny's allowance wasn't enough, and he made it up out of the cash drawer. When it was discovered his father made up the amount, and then sent Johnny adrift. He never spoke to him afterward, and when Johnny, after a year's good service on the road, appealed to him for money enough to get married on, the old man returned his letter. I found it in Johnny's coat pocket the morning we took him home."

The train whistled for a station, and Joe, grabbing his lantern, escaped into the night and the falling snow.—New York Herald.

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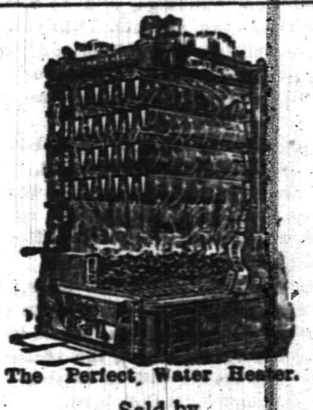

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Pakenham's Heroic Death In Battle.

The battle of New Orleans, Jan. 8, 1815, revealed the wonderful talent of Andrew Jackson and found a hero on the British side in Sir Edward Pakenham. Jackson had improved the time since the repulse of the enemy on Jan. 1 by adding to the defenses a second and a reserved line of parapets, behind which his men were distributed in a way to make their fire tell upon the assaulting columns. To all appearance the American position was impregnable. The colonel of the Forty-fourth, the British regiment chosen to cross the ditch and scale the walls, declared, "My men have been ordered to execution."

When the hour arrived to fire the signal rocket, and the Forty-fourth was not in position, Pakenham led forward the next in line, and seeing the soldiers falter on meeting the American fire he took off his hat and waved it, at the same time spurring his horse into the arena, where the shots were most deadly. A bullet shattered his bridle arm, which fell to his side, while his horse dropped dead beneath him. Mounting another, he rode with the front rank of the Highlanders as they advanced in lieu of the Forty-fourth on what looked to be a row of fiery furnaces along the American trenches. Realizing the desperate work before him, Pakenham called out to an aid near him, "Order up the reserves!" Again waving his hat and shouting to his men, he rode on with the Highlanders until a mass of grapeshot struck him down, killed his horse and shattered his thigh. Before he could be removed from the field a third shot entered his groin. He died before the battle was decided.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

A Cavalry Raid For Bread and Booty.

On the 8th of January, 1863, Springfield, Mo., the scene of Colonel Mulligan's memorable defense in 1861, was attacked by General Marmaduke's raiding columns of Confederates. Marmaduke acknowledged a strength of 2,000 troopers, including Shelby, with his famous horse battery under Captain Collins. The Union garrison, commanded by General E. B. Brown, consisted of the Eighteenth Iowa volunteers, three battalions of militia and a "quinine brigade," made up of convalescents from the hospitals, and also numbered 2,000. Marmaduke was tempted by the rich army stores rumored to exist at Springfield to turn aside from his raid and capture the town.

The attack opened at 10 o'clock, Marmaduke's line advancing gallantly, with a center column composed of dismounted men and three cannon, and cavalry on each flank. The dismounted men were repulsed in front of the principal work on the outskirts of the town, but Shelby's brigade, mustering 1,000 sabers, charged the position, capturing the one gun exposed outside the rampart, and also an unfinished stockade in the vicinity. Numerous sorties were made by the garrison to dislodge the enemy.

During this time Collins' battery kept up a vigorous bombardment, only feebly answered by the garrison on account of a lack of serviceable guns and cannoneers. When the battle was its height, General Brown rode through the streets to encourage his men to hold out and was treacherously shot down by a bullet fired from a window behind him. The combat lasted until dark, the advantage swinging from one side to the other alternately, but Marmaduke finally abandoned the attack, leaving his dead and wounded to the enemy.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Councilman Frost called on the editor of this paper at the meeting of the Common Council last night, to corroborate his statement concerning the attitude of the newspapers on the matter of printing the water-supply report, knowing that the editor had no privilege of replying at that time. The Press now states that the editors of The Press and The Courier-News made a proposition to Mr. Frost to print in their papers the report in question at a figure which would barely pay for the type-setting at the union rate of wages, which The Press voluntarily pays its compositors despite the fact that there is no union in Plainfield. The Press and The Courier-News refused to make any bid on the pamphlet job proposed, under the circumstances, which circumstances were that the local bidders were expected to compete against New York bidders whose alleged figure as quoted by Mr. Frost was less than the actual cost of composition at the rate of wages paid by The Press, to say nothing of the cost of white paper, pressework and binding. The Press took the position that the papers which print for nothing the year round, at the sacrifice of much all-night oil and reportorial sleep, the proceedings of the august councilmanic body, were entitled to all councilmanic printing there is going; and it objected and continues to object on principle to the limited publication by pamphlet of important public matters which the people are entitled to read in their local daily newspapers, papers which reach every home every day, while the pamphlets accumulate as junk in the Clerk's office.

—Howell Division, Sons of Temperance, will hold an entertainment, reception and supper in Reform Hall this evening.

SCHOOL FIRE ESCAPES.

Their Establishment Discussed and Deferred.

SPRING VACATIONS CRITICIZED.

Proposition to Abolish the Easter Holidays and Close the Schools that Much Earlier in June—Teachers to Be Consulted—The Board Decide to Have Bylaws—Report of Contagious Disease Denied.

The new Board of Education met last evening, Mr. Finch calling the body together at 8:15.

Mr. Lovell was chosen temporary chairman, and immediately afterwards Dr. J. B. Probasco was made president, Mr. Finch secretary, and F. B. Clark clerk.

President Probasco thanked the Board for the honor bestowed. He also said, "We have met the enemy, and crossed the bridge thus far, and this year gives much promise". He advised that members of the Board visit at least one school each month.

Mr. Finch agreed with the president in regard to this, and hoped that the Board would have more success this year in their undertakings.

Superintendent Maxson, in the absence of Clerk Clark, who was detained by illness, read the minutes of the December meeting, which were approved as read.

The monthly bills were read by Secretary Finch, and on motion of Mr. Lounsbury ordered paid.

One bill, which specified the purchase of a "dissecting instrument", was objected to by Dr. Probasco on account of the term used, and the wording was changed to a "case of instruments".

The new system of providing school books for the scholars had thus far cost $2,200, and the list is not entirely completed.

The electric light bill of the Bryant School was again very large, and Mr. Finch saw no reason why it should be almost double that of the others.

Dr. Jenkins explained the bill by saying that the janitor was obliged to use light in the cellar to do his work.

The report of Collector Johnson showed that $25,238 had been received and deposited in the two banks.

Treasurer Titsworth in a statement said that $60,066.95 State money had been received and deposited in the First National Bank.

A set of resolutions was read by Mr. Finch relative to the death of the late L. E. Clark. They were prepared by Mr. Finch, Dr. Probasco and Dr. Jenkins, committee. The Board accepted them and ordered that a copy be sent to the family and that they be spread on the minutes.

The question of fire escapes came up for discussion, Mr. Lounsbury stating that three of the five companies had communicated with the Board and made estimates. Mr. Wilkes of Trenton was present, and a set of complete plans was offered by him.

Mr. Lounsbury thought that every school building should be equipped. It would cost, he added, about $2,200 to place fire escapes on the nklin, Irving and Stillman buildings, and to comply with the State law all should have them.

The Committee on Buildings simply reported progress, and said they would call a special meeting soon to decide the matter.

Superintendent Maxson said that he had written to Dr. M. J. Whitford, clerk of the Dunellen schools, in regard to the tuition of outside scholars, and as yet had heard nothing from him. He intended looking into the matter.

Under the head of new business, Mr. Finch spoke of several complaints that had been made regarding the stones in the Bryant schoolyard, cutting the children's shoes. The matter will be attended to by the Committee on Buildings.

President Probasco announced the following Standing Committees for 1895:

Teachers—Probasco, Lovell, Finch.

Buildings and Repairs — Lounsbury, Probasco, Finch.

Fuel—Jenkins, Finch.

Finance—Finch, Lounsbury.

Books, Stationery and Supplies—Lovell, Jenkins, Finch.

Superintendent Maxson offered the following calendar for the year:

End of Winter term, March 29; beginning of Spring term, April 8; end of Spring term, June 21; beginning of Fall term, Sept. 9; end of Fall term, Dec. 20

Dr. Probasco brought up the old question of Spring vacation. He was in favor of doing away with it, and closing that much earlier in June. He thought it was a waste of time to have it, as the children can't play or ride their wheels at that season. Mr. Finch, Mr. Lovell, and Dr. Jenkins thought there were some good features about it, and were of the opinion that the children should have the vacation.

Mr. Lounsbury thought that the teachers were not overworked, nor the children, and that they have too much vacation, and too much time was already being lost.

He was in favor of cutting off Spring vacation and working right up to the time of closing, without the short session previous to Commencement. He said the girls in stores had to work hard and did not have nearly as much time as teachers. Practically there was no hard work about it.

Superintendent Maxson thought the vacation was a good thing.

It was decided that the Board should think it over and that Superintendent Maxson see the teachers and get their opinion of the matter.

Clerk Clark was authorized to have 800 copies of the report of the Superintendent and financial standing of schools printed, the same as last year.

Mr. Lounsbury offered a resolution that a committee of two be appointed to revise the bylaws and make them consistent with State law. After considerable discussion this was carried.

Mr. Finch thought that the Board had such extraordinary powers that such action was not necessary, and said that in years past the Boards were composed of men of good judgment who had not thought it necessary to have by-laws.

Mr. Lounsbury said he saw no reason why the Board should not have by-laws to guide them in their actions in the future.

Another resolution by Mr. Lounsbury, that the clerk and superintendent arrange and collate a system of rules for the government of schools, was not passed.

Prof. Maxson said that the report that there was a case of scarlet fever in the Irving School was untrue.

President Probasco appointed Mr. Lounsbury and Mr. Lovell as a By-laws Committee.

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When she entered the shop the old lady was sitting in the background, reading. The visitor stood there for a moment, and then began to examine the baskets on the counter. No one noticed her.

"What is the price of this basket?" she ventured at length.

The old lady looked up from her reading.

"Look on the bottom," she said, abruptly, and continued scanning the paper.

"And this?" said Mrs. Hayes, indicating another.

"Prices all marked on the bottom," was the brief reply.

The president's wife pursued her examination, and at length asked:

"Could you attend to me now? I would like to buy some of these."

The old lady did not move, but replied, with perfect kindliness:

"I can't be bothered now. You'll have to wait till I finish this piece. I'm reading about the president's going down to Cottage City."—Youth's Companion.

Shameful.

Closefist—If my daughter married you, she would have to starve.

Clarklets—That settles it; I wouldn't marry a girl whose father would let her starve.—Christmas Puck.

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Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

Plainfield, N. J.

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$12 ulsters for $8.50.

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

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To order your winter supply of

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We have completed our large plant on South avenue and are prepared to supply you with the best quality of Lehigh in the market. Also

Bluestone Flagging and Curbing.

12 large barrels best kindling wood for $2.

Leave orders at office, 171 North avenue, opposite depot.

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Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

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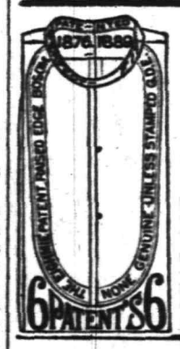

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The very same, this year, last year, next year.

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Best in the business and just as cheap.

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Clock Spring Blade. Soft as a Brush. Fits every Curve. The Only Perfect Comb. Used by U. S. Army and by Barnum and Forepaugh Circuses, and Leading Horsemen of the World. Ask your Dealer for It. Sample mailed post paid 25 cents. ...ve our name on the handle. SPRING CURRY COMB CO., 102 Lafayette St., South Bend, Indiana.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Aunty Tarty has gone back to the Home.

A bal poudre will be given in the Park club-house Jan. 22.

Carlos C. Gallup is confined to his home with an injured knee.

Miss Jennie Quick has returned from visiting at Basking Ridge.

Eugene Jobes has returned to his home on Third place after several years at military school.

Miss Mattie Wilson of Liberty Corner has returned home after visiting relatives in North Plainfield.

Mrs. John Kitchen of Lafayette place fell yesterday and fractured an arm in two places. Dr. Simpson attended her.

S. Clinton Crane has returned to the Columbia Law School after spending his Christmas vacation at his home on East Second street.

Herbert Johnston, who has been spending the Christmas holidays at his home on East Fifth street, has returned to his studies at Columbia College.

A fine entertainment of music and recitations will be given in the Park Club Saturday night. Miss Addie Parker Jackson and the boys orchestra will take part.

Miss Luettua Lunger has returned from a two-weeks visit with her grandparents at Stanton, accompanied her sister Miss Mattie, who has spent three months at the same place.

Dean Seton Coming.

The Rt. Rev. Mons. Seton of Jersey City, Dean of all the Monseignors of the United States will deliver a lecture on "Milton and His Works", in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Thursday evening at 8:30. Every one is cordially invited to be present and enjoy this eloquent and interesting lecturer.

This is a continuation of the Winter series of literary entertainments which are given every two weeks throughout the season.

The next of the course will be the lecture by Rev. Father O'Neill of Orange Valley, who takes for his subject "The Reigning Influence of Music", and will illustrate his discourse at intervals by songs in his own rich and beautiful voice.

Thursday evening musical selections will be rendered by members of the parish.

—A bachelors cotillion is being planned to be given in the Casino.

—Eugene Hoester has purchased the property known as the Jacob Adams homestead, at the corner of Somerset and Race streets, of Dr. D. C. Adams, and will remove his beer-bottling establishment thereto April 1.

—Edward White has secured the lease spoken of in The Press yesterday of the adjoining store owned by the Misses Conklin, and will cut three archways in the partition, making an immense store. Mr. White will need every bit of the increased space to accommodate his enormous business.

—Under existing postal regulations the letter-carriers are not allowed inside the postoffice between their regular trips, and they were thus compelled to pass away several hours outside the office as best they could. When the office is removed to the Babcock Building the carriers will have a room in which to pass the time between trips, and being organized they have over a hundred dollars in their treasury with which they will furnish their room.

New Departure at Edsall's.

The phenomenal success of Edsall's Commercial Palace has induced Mr. Edsall to extend even further his department specialties. He will remove his carpet department to the skylighted apartment under the sidewalk, and will replace it upstairs with a department of women's and children's made-up clothing.

In the front of the main store he will exhibit a full line of toilet articles, perfumes, etc.

In the basement he will establish a department of dry and fancy groceries, and will then have as complete a department store as the metropolis.

The reason Mr. Edsall puts in the grocery department is because of the demand of his patrons for these goods, many having been in the habit of buying them at the dry goods stores in New York.

Mr. Edsall says he is doing all in his power to keep the people of Plainfield from going to New York to do their trading.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Thorn of Craig place last evening.

—While Rev. Alexander Harrison Tuttle, pastor of the Roseville Methodist Episcopal Church, was at divine service Sunday a sneak thief entered his house at 523 Orange street, and got away with two overcoats.

—An invitation is extended to members of Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G. A. R., to be present this evening at the installation ceremonies of Post 73, Women's Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans.

—Early this morning the Borough officers found a valuable alderney, belonging to F. C. Jennings of Rockview avenue, wandering through the streets, and took the animal in out of the wet. She was claimed by her owner at 10 a. m.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. Armstrong, manager.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Mechanics Association will meet in S. of T. Hall this evening.

—Policeman Robinson was again on duty at Music Hall last evening.

—The Plainfield Cornet Band met last evening and rehearsed several new pieces.

—Lawyer George W. DeMeza appears for the defendants in the Elliot will case in New Brunswick today.

—Mr. Walsh has given up his dancing class, and has moved to Cranford, where he has charge of a class.

—Fanwood Council, No. 744, Royal Arcanum, will have a public installation and reception this evening.

—Putnam & DeGraw have about completed their yearly task of taking account of stock, and are offering many good bargains in dry goods.

—A stone wagon broke down on the upper end of the Somerset street trolley road, between 12 and 1, this noon, and delayed travel for a half-hour.

—The regular Plainfield bowling team will bowl the Juniors on the Trade alleys tomorrow evening, and Thursday evening the former team will bowl the Casino team in Finderne.

—Justice Mosher has begun the new year by the abolishment of credit at his place of business. Large signs tell the purchaser that he must pay cash. The Justice's cigars are worth paying for.

—John Michael Roy of Bull Frog City, while full of enthusiasm last night at 11, fell on the sidewalk and slightly cut his head. On his faithful promise to go home, Policeman Frederickson allowed him to pass "over the Rhine".

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

Exciting Hurdle Riding.

Interest and novel exhibitions of high hurdling were given, both in saddle and bareback, in the Riding Academy last night. Messrs. A. C. Vail, J. W. Johnson, William J. Roome, and J. J. Coard were in saddle, and cleared the hurdles at 4 feet 3 inches. The most exciting feature of the evening was the wonderful performance of Stephenson's famous hunters, Nimrod, Viewhalloa, Glendale and Lyndhurst, which were ridden by Messrs. D. Witherspoon, Branbarui, Fitch and Stephenson, who, mounted bare bareback on the noble animals, cleared the five-foot hurdles amid rounds of applause. The laughter was uproarious when Proprietor Stephenson in executing some especially difficult movements measured his length in the tanbark.

—The total indebtedness of the world is estimated at one hundred billion dollars. Whew! Better keep out of debt by dealing at Peck's cash store.

AN INTERESTING LETTER.

DR. DAVID KENNEDY—Dear Sir—I am 60 years old and generally played out, or so I thought up to two weeks ago, when I commenced to use Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

For years I have suffered with inflammation of the bladder and kidneys, and have gradually grown worse. Besides constant pain in the kidneys and bladder, I have had rheumatic in every muscle and joint, and have often remarked that there was not a man living that had suffered as much as I had, but I must say that I had not for a single day in five years felt as well in every way as I do now. Have improved daily since I began the use of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. About a week ago I gave a man afflicted with bladder trouble part of a bottle of Favorite Remedy, and he said to me today—"That is a great medicine; I am better already," and he drove eight miles to a druggist to get a bottle. Respectfully yours,

S. I. YOUNG, Hiram, Ohio.

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Paints,
Oils and
Varnish,
Carpets,
Rugs,
Stationery,
Window Shades,
Cigars,
Bicycles.

LOVE'S,

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"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

—Rogers has just received a shipment of 60,000 oysters.

—An amatuer minstrel performance will be given at the Casino in February for the benefit of the Muhlenberg Hospital.

—The Borough Commissioners of Dunellen last night unanimously decided to separate the borough from the township.

—Minnie Lester and Company opened to a crowded house in Music Hall last night, and the indications are for a week of tremendous business as this popular company deserve.

—Special oyster sales have been inaugurated at Rogers's seafood market, with much success, and continue to take place Wednesday afternoons and Saturday afternoons and evenings. For cash at those times Rogers sells oysters at 30 cents a quart, and that they are of prime quality is certain since they come from Rogers's.

"Nothing Venture, Nothing Have."

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mon., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement. "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, pastor Central Presbyterian Church, Helena, Mon.

It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and is worth its weight in gold. I can use Ely's Cream Balm with safety and it does all that is claimed for it—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

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One solid week, commencing

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The Favorite

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Prices 10, 20 and 30c. Matinee Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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Why pay 10c for a cigar when for 5c you can get one of the famous Nickel-Ins at Conover's, 25 Somerset st. 10 31 3m

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With livery attached,

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ASSIGNEE'S SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, assignee of Sylvester Sharkey, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the county of Union, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of March next.

Dated January 7, 1895.

1 8 10-oaw CHARLES B. CLIFFTON.

ADVERTISED LETTERS,

Postoffice, Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 7, 1895.

Applegate Minnie	Lafond Albert
Aten Milton	Lukens Mrs Albert W
Bland Miss Molly	McMillan Lilia
Case John	Mendel Mr
Comstock Mrs M T	Nuttle William
Drake Mrs R	Reiche L
Dunham Mayo	Randolph Miss J A
Ellis Charles	Teeple Sadie
Hawkins Elvira	VanWinkle Mrs W
Whiting Mrs A R	

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Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

VERY fine Chickering second-hand piano for sale; price $75; cash or installments. Fred K. Durand, Babcock Building. 1 4 6

COLORED woman wants situation at housework; good reference. Call 241 West Front street, up stairs. 1 4 tf

WANTED—Situation as coachman gardener and useful man in private family; best reference. Adolph Sera, Westfield, N. J.

TO LET—4 rooms $5, West 6th street; house for sale, New st Inquire 110 West 2d st. 1 8 2

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J 1 4 tf

COW, fresh with calf, for sale. Address C. O. W., postoffice, Plainfield, N. J. 1 8 2

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply 147 East 5th st. 1 8 3

ALDERNEY cow for sale; kind and gentle; fresh Feb. 15. Call 1115 W. Front st. 1 8 5

ROOM to let with or without board. 323 East 5th st. 12 29 tf

SIX room house for sale at a bargain on Astor place, near Clinton ave; terms to suit the buyer. Inquire W. H. Bohl, 196 Somerset st. 1 2 tf

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Rough, painful, perhaps bleeding hands are bad enough, but what annoys you most is the untidy looks which scrubbing seems only to make worse and which nothing but warm weather will quite remedy. Yet lots of people find relief in a simple mixture prepared by us from lemon juice and glycerine—names which suggest comfort and cure. Glycerine is everywhere used, but people forget the cleansing and whitening properties of lemon juice and its power of neutralizing the bad effect of strong soaps. REYNOLDS'S LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE once used is never forgotten. Sprinkler bottles 25c. REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY, Park and North avenues.

THE TWO VAN'S

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Underwear.

Winter Underwear for ladies, for gentlemen, for misses, for boys, for infants, at our regular popular prices.

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Corner Store, Babcock Building, Front St. and Madison ave.

LOOK at the barrel of Licorice in our window.

Note the large size sticks and see the price, only

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AT YOUR OWN PRICE.

Odds, Ends and Remnants.

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We find, after stock taking, several styles of Bedroom Suits, Parlor Suits and different patterns of Carpets that we do not intend to keep any more, and we will close them out at nearly your own price.

Parlor suits	$20
Bedroom suits	$10
Brussels carpet, per yard	50cts
Extra super ingrain carpet, per yard	50cts
Cotton chain ingrain carpet, per yard	25cts
Good bed lounges	$7
Parlor stoves	at your own price.

Note the name Amos before entering the store.

PORTLAND RANGES—The leading range in the city, and we will wager $25 that that there is more sold of that range than any other in the city. Why? Simply because it is the cheapest. Cheapest because it is the best; good baker, good draught and several improvements connected with it make it the most complete range manufactured. Easy terms.

STORING FURNITURE—At 88, 90 and 92 Bank st. You will find the largest and most complete storage building in the State. All lockers rooms at reasonable rates. Furniture packed and moved with vans in city or county at moderate charges.

Telephone 580.

AMOS H. VAN HORN, Limited,

73 Market Street, nearest Plane street. Newark, N. J.

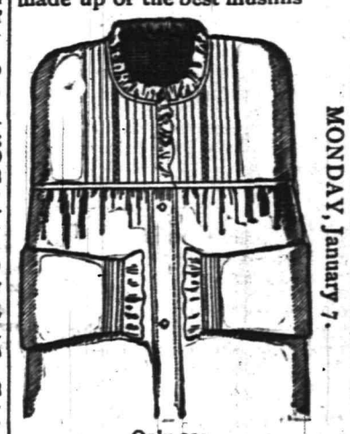
GREAT UNDERWEAR SALE MONDAY Jan. 7.

Great sale of

25 & 50c Muslin Underwear

MONDAY, Jan. 7.

This sale will continue for one week at these prices. You can save 50c. on every dollar's worth you buy. Every article brand new and made up of the best muslins



Only 25c.

This is the time of year when you should buy muslin underwear. The bargain seeker will take advantage of this sale, because they know a good thing when they see it.

Great sale of 25 and 50c Muslin Underwear MONDAY, January 7.

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MONDAY, Jan. 7.

During the dull season merchants will sell goods at a small profit to force business. We are satisfied with no profit; we do this to keep up our record.

MONDAY, JAN. 7.

Only 50c.

This is not a one article sale, but includes corset covers, skirts, night dresses and drawers; we have 100 dozen of each price and can easily suit you; we are sure to have a rush on these goods. To avoid this you should call early.

Ask for a card that will entitle you to an elegant piece of furniture when your purchase aggregates $10, $15 or $25.

BOEHM'S, 113 West Front Street.

Don't Be Afraid

To send the children when they want Shoes. They will be waited upon just as carefully as if you came with them. One price and your money back if you want it.

ALEX. WILLETT & SON,

107 Park Avenue.

January Attractions.

Not many attractive things about January except the attractive prices that we are going to put on our entire stock. It means business without profit to us; to you a chance to make your money go farther.

Such as These.

Muslins

Fruit of the Loom	6½c
Lonsdale muslin	6½c
Dwight Anchor	6½c
Lonsdale cambric	5c
Heavy bleached sheeting 10x4	17c
" " " 9x4	16c
" " " 8x4	14c
Heavy pillow case muslin 5x4	9c

Table Linen

70 inch cream damask..... 38c

Dress Goods

A wonderful difference in the prices you will find on dress goods. We have cut the prices on every piece in the store; they all go at cost and below.

Coat Department

About that coat, now is the time you want it and you save a few dollars on it by buying it here. We sell every coat and cape in the store at cost.

Hosiery & Underwear

Same sort of reductions we have made in the prices of ladies' gentlemen's and children's underwear, hosiery and gloves. Just try us.

Horse Owners

It don't pay to go without blankets, when you can buy the 5-A blankets at just what they cost. That's the way we are selling them.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

To Keep the Ball Rolling.

We're going to sell this week all of our Clothing at greatly reduced prices.

No old stock, everything new and fashionable. The list is too long to quote. You'll have to come in and see the goods.

We will also offer some "big bargains" in our Hat and Gent's Furnishings Goods Department.

Suits and Trousers to order at short notice.

Good fit and workmanship guaranteed. Should you be in need of anything in our line, would be pleased to have you call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

WERNER'S,

206 West Front st.

Xmas wreaths and wreathing,
Holly, shade trees,
Hedge plants, Palms,
Ferneries, Bermuda lilies, etc.,

L. J. DENTON

131 Hillside avenue. 12 12 y

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Mrs. Dr. Edwards

Has returned to Plainfield to visit her children and will remain a short time only. Call at once at

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,

one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1 00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Can be consulted at the City Hotel, Room 2, one flight up. 1 3 6

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TAKE THE BEST

25cts., 50cts. and $1.00 Bottle. One cent a dose.

THIS GREAT COUGH CURE promptly cures where all others fail. Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough and Asthma. For Consumption it has no rival: has cured thousands, and will CURE YOU if taken in time. Sold by Druggists on a guarantee. For a Lame Back or Chest, use SHILOH'S BELLADONNA PLASTER, 25c.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.

Have you Catarrh? This remedy is guaranteed to cure you. Price 50 Cts. Injector free.

Sold by all druggists.

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To Old Point Comfort
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Or Virginia Beach, Va.
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$16 Old Point Comfort, $16 Virginia Beach, $17 **$17**

INCLUDING EVERY EXPENSE

of meals and berths enroute, and a day and a quarter's board at the hotels.

These trips are ideal, as a considerable portion is made through the quiet waters of the famous Hampton Roads and there is little likelihood of seasickness.

Also tickets on sale, with privilege of going or returning by rail.

Write for particulars of these and other delightful trips to

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But the best shirt made is the "Pride". We keep them in two qualities—69c and 48c.

The 69c quality is made of Utica Nonpareil muslin (the best shirting made) and 1,900 linen reinforced sleeves and front.

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Real Estate and Insurance,

177 NORTH AVENUE.

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Good Oats, go to W. J. Tunison If you want good feed, go to W. J. Tunison. If you want good hay, go to W. J. Tunison. If you want good flour, go to

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Toys, Games, Wagons, Velocipedes, Tricycles,

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Your valuables will be safe in

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From $3.50 to $10.00 a year.

GREAT DAMAGE FEARED

The Sudden Thaw Causing the Rivers to Rise.

Much Alarm Felt Along the Monongahela and Allegheny Rivers—Bridges Over the Ohio Washed Away—Floods in West Virginia—People Moving to High Ground.

Pittsburg, Jan. 8.—The Allegheny and Monongahela rivers are rising rapidly. The indications are that much damage to property will be occasioned by the high water and heavy ice. The principal damage, so far, is in the upper pools of the Monongahela river, to unprotected coal boats and loaded coal floats. Both rivers are full of huge cakes of ice and running like torrents.

A great quantity of wreckage is noticed among the ice, indicating destruction of fences and small buildings. Rivermen say that they expect thirty feet of water by to-day noon, with good prospects of much more.

All the boats in the harbor have steam up, doing what they can to escape the rushing ice. The docks at McKeesport, together with the ferryboat Sinclair, broke away yesterday but were captured and tied up. The reports of twenty-five feet of water at lock No. 4 and twenty-three feet at Morgantown almost caused a panic among the coal operators, as this means heavy losses to them.

Along both river fronts in Pittsburg merchants and others whose property is exposed are preparing to vacate. In some places water has already appeared in the sub-cellars and machinery pits. Railroads both east and west are experiencing much trouble from high water. On the Baltimore & Ohio railroad a huge landslide occurred near Connelsville and through traffic was temporarily suspended.

Clearfield, Pa., Jan. 8.—There is a big flood in the Susquehanna river at this point. The ice, which was a foot thick, has broken up and went out without gorging, and the river is rising a foot an hour. Great damage is feared. Rain has fallen steadily since early Sunday morning.

Cincinnati, Jan. 8.—The heaviest rainfall since the establishment of the weather bureau in this city, has been registered. There was a steady downpour Sunday and Sunday night, sweeping the entire mass of snow into the sewers and streams.

The Ohio river began to swell rapidly on Sunday evening, and from that time until the present a rise of nearly fifteen feet is recorded. Considerable damage has been done in the Mill Creek valley. The race track at Lockland is under water, and the aqueduct over the canal is said to be in danger. At Ivorydale, a number of outhouses were washed away. The gardeners in the valley will be heavy losers, as all of their hotbeds are flooded.

Bellaire, O., Jan. 8.—There is every indication of the flood of 1894 being repeated. The river is rising rapidly in consequence of incessant rain for over thirty-six hours. The ice in the Ohio river and its tributaries broke up and ran out yesterday morning. Several barges were lost. Two bridges on the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling railroad were washed away. Steamers in their moorings here were not damaged. All the snow has melted and is gone. The lowlands are badly flooded. People are moving to higher grounds.

Clarksburg, W. Va., Jan. 8.—At midnight the West Fork river was fifteen feet two inches above low water and rising rapidly at the headwaters. There is much destruction of property along the line of the river above this place, and particularly at Weston, where the entire lower portion of the valley is reported to be flooded.

At Hinton, W. Va., the New river has gone out of its banks and the lower part of the town is submerged.

At Parkersburg the sudden rise of Little Kanawha upset the steamer Oneida and completely wrecked it. No lives were lost.

Two Bodies Unearthed.

Albany, Jan. 8.—The bodies of two of the victims of the Delavan house fire was unearthed from the ruins last evening. They were found in the debris in the cellar, and were directly under the attic where the fifteen servants are supposed to have been trapped on account of the rapid spread of the flames.

Jackson After Corbett.

Glasgow, Jan. 8.—At a boxing exhibition here last evening Peter Jackson publicly challenged Corbett to meet him and declared that he would not retire from the ring without beating the American champion. His speech was hailed with cries of "That's right!" Jackson has sent no reply to Craige.

Wants $5,000 Damages.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 8.—Alexander Covert, of this city, has brought suit for $5,000 damages against the New Haven Street Railway company. He was on one of the cars that collided on the Whitney avenue branch of the road on New Year's day and was badly injured.

Big Shoe Factory Resumes.

Dover, N. H., Jan. 8.—The L. P. Dodge company of Newburyport started up its big Dover street shoe shop to-day under the firm name of J. H. Ireland & Co. It expects to employ 800 persons when the shop is running full force. The shop has been idle two years.

The Ging Murder Case.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 8.—The case of C. A. Blixt, the confessed murderer of Catherine Ging, was called yesterday and re-set to Jan. 27, the date of Harry Hayward's trial.

Child Fatally Torn by Dogs.

Pittsburg, Jan. 8.—Maud Williams 16 years old, was attacked by two dogs on Troy Hill, Allegheny, and was so badly injured that she is expected to die.

Judge Hoar Better.

Concord, Mass., Jan. 8.—Judge Hoar spent a comfortable night and it is expected will be allowed to get up for a short time to-day.

GIFTS TO COLUMBIA COLLEGE.

Important Announcements Made by the Board of Trustees.

New York, Jan. 8.—Three important announcements were made at the regular monthly meeting of the board of trustees of Columbia college. Chairman W. C. Schermerhorn, who presided, first announced a subscription of $350,000 from the Messrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, William K. Vanderbilt Frederick W. Vanderbilt and George W. Vanderbilt for the erection of two additional buildings to the Vanderbilt clinic. He supplemented this announcement with a second to the effect that Mrs. W. D. Sloane, who was a Vanderbilt, and her husband, had subscribed $200,000 for the erection of an addition to the Sloane Maternity hospital. The third announcement was that two gentlemen had guaranteed the necessary half a million dollars for the erection of two new buildings of Columbia college on Riverside Heights. The names of the two gentlemen were withheld.

The gift of Cornelius Vanderbilt and his three brothers is given in memory of their father, William H. Vanderbilt, who built the present Vanderbilt clinic. Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt and his brothers will also defray the cost of equipping both buildings thoroughly and efficiently.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloane will completely equip the new addition to the Maternity hospital and Mrs. Sloane has guaranteed during her life time to meet all expenses exceeding the present endowment.

Work on the new buildings will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit and will be pushed as rapidly as possible to completion. The board of trustees accepted the gifts with appropriate resolutions.

FOR IRELAND'S WELFARE.

Mr. Gladstone Says the Nationalists Should Forget Their Differences.

London, Jan. 8.—Thomas O'Connor, representing the American organization of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, presented to Mr. Gladstone an album with an illuminated address which was prepared in March, 1894 on the occasion of Mr. Gladstone's retirement. Mr. Gladstone received Mr O'Connor and the gentlemen with him very heartily. He looked ruddy and animated and talked with much spirit. After inquiring into the history of the society and its list of members Mr. Gladstone expressed his gratitude for the compliment paid him in the address.

Mr. Gladstone declares his interest in Ireland and the Irish whose cause he said, he should keep at heart to the end of his life. He regretted the divisions in the ranks of Ireland's leaders. The country's chances of obtaining her rights would never be as bright as they ought to be until all nationalists would unite. Domestic discord must mean necessarily the postponemnt of any realization of their claims for their one cause. Everybody in any way able to assist in the reunion of the factions was bound to do so. Anybody promoting discord undertook a terrible responsibility which might mean untold injury to the cause of justice to Ireland. He hoped strongly that some agency soon would be found to unite the national ist groups. He trusted that Ireland's many and influential friends in America should move vigorously for peace in the ranks of the national leaders. They should appeal to the Irish members of the house of commons to forget, for Ireland's welfare, their present differences.

THE STITCHERS' TROUBLES.

No Sign of Giving Up the Contest from Either Side.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 8.—At a meeting of the Women Stitchers' union over 100 new members were initiated. Addresses were made by Agent T. T. Pomeroy, James T. Carsy, Miss Mary Mason and David Holmes of England. The latter said the stitchers must take into account that they were not only contending for their own rights, but for women workers everywhere. Arrangements were completed for a big parade this evening.

The state board of arbitration held a conference with labor leaders at union headquarters, but no decisive action was taken. It is understood, however, that the board suggested some plan for settling the trouble, but there seems to be no sign of giving up the contest on either side as yet.

Appraiser McClure's Report.

New York, Jan. 8.—Lawyer David McClure, who, in March, 1893, was appointed appraiser by the surrogate to fix the value of the estate of the late Jay Gould at the time of his death with a view to determining the amount of tax that should be imposed upon the personal property, has made his report, by which he finds the value of the personal estate of the late millionaire to be upwards of $80,000,000.

Tried to Pass Counterfeit Money.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 8.—John Quesky, a Pole, who gives New York as his place of residence, has been arrested charged with passing as good money a $100 counterfeit bill upon Felix Gelbert, an Oak street grocer. Quesky was about to leave the city when arrested.

Over One Hundred Drowned.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 8.—There was an explosion on a pleasure steamer off Nictheroy yesterday. The steamer caught fire and scores of passengers were forced to leap overboard to escape the flames. It is reported that over 100 were drowned.

Believed To Be the "Strangler."

Denver, Jan. 8.—Alphonse Lemaire, a vagabond French sailor, who arrived in this city last August from Salt Lake City, is now believed by many to be the "strangler" whose crimes caused such a sensation.

Suicide of a Bandmaster.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Thomas R. Deveroll, one of the best known bandmasters in the country, committed suicide in a cheap lodging house, at 627 Fulton street, by inhaling gas. He was 67 years of age.

Well Known Traveling Man Dead.

Meriden, Conn., Jan. 8.—K. V. R. Albertson, Australian representative for the Meriden Britannia company, is dead in Melbourne. He was well known among traveling men.

Local Weather Forecast.

Fair; colder; northwesterly winds.

TOO TRIVIAL FOR NOTICE

So Judge Ricks Says of the Charges Against Him.

The Memorial Presented to the House of Representatives by S. J. Ritchie, Akron, O., Claims Alleged Conspiracy To Defraud Him of Millions—Ex-Senator Payne Involved.

Cincinnati, Jan. 8.—Judge Ricks, of Cleveland, who is sitting in the court of appeals here, says in reference to the charges made against him yesterday in the house of representatives, that they are too trivial for notice.

He says the case in question was heard by himself and Judge Jackson, now of the supreme court, who concurred in the decision. Later Circuit Judge Turton made a similar decision, sitting with me.

The charges made against Judge Ricks are contained in a memorial presented to the house of representatives, and Representative Johnson, of Ohio, secured immediate consideration for a resolution instructing the judiciary committee to investigate the charges and without debate the resolution was adopted.

The charges are made under oath by S. J. Ritchie, of Akron, O., a wealthy capitalist of that section. While directed mainly at Judge Ricks they indirectly affect Judge Burke and ex-United States Senator Payne, of Cleveland.

The memorial covers twelve typewritten pages and tells of the discovery of valuable copper and nickel deposits at Sudbury Junction in Canada by the memorialist in 1885 which have become of world-wide fame and have supplied all the nickel for armor plates used in the United States navy and by European governments. In order to develop them, to organize corporations and to build a connecting railway, he says he associated with himself Stevenson Burke, Henry B. Payne and Thomas W. Cornell, "who were at that time believed by him to be honorable and trustworthy."

The corporations were known as the Canadian Copper company and Anglo-American Iron company, with principal offices at Cleveland. Mr. Ritchie avers that in 1889 he negotiated in England for the sale of the property for fifteen millions, when his petition alleges his associates "commenced to put into execution a thoroughly planned and infamous scheme to 'rob' himself and his wife, who had the largest interests." To assist them in their designs it is charged Judge Ricks, to whose court a suit was transferred, prostituted his office and became their seubservient and pliant tool.

He charges Burke, Payne and Cornell with having appropriated $2,500,000 of his securities, and says they prevented the sale of the mines, causing him to lose $6,000,000. He charges that Ricks is in the conspiracy, decides adversely to him and his wife, and refuses to let him or his lawyers have access to the books of the concern.

The charges will doubtless be considered by the judiciary committee in connection with those preferred against Judge Ricks by the Cleveland Labor union.

TALKING OF A STRIKE.

The Demands of the Brooklyn Trolley Men Have Been Refused.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 8.—The committee appointed by the Brooklyn district assembly of the Knights of Labor to wait upon all the street railroad presidents, in order to make terms for the coming year, has almost completed its work and the result is anything but satisfactory to the employes. They wanted an increase of 25 cents a day in their pay, as well as other concessions from the companies, but were met with a blank refusal in each case.

The committee of the employes will report back to the district assembly to-morrow. Then the report will be submitted to the various local assemblies and they will act upon it before any strike is ordered.

The motormen and conductors of the Brooklyn City railroad held a secret meeting on Sunday and expressed their positive intention of striking unless their demands were acceded to.

Killed by the Cars.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 8.—Alfred Edwards, for 25 years an employe of the Boston & Maine railroad, as freight agent and afterward messenger for the company, was caught between two freight cars in the Lincoln square yard and instantly killed. He was 55 years old and a war veteran.

Murderer Eisminger Captured.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 8.—John Eisminger, a murderer who escaped from the jail at Greensburg, has been captured at New Orleans and at the request of District Attorney Roes the governor has telegraphed the governor of Louisiana requesting him to waive the usual formality of a requisition.

Jumped Overboard and Drowned.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 8.—Frank Usher, son of Luke Usher of Potsdam, N. Y., said to be one of the wealthiest men in that section, committed suicide by jumping into the ocean from the steamship City of Birmingham, off Hatteras, N. C.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR — Unchanged. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.35.

WHEAT—Firm. No. 2 red, 62⅝c.

CORN—Quiet. No. 2 red, 53c.; steamer, 50½c.

OATS—Firm. No. 2 white, 38c.; No. 2 mixed, 34⅛@34⅜c.

PORK—Firm. Extra prime, 13.50@16.00; mess, 12.75@13.25.

LARD—Quiet. January, 7.20.

BUTTER—Strong. Creamery, State and Pennsylvania, fresh extras, 23@24c.; creamery, western extras, 26@26½c.

CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fancy, 12¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Firm. Western, 25c.

SUGARS—Unchanged. Granulated, 3 3-16@4c.

BEEVES—Firm. Common to medium, 4.00@4.80; native sides, 6¾@9c.

SHEEP—Steady. Fair to medium, [illegible] dressed mutton, 4½@7c.

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8 42 p. m.—PACIFIC EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, daily, for Pittsburg, Columbus, Chicago, and Toledo, daily, except Saturday for Cleveland.

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Sundays, 1, 9 06, 9 36 a. m., 9 41 p m.

For Baltimore only 1 57 p. m., week-days

For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 24, 5 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 01, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 38, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9[illegible], 10 20, 10 38, 10 49 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 12, 1[illegible], 1 56, 2 24, 2 40, 2 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 44, 5[illegible], 5 36, 5 48, 6 06, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 28, 7 59, 8 [illegible], 9 10, 9 50, 10 03 11 03 and 11 56 p. m.

Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 25, 1 46, 2 23, 2 45, 3 45, 4 45, 5 34, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30 9 15, 10 16, and 11 46 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 01, 5 57, 7 19 9 06, 9 36, 11 45, a. m., 1 06, 1 37, 3 33, 5 06, 6 26 7 46, 9 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6[illegible] 9 06, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Pahway—1, 1 43 daily ex. Monday, 4 06, 6 44, 7 10, 7 59, 8 54, 9 46, 9 50, 10 59, 11 43, a. m., 12 46, 1 18, 1 37, 2 48 3 20, 3 29, 3 59, 4 38 4 43, 5 20, 5 40, 6 06, 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 45, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 46, 8 14, 8 55, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 1, 1 43, 6 59, 43, 9 49, 10 25 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 2 47, 3 28, 4 50, 5 20, 5 40, 7 21, 7 27, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 06, 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 06, 1 37, 2 48, 3 59, 4 38, 5 06, 5 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 06, 9 36 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 3 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 26, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 36, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 26, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 55, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 01, 5 57, 7 19, 7 59, 9 06, 9 36, 11 45 A. M.; 1 06, 1 37, 2 48, 5 06, 6 26, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 9 09, 9 06 9 36 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2.48 and 6.26 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 06 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 06 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 12 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

For Sea Side Park, Island Heights and Toms River—12 46, p m.

For Boston—8 46 p. m., daily.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 10, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 8 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 8 32, 6 29, 8 30, 7 26, 7 30, 8, 8 48 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 16, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 34, 7 09, 8 30, 10 17 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 07, 8 32, 10 08, 11 26, A. M 12 32, 1 45, 3 30, 5 26, 7 11, 8 32, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 08, 11 26 A. M., 1 15, 1 36, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 3 56, 4 06, 4 40, 5 04, 5 54, 6 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 38, 8 42, 10 05, 11 [illegible] P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 M, A. M., 1 10, 2 26, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 26, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 02, 2 02, 3 22, 3 55, 4 26, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 8 19, 9 32, 9 12, 10 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—6 45, 8 20 9 34, A. M., 2 08, 3 29, 6 14, 6 25, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 55, 7 45, 8 20, 9 08, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 3 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 25, 6 26, 6 26, 7, 6 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 03, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 2 08, 3 05, 5 14, [illegible] 9 21 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 8 28 A. M., 3 05, 8 25, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 38 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 32, A. M. 6 40, 7 00, P. M

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m, 5 05 p.m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 48 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 P. M., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 02 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 4 38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 9, 10 27, a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 9 37, a. m., 3 50 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37 5 28, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 03 p.m. Sunday—8 51, a. m., 7 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18 3 51, 4 50 p.m.

For Boynton Beach 8 00 10 27 a m 1 18, 3 12 p m

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, 8 46 9 48, 12 45, p. m., 2 08*, 5 34* 6 45 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—5 45, 9 46, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 28*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 45 p. m., 1 12 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 46, a. m. 2 08, 5 34* 6 45 p. m. 1 12, night. Sundays—9 46 a. m., 2 08, 5 14* 6 45 p. m. 1 12, night.

For Chattanooga, New Orleans and all points south with through vestibule sleeper, via Shenandoah Valley Route at 5 34 p m. Sundays 5 14 p m.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points west, week-days at 9 54 a m., 8 22 p. m. Sundays 6 45 p. m

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA, Reading Terminal, 4 10, 8 30, 9 10, 11 35 a.m., 1 30 3 50 5 15, 6 04, 9 25, p.m., 12 10, night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19, a m. 3 40, 6 19, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 55, 12 19 p m, 3 50, 6 19, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

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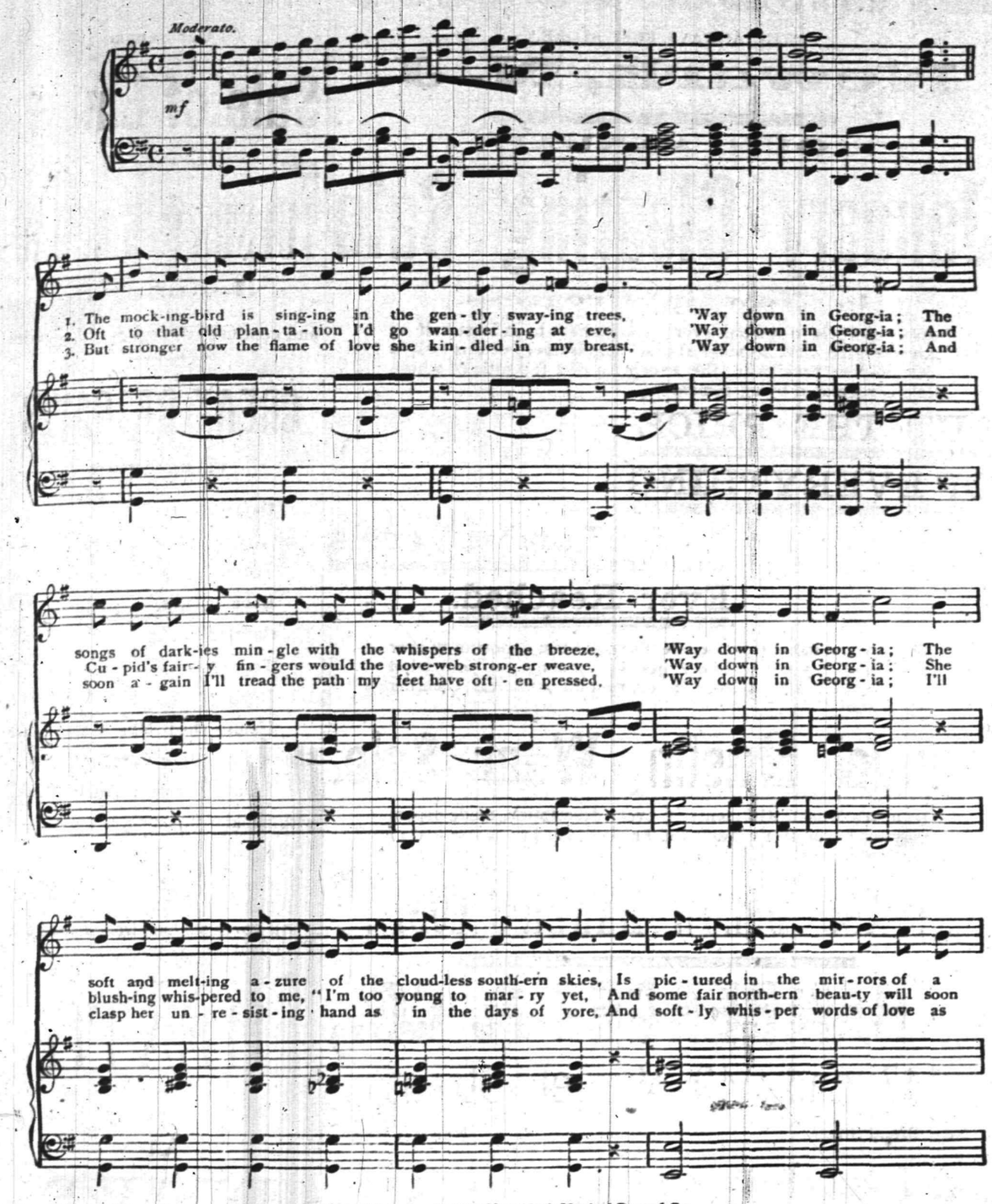

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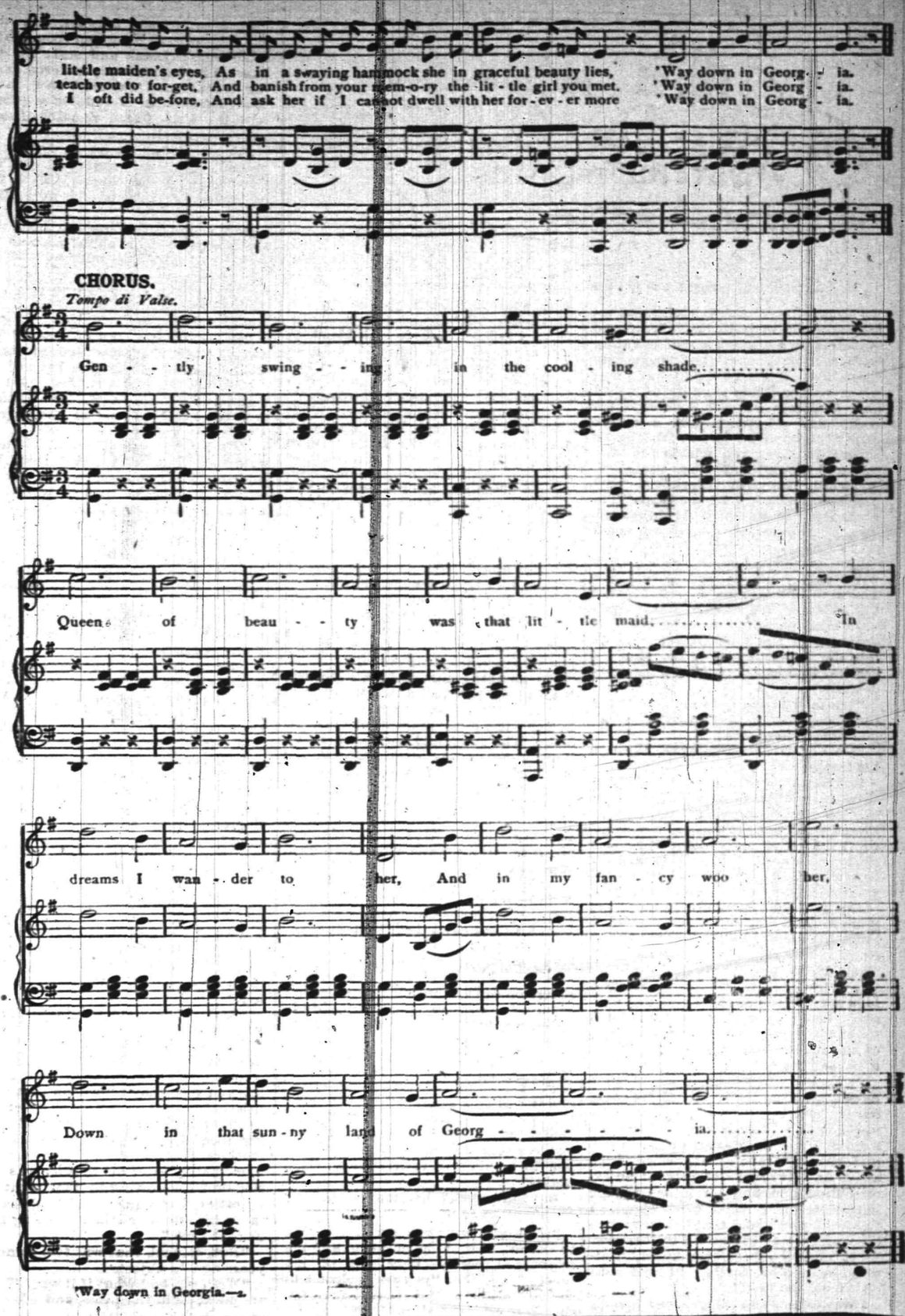

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The sound was not repeated, and we had nothing to guide us. We found ourselves in a passage communicating with a saloon, small but gorgeously furnished. There was gold and silver plate on the table; curtains of velvet and hangings of silk decorated the walls and doorways; and a carved ebony chest in a corner, with the lid thrown back, showed within a mass of splendid jewelry and other valuables. A sword, its hilt sparkling with precious stones, lay on the floor. The place was like a room in Aladdin's palace. But no sign either of life or death was visible.

We passed through this cabin with only a glance at its contents. There would be time enough for such things later. We entered another passage, and presently came to a square aperture in the floor, opening down into the lower region of the ship. A vertical iron ladder offered a means of descent.

"We may as well take a look below there, colonel," said I, quietly. "Will you remain here, or—"

"Go on, sir!" he answered, through his teeth.

Down we went. An atmosphere as of ages dead and decayed crept into our nostrils. Arrived at the bottom, there was not space to stand upright. I trod on something that caused me to start back. I turned the light of the lantern up and down the floor. They lay in rows, four deep; there may have been two hundred of them in that noisome crypt, forty feet long by twenty wide. They were chained one to another, neck and leg. Their black skin clung to their bones like wrinkled leather. But their sufferings must have been over ages and ages ago. Death had released them from their slavery centuries before the idea of emancipation first dawned in the mind of man.

"I doubt whether that sound could have come from here, colonel; we could hardly have heard it so plainly on the upper deck," I began; but I was interrupted by a repetition of the same plaintive whimper, evidently from above us. The colonel uttered an exclamation, and had scrambled up the ladder before I could turn round. I followed, and found that he had groped his way back to the saloon in the dark.

"It must be here, you know," muttered he, apologetically. "I was sure of it from the first."

I was tempted to compliment him on his activity, but I forbore. I looked round the little saloon. There must be some state-rooms hereabouts. I pushed my hand against one of the silken hangings, and felt a vacancy beyond. I drew the fabric aside, and stepped into a small chamber some twelve feet long by six wide. The colonel was at my heels.

A bed, or bunk, was built against the side of the vessel opposite us. It was covered with drapery of fine cambric, with a satin coverlid. Propped upon the pillows lay a woman between twenty and thirty years of age, apparently, and of remarkable beauty. Her dark hair fell down over her

THERE LAY A WOMAN OF REMARKABLE BEAUTY.

shoulders. Her eyes were closed; but as we entered, they quivered, and slowly opened. Their glance, dark and penetrating, rested on us for an instant, and then they closed once more. A faint sigh stirred the lace upon her bosom, and she lay still.

By her side lay an infant, not more than a few weeks old. The little creature rested on its back; its plump little legs and arms were kicking and brandishing in air. Its eyes were tightly shut; but as we stared upon it, they opened, and it uttered a quavering cry—the cry of a baby just emerging from sleep and in want of its natural nourishment.

"Bless my soul!" faltered the honest colonel. "Bless my soul! A live baby, in the midst of all this!"

I put my finger on the mother's wrist. It was already cold, and there was no pulse. Her beautiful face changed even as we stood there; it became pinched and cadaverous. The figure seemed to sink into itself and wither up. It was as if she had been miraculously preserved during unknown years, until her infant should be saved. But the infant—he was real and substantial; he did not dwindle and vanish before our eyes. The colonel, however, seemed to fear that he would, for he caught him up in his arms and pressed him to his manly, but tender old heart.

"It makes me feel like a man again to get hold of it," quoth he, in a shaken voice, while two tears ran down the side of his warlike nose. "Here's a real piece of warm flesh and blood at last, after all this infernal hobgoblinry. Do, for mercy's sake let us get out of this, before we get turned into mummies and hobgoblins ourselves!"

I looked again at the mother. What a fate had been hers! Who was she? How came she hither? Had her eyes indeed beheld us before she died, or was that an illusion of our bewildered senses? What had her life been on this accursed vessel? Who was the father of this child which she had cherished till the end? Ah, well, it is the doom of man to ask questions, and to guess at the answers. What do we know?

"Yes, we had better go," said I. "The sooner that baby has some woman to look after him the better. His mother will rest here one night more, and we will return in the morning. May she rest in peace, whoever she was!"

We mounted the deck, the colonel bearing the baby, who took the change in his circumstances very composedly. It was a relief to breathe the free air again. The moon had risen higher, and now shone quietly over the deck, and the dusky heaps of mortality that lay upon it seemed no more than shadows of the past. We crossed over the spot where the fallen ratlines hung from the bulwarks, and the colonel was about to clamber over when I stopped him.

"Col. Enderby," I said, "now I come to think of it, there is no necessity for your returning to the shore with me. I am sure you must feel that the dignity of her majesty's service demands that you should remain in charge of this vessel until the authorities at Kingston can be informed of what has occurred. You are leaving the ship in opposition to your sense of duty, merely out of courtesy to me. But I won't allow it! I will go ashore with the baby, and do you stay here till to-morrow. I don't at all mind going alone, and it will be a comfort to me to think that you are out here enjoying the discharge of an obligation which is not the less dear to you because you happen to be on the retired list. Good night!"

But the colonel had me on the arm with a grasp of iron.

"If it will give you any satisfaction to know that I have been and am frightened pretty near out of my senses," said he, "you are welcome to the information. I would no more dare stay here all night alone than . . . . Oh, come on! Have you Yankees no consideration for a chap when he's down?"

"My dear colonel," returned I, "I was just as much scared as you were; all I wished was to come to an understanding. I don't believe that either the British lion or the American eagle will be a bit the worse for our spending the night at your pen; so let us shake hands and say no more about it."

Since that night the colonel has been less overwhelming and more companionable.

I was up early the next morning, but when I stepped out on the porch I found my host already there. He was staring seaward with a blank expression, which remained on his face when he turned to answer my greeting.

"Look yonder!" said he, pointing to the reef. "Gone! She's gone, sir, by Jove! bag and scrip. Not a chip of her left."

I looked, and neither on the reef nor anywhere within the sweep of the horizon could I discern any trace of the mysterious vessel of the night before. Yet there had been no breath of wind from then till now.

"She's gone," he repeated; "and Charles tells me that the men have been over there and say that there's nothing left of her, either under water or above it. Now, what do you make of it?"

"Colonel," I replied, after a pause, "have you got that baby still?"

"Indeed, I have," cried the veteran. "He's just dropped asleep, after getting a good breakfast out of that young Sally of mine, you know, who—ahem! Oh, yes—I've got *him* all right!"

"Then we may take our own breakfast with a free mind," said I. "It is the way of ships to pass in the night, and, for my part, I think it was high time for her to be off, don't you?"

"By Jove, my boy, that I do!" cried the colonel, heartily; and, grasping my hand, he led me in to breakfast; coffee and rolls, and a couple of soft-boiled eggs apiece.

Just as we had finished, and were thinking of retiring to our rooms to lay aside our pajamas and start for the beach, Charles modestly entered, bearing in his arms a battered and water-soaked fragment of old black plank, with the half-effaced remains of some inscription on it.

"De men find it on de beach dis mo'nin', sah," he explained. "T'ink it come off de wreck, sah. T'ink you might like to take a look at it, sah, Massa Cun'l, sah."

At the colonel's direction he placed the fragment on a chair, so that the light fell upon the writing. We set ourselves to decipher it.

"Looks to me like 'Vainquere,' eh? What do you make it?" said the colonel, at length.

"I think it's 'La Valliere,' answered I. "She was one of Louis Quatorze's—er—court, you know."

"I fancy you've got it," assented he. "And now I think of it, 'La Valliere' was the name of one of the ships of that scoundrel DuCasse's fleet!"

"Then that completes the chain of evidence. But don't you think," I added, "that, considering the circumstance, it will be just as well if we don't say anything publicly about this affair. I mean, better not enter into details, and that sort of thing. You see, we have no actual proof, even the baby proves nothing, except to ourselves; and folks are apt to be skeptical."

"I fully agree with you," returned the colonel, earnestly. "The truth is, I was going to suggest a little—er—prudence, myself. *We* know what we know; and we don't want to be bothered with the questions and guesses of a lot of asses who know nothing. By the way, come in and have a look at him. He's a beauty, I tell you! And I'll lay you the odds he's no Frenchman. Softly, now, or you'll wake him."

We tip-toed in, and there he lay, pink and soft, breathing gently, in his little impromptu crib, with sable Sally grinning beside him.

"He's an Englishman, every inch of him," exclaimed the colonel, beneath his breath. "And his mother is an English woman, did you notice her eyes? Dark gray, English eyes—Lancashire eyes; I ought to know, for I am a Lancashire boy myself, and there was a girl I might have married, if I hadn't been a fool, who looked just like her."

"And who was the baby's father, do you think?"

"An Englishman, of course," replied the colonel, indignantly; "an English colonial, at all events. Wasn't I telling you yesterday afternoon that those infernal pirates murdered the men and carried off the women? Very well; now, my idea is, that this child—that his mother—that this child, I say, was born immediately after his mother was carried on board, owing to the fright and agitation, you understand; and that he saved his mother's honor by being born at that time."

"But, colonel, that was two hundred years ago," I objected.

"Well, sir, and what if it was? There are miracles in the Bible, and I believe in the Bible! And could a miracle be performed in a better cause than this? I believe there was a miracle; and I believe in that woman, and in her baby; and he shall be my baby, now, and whatever I possess shall be his, when I'm gone; that's my last will and testament!"

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Its Enlarged Opportunities in Its Elegant New Home.

The Young Men's Christian Association of Plainfield was organized in 1867, and moved into its handsome new home on the last day of 1894. The building is situated on the corner of East Front street and Watchung avenue. It is especially designed for the Association, and well adapted to its use. Its entire length is 146 feet, and its width is 61 feet. On the ground floor front are two large stores, and immediately in the rear, the large assembly hall, which, in beauty, rivals any other in this section of the country. On the second floor the reception room, Secretary's office, court room, reading room, library, members' parlor and small halls are situated.

The gymnasium is a wing of the main building, and is entered through the reception room. It is 64 feet long and 35 feet wide, with locker room, plunge, and other baths, and bowling alleys occupying the same space immediately under it.

On the third floor are three class-rooms, two rooms for the boys department, a committee room, and an amusement room. In the basement is a wheel-room for the use of members.

The work of the association is carried on through the following departments: The Social, Physical, Educational, Spiritual, and Junior.

The advantages of the Social Department are the reception room, a pleasant and comfortably furnished parlor, and a game room, with a reception committee, which is ever ready to help make pleasant an evening, in attendance.

The Physical Department is well equipped with new and the most modern apparatus, with bathe and lockers equally well arranged. The physical director is a man of wide experience in physical training, and thoroughly competent to fill his place. A careful examination is made on entering the gymnasium, and work especially helpful to the applicant is prescribed.

The Educational Department, although comparatively new, is doing good work. Ninety-four different men are now registered, and new classes are being organized. A pleasant reading room, affords a goodly number of periodicals, magazines, daily New York and Plainfield papers, and religious weeklies, and a library of various classes of literature, free to all in the reading room, but only members of the association can take them away.

The Spiritual department gives religious services on Sundays and week days, weekly Bible, and Training classes, a daily morning prayer meeting and personal work, besides the influence of association with Christian men. The Spiritual is the most important part of the work of the Association, and must ever be kept at the front.

The Junior Department admits boys between the ages of 12 and 16. The rooms are used for reading and games, while others are used on special occasions, such as sociables, practical talks, entertainments, etc.

Plainfielders Their Leaders.

At the annual meeting of the Union County Branch of the State Charities Aid Association held in Trinity Church, Elizabeth, Monday evening, January 7. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Henry B. Newhall, Plainfield.

Vice-President—Rev. F. M. McAllister, D. D., Elizabeth.

Secretary—Rev. Hobart Clark, Plainfield.

Treasurer—Mrs. J. K. Myers, Plainfield.

Executive Committee — Mrs Dexter Tiffany, David P Hall, Plainfield, S C Blackwell, Mrs J M Watson, Mrs A U Trimble, Elizabeth, Anthony Comstock, Summit, E B Clark, Plainfield, William Patterson, Elizabeth, H M Maxson, Plainfield.

All of these officers served last year, and were re-elected with the exception of Mr. Maxson, who was elected to fill a vacancy caused by the death of the late J. Augustus Dix of Elizabeth.

Public-Spirited Jersey Central.

In his message to the Legislature yesterday Governor Werts says the Central Railroad of New Jersey has expressed its willingness to execute and file the necessary instrument under the law of 1890, surrendering its claim to a irrepealable contract and submit itself to the general tax laws, and he asks for legislative advice. If none is given he will exercise his prerogative and accept the agreement and surrender the right of the State to take the company's railroad at an appraised valuation.

Do You Want to Buy or Sell a Horse?

If so, I. H. Dahlman, the old reliable dealer, of 205 to 225 East 24th street, New York, is the man to see.

This establishment has been famous for years for the quality and variety of its stock and honor of its dealings. Opening sale for 1895 January 14.

See advertisement in another column.

—Mr. Martin will lead the singing, and Mrs. S. D. Collins will sing one or two solos, at the service in the Congregational church tonight.

JOINT INSTALLATION.

Grand Army, Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans, Unite in Honors to Officers.

The first joint installation of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., Women's Relief Corps, No. 10, and John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, took place last evening in Post 73 rooms.

It was a very pleasant occasion, and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The Post officers were first installed by Past Commander James Atwood of Trenton as follows:

Commander—W. W. Coriell.
Senior Vice Commander—M. C. Dobbins.
Junior Vice Commander—W. R. Moore.
Quartermaster—Andrew Cox.
Adjutant—Robert Walker.
Officer of Day—C. B. Stephens.
Officer of Guard—W. C. Smith.
Chaplain—J. A. Goodwin.
Surgeon—H. C. Drake.
Quartermaster Sergeant—W. Hand.
Sergeant Major—J. W. Finck.
Outside Sentinel—S. C. Terry, Sr.
Council of Administration—M. C. Dobbins, C. B. Stephens, W. C. Smith, Chas. Graves, Sr., J. E. Stewart.

These officers then vacated their stations, and the officers of the Sons of Veterans were installed by Past Commander Charles B. Stephens of Post 73, as follows:

Captain—W C Dobbins.
First Lieutenant—Willard V Sutton.
Second Lieutenant—C F Stephens.
Camp Council—Clifford Compton, Chas Graves, Jr, and Frank Clarkson.

The appointive officers composing the staff were installed by Captain W. C. Dobbins. They were:

Quartermaster—H C McVoy.
First Sergeant—H J Martin.
Sergeant Guard—H L Thatcher.
Chaplain—Raymond McVoy.
Color Sergeant—Charles Graves, Jr.
Camp Guard—Cyrus Moore.
Corporal Guard—Edward Smith.
Picket Guard—John Naylor.

After this was concluded, Past President Mrs. Morse took the chair and installed the officers of the Women's Relief Corps, the president-elect being unable to be present on account of illness. The officers are:

President—Mrs A E Dobbins.
Senior Vice-president—Mrs Westphal.
Junior " " —Mrs Kline.
Treasurer—Mrs Walter Walker.
Chaplain—Mrs Corwin.
Conductor—Mrs Leland.
Assistant Conductor — Miss Fanny Westphal.
Guard—Mrs Vincent Nash.
Assistant Guard—Miss Lucy Westphal.
Secretary—Miss Ada Nash.

Commander Coriell then took the chair, and remarks were made by several comrades, including the officers. W. Cawley and J. R. Dungan of the Somerville Camp, Sons of Veterans, also made a few remarks, as did some of the women besides.

The installation work throughout was highly creditable, and passed off in an excellent manner.

A Great Shoot in Progress.

When T. H. Keller of Plainfield sets out to do a thing, it 's bound to be a go. This is again proved by the success assured to the shoot he has been arranging for tomorrow and Friday, to take place at the headquarters of the Climax Gun Club, Fanwood, and which promises to be one of the largest meetings ever held in this section. Prominent shooters from several States have signified their intention of participating. The tournament is likely to rival the tournaments of the famous Middlesex Gun Club, whose meetings always brought together the shooting cracks of the country. The first day will be devoted to shooting at Empire targets, the second day at live birds. Among the distinguished guests already arriving are O. G. Dickey of Boston, H. G. Wheeler and B. LeRoy Woodland, J. T. Mascroft, Mayor of Sutton, Mass., and V. D. Kennerson and W. L. Davis of Worcester.

Everything at Cut Prices.

In order to facilitate their "stock taking", and to make the labor as light as possible, L. Bamberger & Co., 147-149 Market street, Newark, are holding a "January Clearing Sale", so as to reduce every department to at least half its present size. They recognize the fact that now, after the great buying of Christmas time, unless big bargains are given, purchasing will be light, and they have accordingly cut the price of everything in their big establishment, excepting a few articles whose price is regulated by special agreements, to a lower point than was ever before known. Economical shoppers will be sure to grasp so unusual a chance, for it means the opportunity to buy not only all sorts of needed wearables, but also such things as muslins, flannels, hosiery, linens, men's furnishings, etc., goods whose prices seldom change, at real bargains figures. The sale will continue for some days, for the stock is so vast that it cannot be reduced to the desired limits in a short time.

—Don't fail to call on Fulper the grocer this week and save money. He sells good, sweet, fresh butter as low as 18 cts.

THE LAW SHOULD BE CHANGED.

Injustice to the Taxpayers of the System by Which the People Are Charged $3 a Day as Each Freeholder Wills.

New Brunswick, Jan. 8—At the investigation today of the methods of the Board of Freeholders, Capt. Joseph Castner, who has been a member of the Board from the Fifth ward, this city, for several terms, admitted that he had charged the county 301 days out of 365 for work that sometimes involved no more labor than walking across a bridge and "seeing that the grass was kept green". Capt. Castner answered the question, "Were there any days for which you did not charge the county $2 ?" with "Oh, yes, I went fishing six days and I did not charge for them."

Freeholder Kelly said that he had charged the county $2 for writing an order for a pair of shoes for a jail prisoner, and that he had often charged $2 for simply walking over the Albany street bridge, although the work on that structure had been completed and there were bridge tenders there.

It was brought out that members of the County Records Committee had put in a total of 411 days at $2 a day supervising the work of two girls and a man while they bound the records. The binding cost about $300 and the supervision over $800.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

The voting for school colors will take place tomorrow morning, and the colors selected by the committee will be displayed in the Kappa Delta Phi bulletin board. The colors presented by the committee are red and white, maroon and steel-gray, pink and green, dark blue and red, and purple and white.

The Senior class were pleased this morning to welcome back one of their former members, Arthur Crane, who spent the day with his friends in the High School.

The Kappa Delta Phi also will have a debate on Friday afternoon.

John V. Beekman, Jr., the regular monitor who arranges the seating in Assembly Hall, is absent on account of illness; his place is filled by Henry B. Drake.

The Junior Class will hold a class meeting tomorrow afternoon.

The prize essays on "The Use and Abuse of Tobacco" are due tomorrow. As the time draws near, the interest in the contest has greatly increased. Almost all of the pupils are taying for the prize.

The programme for Friday's Lyceum meeting is a hash debate.

Parks Badly Beaten.

On the Elizabeth Athletic Club alleys last evening an interesting game was rolled between the Parks and the E. A. C's, resulting in a decided victory for the Elizabethans, though the Parks fought hard and had the satisfaction of scoring the largest individual total of the evening, that of Leonard, who steadily climbed to 205. The result, however, was a victory for the E. A. C's by 271 pins.

The score:

E. A. C.		PARKS.	
Ellis	185	Thiers	144
Russ	156	Leonard	205
Davis, R	194	Erickson	177
Bogart	161	Murray, W	139
Myer	179	Faber	129
Vandeveer	128	Murray, J	140
Pepin	142	Waring	117
Fleming	169	Brooks	138
Lane	190	Sanford	139
Dunrock	160	Matthews	165
	1664		1493

Scorers—Frank J. Pope, A. L. C. Marsh. The next contest will be between the Parks and the Columbias of Hoboken at the Club alleys.

Somerset Installation.

District Deputy Charles I. Young installed the officers-elect of Somerset Council, J. O. U. A. M., last evening. The officers were not all present. Following is the list of those installed:

Councilor—Dr. Bedford.
Vice Councilor—W W Walker.
Warden—Wm Scribner.
Inside Sentinel—J A Kitchen.
Outside Sentinel—Joseph Newman.
Conductor—John Smith.
Representative to State Council—J D Anderson.
Alternate—Frank Kesselring.

Popular Minnie Lester.

Minnie Lester and company played to another large and delighted audience in Music Hall last night. The play to be presented this evening is Miss Rora, an entirely new production which is on the same high standard as all the Minnie Lester plays. The popular matinees begin tomorrow. The hour is 2:30, and 10 cents admits to any part of the house. "Killarney" is the play to be given tomorrow afternoon.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

NEW JERSEY LEGISLATURE.

Its Organization Effected, and a Week's Adjournment Taken.

The organization of the Legislature was quietly affected amid a floral display in both Houses that exceeded anything of the kind seen in Trenton before. In the Senate the Senators elect took part in the temporary organization, thus conforming to the Supreme Court's decision and the contention made by the Republicans in the fight for control last year. For years it has been the practice of the old Secretary to call the Senate to order and put the preliminary motions. Senator Voorhees, a hold-over Senator, performed that function, and called the roll of Senators and Senators-elect from a certified list he had procured from the Secretary of State.

Senator Stokes was made President, and Henry B. Rollison Secretary. In his speech in assuming the chair, Senator Stokes intimated that the charges of malfeasance in furnishing supplies and work to the State would be investigated. Senator Ketcham of Essex has a resolution ordering such an investigation, but will not offer it until an understanding is reached as to the methods to be pursued in conducting the inquiry. Senator Daly of Hudson offered a new rule, intended to prevent committees from smothering bills and requiring reports to be made within a week after the bill reaches the committee. It goes over for a week.

Senator Voorhees introduced the first bill. It provides for the abolition of the present county courts and of lay judges and the creation of new courts to be presided over by a single law judge elected by the people. The present judges continue in office till next December.

Senator Winton introduced two bills that carry out the Governor's recommendations for the preservation of the Palisades. Senator Daly presented the Jersey City water bill.

In the house Joseph Cross of Union County was elected Speaker and James Parker of Passaic Clerk. Mr. Codding of Union County presented a proposed amendment to the Constitution prohibiting bookmaking, betting, and all kinds of gambling on race tracks. The law already prohibits it. A resolution was adopted fixing Tuesday next at 4 as the time for receiving from Rev. Dr. Everard Kempshall of Elizabeth and William M. Lanning the petition from the New Jersey Presbyterian Synod asking for the amendment.

Bills were introduced as follows: By Graber, providing for dollar gas in first-class cities; by Schober, providing that last year's Atlantic City charter law shall not apply to Newark and Jersey City; by Drake, giving Governing Boards of first-class cities power to abolish grade crossings of railroads; by Nutzhorn, providing for two-cent ferriage between New Jersey and other States; by Schober, taxing railroads and canals at local rates; by Drake, abolishing days of grace; by Ginder, providing that only native or naturalized citizens shall be employed on public works; by Graber, providing dollar gas in second class cities, and also one making ten consecutive hours a day's work on electric and street railways; by Eisel, to prevent usury by persons lending money on chattel mortgages, and making the penalty $1,000 fine or two years imprisonment; by Olcutt, repealing the Democratic Freeholders's laws of 1889 and 1892, which relate to Hudson and Essex counties; by Bates, requiring the death penalty to be inflicted in the State prison under direction of the prison keeper.

Both Houses adjourned for the week.

The Governor's Message.

Governor Werts's second annual message is a plain presentation of such matters in the State government as he considers worthy of legislative attention.

The financial statement may be briefly stated thus: The State has $891,000 of assets in its sinking fund wherewith to pay the remaining war debt of $735,400, when that debt shall become due. There is no other bonded and floating indebtedness. There is a balance in bank of $486,855.91, and the receipts of the present fiscal year are estimated at $2,042 870, while the disbursements for the same period are figured at $2,017,605 86.

The recommendation for the erection of an intermediary prison is made with great force and directness.

The great question of the public water supply is treated with vigor and candor, and the recommendations should be well considered by the Legislature.

All of the points of the message discover the fact that Gov. Werts has given to the subjects presented careful consideration and inquiry, and that each of his suggestions is for the betterment of some element of the State's institutions and elements. He disapproves the proposed initiative or referendum legislation, saying it is no argument that while it may work in Switzerland it would be advantageous in New Jersey.

—Wm. H. Hall went home from his work at Thorpe & Ivins's last night and found that his wife had left his shelter and protection and gone to live with her mother. They had had some differences, and now he advertises that he will not be responsible for debts contracted by her.

GESANG AND TURN VEREIN.

Leader Schrader Presented with a Handsome Baton and Purse.

A happy party of the members and friends of the Gesang and Turn Verein Society gathered in their hall last evening and made merry until a late hour. Nearly two hundred were present, and after a musical entertainment by active members of the society, dancing and bowling were enjoyed. Throughout the evening refreshments were served in the supper room and everyone availed themselves of this excellent part of the evening's enjoyment.

The feature of the evening, however, was the presentation to Richard Schrader, the popular leader of the society, of an elegant writing desk, a handsome baton and a large purse, last evening being the occasion of his 30th birthday.

Mr. Schrader, though taken completely by surprise, feelingly thanked his many friends for their generous remembrances and expressed his desire to serve them as satisfactorily in the future as he had endeavored to in the past. His remarks were greeted with uproarious applause.

The society again demonstrated last evening their ability to give their friends a most enjoyable time.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Wm. Mowrie is low with pneumonia.

Judge Wm. A. Coddington is ill at the City Hotel with a severe attack of the grip.

Elmer S. Garreteon of West Front street was kept at home yesterday with a severe cold.

Miss Terrill of Brooklyn is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. W. Stratton of West Third street.

Clarence H. Leland of Plainfield was reappointed doorkeeper of the House, in Trenton yesterday.

Edward Keller, an employe of Bimm's stables, left today for New Market, where he is to be married.

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Love will receive the Ministers Association at their home next Monday afternoon.

The engagement is announced of Miss Amey E. Green of Park avenue to Frank St. John Fitch of Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Miss May Smith of Providence, who has been spending a few days with her uncle Chas. W. Smith, returned home this morning.

Past President Mrs. James Atwood of Trenton was the guest of the Women's Relief Corps at the installation ceremonies last evening.

Asa Collier, who is Vice-President of the Pennsylvania Retail Jewelers Association, is in Philadelphia today attending the monthly meeting of that association.

E. H. Clevely, fair, fat, but not forty, leaves for Washington tonight to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland. Mr. Clevely has recently taken his thirty-third degree in the A. O. U. L., and exhibits his certificate with much pride.

The college boys who enjoyed the holiday season at home are fast leaving to take up their various studies once again. This morning Arthur Serrell departed for Lehigh, and Clarence Peck sadly checked his baggage for Yale, as he bade his friends adieu.

The bal poudre to be given by the Park Club Jan. 22, of which announcement was made exclusively in The Press of yesterday, will be an event of rare enjoyment. It is in charge of the House Committee, Messrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., Charles A. Reed and Julius E. Erickson.

W. C. Startup of Westervelt avenue received word Monday of the death of his grandfather, William Startup, who died in Middletown, N. Y., in his 78th year. Mr. Startup had been feeble for some time, and his death was not entirely unexpected. The funeral services were held today from his late home. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Startup left early this morning for Middletown to attend the services.

Illness of R. W. Rice.

A despatch from Wilkes Barre, Pa., says: "A man named Rice, of Plainfield, N. J., who owns a cottage at Harvey's Lake, twelve miles from here, became suddenly insane at the latter place on Saturday last. He was in a violent state of insanity on Sunday, and it was necessary to strap him to a stout board. He was sent to Philadelphia at 2 o'clock this morning. Dr. Long of Harvey's Lake, accompanied him."

The Rice referred to is R. W. Rice of North Plainfield, whose illness has for some time been a matter of great concern to his friends. His family have the sympathy of all in the distressing affliction, and it is hoped he may be fully restored.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

28TH ANNIVERSARY.

Sons of Temperance Spend an Evening in Pleasant Celebration.

The members and friends of Howell Division, No. 97, Sons of Temperance, gathered in Reform Hall last night to listen to an interesting entertainment and enjoy the bountiful collation which followed. It was unfortunate that this, their twenty-sixth anniversary, was held on such a stormy night, as the programme was worthy of a much larger audience. After an ode by the members of the order and an invocation by Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, a cordial address of welcome was delivered by P. G. W. P. Jas. R. Perrine, in which he touched on the history of the local division since its institution, and spoke of its great benefit to members.

A song by Elmer Runyon was enthusiastically received and he was obliged to respond to the hearty encore. Mrs. C. Steiner was followed by a piano solo by Mrs. King, after which Miss Alice Scribner recited "No Drunkard Enters There" in a very effective manner. Most Worthy Patriarch M. M. Eavenson and Grand Worthy Patriarch A. P. Sutphen both then delivered very interesting addresses and were followed by Miss Try Mattox whose recitation, "The Inventor's Wife", was enjoyed by all. Dr. A. H. Lewis made the closing address. A tableau, in three parts, representing the rescue of the drunkard, was effectively rendered by Miss Mattox, George Rockfellow, James R. Perrine, Miss Katie Glen, Harry Mattox, and Edie Mattox. During the tableau the emblems of the the national and subordinate organizations were effectively displayed.

The collation was then discussed, and it was at a late hour when the happy party dispersed.

BURNING OF A CLUB HOUSE.

Quick Work of Flames in South Orange.

The house of the South Orange Field Club was totally destroyed by fire at 6 this morning, resulting in a loss of about $5 000 on the building and contents. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an overheated stove.

The club recently put in new bowling alleys, at a cost of $2,800, and they were destroyed with the rest of the building. The janitor of the building, Morris Burns, lived at the club-house with his family, and they had a narrow escape. He flung his two children out of the bedroom window into the snow, and then he and his wife jumped out of the window.

Some excitement was caused during the fire by the explosion of a cask of gasoline which was kept in an outhouse on the premises, and also by the discharge of a number of cartridges belonging to the gun club. The building was insured for $3 000, so that the net loss to the club will not exceed $2,000.

MATT QUAY BEATEN.

His Man for Mayor Turned Down in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Jan. 9—City Solicitor Chas. F. Warwick has been nominated by the Republican city convention for Mayor, to succeed Edwin S. Stuart.

Two months ago Senator Matthew Stanley Quay slated State Senator Boise Penrose for the nomination in spite of the protests of the local leaders.

Warwick is about 42 years old, and belongs to the Philadelphia clique rather than the State or Quay clique.

It is a black eye for Quay.

"The Finderne."

The proprietors wish to announce to the public that they have, at considerable expense, fitted "The Finderne" as a model Winter home by the addition of ample steam heating appliances, the enclosing of a large extent of its piazzas with glass and other needful features to make it meet the demands of the most exacting. They have also secured, as manager, A. E. White, a caterer of wide experience in the management of resorts whose registers contain the names of many of the most well known pleasure seekers; his latest success being the management for three years of "The Gladys Inn", one of the most popular of the popular "Mountain Resorts of Virginia", and owned by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, than whose hostleries none better managed are to be found on the continent. "The Finderne" was opened for the year 1895, on Thursday, January 3, and will be maintained in the highest order of excellence as a resort, no pains or expense will be spared to this end. Everything immaculate; cuisine unexcelled; attention all that can be desired. Carriages will be run to all day trains. Postoffice, express and telegraph offices.

A hop will be given every week for those living at "The Finderne" and a few invited guests. They will be full-dress affairs.

—Fred. Sutton and several employes of A. M. Griffen who have been working near New Providence for several weeks, have finished the job and returned to Plainfield.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE TURKISH SIDE OF IT

Official Reports Deny the Armenian Outrages.

Not True That the Governor of Bitlis Recruited Soldiers Among the Kurds.—The Porte Asked to Suspend Him by England, France and Russia.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The Turkish legation has received this official communication from Constantinople:

"It is indeed strange to observe the unwillingness on the part of some newspapers to wait and see what the Sassoun troubles really were and who was actually responsible for them. The sublime porte has taken all the precautionary measures necessitated by the case, and there cannot possibly remain any reasonable doubt, if not perhaps, in the minds of revolutionists and their friends, that the appointed commission to investigate this affair will bring about facts as they are in reality. The assertions already made by people connected with revolt in Turkey, all so numerous and so shockingly erroneous that it is truly impossible to answer them all. It is not true that the governor of Bitlis recruited soldiers amongst the Kurds. It is not true that women and children were massacred. On the contrary, they were protected by the soldiery, as it was the case, for instance, with the women near Kukuzat. All cattle was also restituted to their owners in conformity with strict orders from the Bitlis authorities. The assertion made that twenty-four villages were burned is simply preposterous, as no twenty-four villages are to be found round about the place where the revolt first broke out. In that region there are no more than ten villages, some of which were set on fire by the revolutionists themselves who acted exactly according to Rev. Cyrus Hamlin's prophetic statement of the 23d of December, 1893: 'The Armenian (Heutchagrist) bands, organized all over the empire, will watch their opportunities to kill Kurds and Turks, set fire to their villages and then make their escape into the mountains.' It is not true either that garments of priests and objects belonging to churches were publicly sold at Moush.

London, Jan. 9.—The Standard's correspondent in Constantinople says: "The sultan has formally applied to Great Britian to disavow Mr. Gladstone's recent speech with reference to Armenia.

"England, France and Russia have asked the porte to suspend the governor of Bitlis until the investigation has been concluded. The porte has not replied. It is believed that the porte will endeavor to maintain the governor in his post."

The Standard's Vienna correspondent says he has learned from an unimpeachable source that the services of the patriarch Azarian have been enlisted to secure a verdict of not proven in the Sassoun inquiry, to which all of the porte's energies are directed. Azarian has undertaken to instruct the vicar of Moush to enjoin his flock to testify before the commission favorably to the Turkish officials. "Such conduct by Armenian Catholics will appear strange to Englishmen," the correspondent says, "but anybody who has resided in the east is well aware of the gulf dividing the branches of the Armenian family."

STAMP DEALERS ARE SAFE.

Their Album Plates Cannot Be Seized by the Government.

St. Louis, Jan. 9.—Chief of Secret Service Hazen recently issued instructions to Operative Murphy, of this city, to seize all plates issued by publishers of stamp albums in printing their books, because they contained illustrations of foreign stamps. Murphy, in attempting to carry out these instructions, met with a flat refusal from two St. Louis publishers of stamp albums.

It is said that United States Prosecuting Attorney W. H. Clopton has prepared an opinion, which has been forwarded to the secret service at Washington, that there is no authority under the United States statutes to seize the plates, unless it could be shown that they had been used for counterfeiting.

Gresham Dined the President.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Secretary and Mrs. Gresham gave a dinner to the president and cabinet at the Arlington hotel last night. Those present were the president and Mrs. Cleveland, secretary and Mrs. Carlisle, secretary and Mrs. Lamont, postmaster general and Mrs. Bissell, attorney general and Mrs. Olney, secretary and Miss Herbert, secretary and Mrs. Morton, Secretary Smith, Mrs. Perrine, Mr. Otto Gresham, Mrs. Andrews and secretary and Mrs. Gresham.

In Her Bridal Robes.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Mrs. Ida Weinberger, shrouded in her bridal robes, lies in a coffin at 619 Seminary avenue. She kissed her husband good-bye yesterday morning, locked herself in the little home and drank enough carbolic acid to kill a regiment of men. Temporary insanity the cause.

Death Chair Awaiting Him.

New York, Jan. 9.—Murderer Cram was sentenced yesterday to be electrocuted during the week of Feb. 25, for wife murder, after an appeal the lawyer asked for a new trial on the ground of insanity, which was denied.

A Conciliatory Policy.

City of Mexico, Jan. 9.—The Guatemalan minister following instructions from his government, is pursuing a very conciliatory policy. The indications are that the boundary dispute will be settled peaceably.

HE WAITED FOR ARREST.

Took Louis Williams 15 Hours to Get Locked Up in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Driven desperate by hunger and lack of sleep, Louis Williams resorted to crime in order to find shelter and food in a police station. And then he only succeeded in his purpose after he had walked to the Harrison street station, told the story of his offenses and had his tale investigated by the police. It took him fifteen hours to get locked up.

Williams comes from Brooklyn, where, until a few months ago, he held a clerkship in a drygoods store. Coming to Chicago he got a precarious existence until this week, when he became desperate, and in order to be locked up broke a plate glass window in Tillenburg's saloon, gathering in two bottles of whiskey which he traded for two sandwiches in a neighboring restaurant.

Knowing it was only a temporary relief, Williams determined to continue his efforts to be arrested and again took up his station in front of the saloon from which he had stolen the whiskey. He waited until daylight, but not a policeman appeared to lock him up.

Yesterday he walked to the Harrison street station, and detailed his story, and finally accomplished his object, being locked up on charges preferred by the saloon keeper.

OUT WITH A GUN.

Horsewhipping Has No Terrors for a Michigan Editor.

Ashley, Mich., Jan. 9.—The editor of the News, C. E. Armstrong, who was horsewhipped by Cora Hasbrook and who choked his assailant until she desisted, surprised the village yesterday by going to the postoffice carrying a Winchester rifle and two revolvers and a belt filled with cartridges. Nobody molested him, and later his paper came out with the following announcement, referring to persons who would harm him:

"To all such persons we will say that we long ago learned to have no fear of leaden messages; in fact, a good part of our life has been spent among people who generally shot first and blowed about it afterward."

To the woman he said:

"Horsewhips hold no fear for us, and right here, old girl, let us rise to remark that if any of your sneaking, low-lived gang wish to try that kind of medicine on us again we warn you that all it will cost them will be their own doctor bills. We have started to purge this locality, and we will do it, or die in the attempt."

The better class of Ashley people is with the editor.

INDIAN AGENTS' AFFAIRS.

Probable That Steps Will Be Taken To Readjust Their Salaries.

Washington, Jan. 9.—There has been no conference between the Indian agents and the secretary of the interior. Secretary Smith will arrange a day for them to visit the president and have a discussion in regard to Indian affairs.

While the agents have made no official request, it is probable that steps will be taken to readjust their salaries. It is understood that the secretary of the interior is in favor of an increase in their pay and may make such a recommendation to congress.

There are now about 57 Indian agents throughout the country and about one-half of them are army officers who of recent years have been selected to act as agents instead of civilians as heretofore. The officers, of course, will receive their regular army pay. The civilian agents now receive from $1,200 to $1,800 and the increase will likely be to $2,500 as a maximum and $1,800 as the lowest figure.

During the past year more army officers have been appointed agents than previously. It seems to be the policy of the department to place them in charge when the opportunity affords.

Ten Bodies Uncovered.

Albany, Jan. 9.—Workmen continued excavation work at the scene of the Delavan hotel ruins. So far ten bodies or rather what remained of them, have been uncovered. The three last bodies found were more intact than those already uncovered. All the bodies were unearthed in the cellar directly under the attic where the victims of the fire are supposed to have been quartered. Three of the bodies were near mattresses when found, showing that the persons were asleep when they met death.

A Peculiar Fatal Accident.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 9.—Peter McKenna, aged 55 years, a teamster, met with a peculiar fatal accident yesterday. While driving into the yard at 73 Nash street, a telephone wire which had become unfastened and hung down caught the man under the chin breaking his neck.

Mysterious Disappearance.

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 9.—James Chamberlain, janitor of the Vesper club house, disappeared a week ago Monday. He left the club house saying that he would return in half an hour, but nothing has been learned of his whereabouts since. No reason is assigned for his absence.

Wages and Hours Reduced.

Spring Hill Mines, N. S., Jan. 9.—It is expected that before the ending of this week all of the miners in this district will be out on strike. The company has reduced the morning hours from twelve on each shift to eight, and reduced their wages to an eight-hour basis.

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CUP CONDITIONS CLOSE

The Formal Acceptance of Dunraven's Challenge.

The Recognition of the Deed of Gift and the Agreement To Accept the Custody of the Cup, in Case a British Boat Wins, the Only Point of Contention.

New York, Jan. 9.—The American Cup committee have formally accepted the Dunraven challenge of December 6, subject to the modifications made by late cable.

There were present at the meeting Commodore Smith, chairman; A. Cass Canfield, secretary; Latham A. Fish, J. Frederick Tams, and Gouverneur Kortwright. The cablegrams received from Secretary Grant of the Royal Yacht squadron, were read and were deemed satisfactory.

The recognition of the deed of gift, under which the cup is held, and the agreement to accept the custody of the cup, subject to the deed, in case a British boat wins, covered the only point in contention, and the committee drafted the following cablegram, which was sent after the meeting adjourned:

"Grant, Cowes:

"Terms of challenge as modified by your cable of 7th inst. are accepted.

Smith, Chairman."

This closes the international contest of sea lawyers as to the terms and conditions under which the races of 1895 are to be sailed. The cup committee have insisted upon a different challenge from that under which the races of 1893 were sailed, for the reason that considerable uncertainty existed as to the holding of the cup for future races.

They did not want to give the Britons a chance to take the cup over to English waters and lay courses for the next international race such as the Vigilant sailed over last summer and met with defeats by yachts her inferiors in open waters.

Lord Dunraven desired a race with conditions to be arranged under the mutual agreement clause of the deed of gift and nothing said about the holding of the cup in case he won. The inference drawn from this on this side of the water was that the British yachtmen would not recognize the deed of gift in future races and would not lay down fair terms under the mutual agreement clause.

After two months' negotiating by letter and by cable, the Royal Yacht squadron has recognized the deed of gift, and while the America's Cup committee has made some concession, it has won a signal victory.

The arrangements for the races will now be pushed with vigor on both sides of the water.

Lord Dunraven will build a new Valkyrie eighty-nine feet on the load-water line. She is supposed to be already completed on paper, and for all the public know actual construction may have been begun by Watson, her designer.

Nothing definite is decided as to the new cup defenders to be built here. It is expected, however, that E. D. Morgan, George Jay Gould, C. Oliver Iselin, August Belmont, and some of the other wealthy members of the New York Yacht club will get their heads together in a few days, form a syndicate, and give Nat Herreshoft carte blanche to build a ninety-footer that will beat the world.

Commodore Smith said that he has heard nothing definite about the syndicate or about the refitting of the Jubilee, Colonia and Vigilant. He said he did not think that Lord Dunraven will permit the substitution of the boat now building on the Clyde for A. B. Walker. This boat cannot compete if she is over ninety feet and it is thought that she will exceed that limit. The fact that she is nearly ready for launching is in her favor, but Commodore Smith was of the opinion that Lord Dunraven himself wants the honor of taking the cup to England if it is to go back this year.

Starvation Story Denied.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 9.—The starvation story sent out from here to the effect that there is unusual distress and miners are starving, is not true. There are always cases of poverty in this region, but the charitable organizations are well able to care for them. The mines have been working with accustomed regularity, and there is now no more poverty than there has been for years in the past. Some miners with large families have a hard time getting along but those in real want are cared for by the public charities. There are no cases of starvation.

Pay Director Washington Dead.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Pay Director Richard Washington, of the navy, who resided with his wife at the Portland hotel in this city, died suddenly of apoplexy. He entered the service from Virginia Aug. 14, 1861, and was appointed general inspector of the pay corps April 26, 1890.

Mines Resume Work.

Ishpeming, Mich., Jan. 9.—The Winthrop mines has resumed work with one hundred men after a year's idleness. The force will be increased to three hundred by the opening of the shipping season next May.

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Barthélemy Saint-Hilaire, the famous French scholar and politician, who recently entered on his ninetieth year full of physical and intellectual vigor, has been telling the inevitable interviewer how it is his days have been so long in the land. It is, we are told, the effect of strict adherence to the old precept, "early to bed and early to rise," with steady work during waking hours.

Every grand old man seems to have a secret of his own. Mr. Gladstone, we believe, attributes his longevity to his habit of taking a daily walk in all weathers and to his giving 32 bites to every morsel of food. Oliver Wendell Holmes pinned his faith on equability of temperature. The late Major Knox Holmes swore by the tricycle, which, in the end, was the cause of his death. Dr. P. H. Van der Weyde, an American octogenarian, not long ago offered himself "as an example of the benign influence of the study and practice of music."

Some aged persons give the credit of their long lives to abstinence from tobacco, alcohol, meat, or what not; others to their indulgence in all these things. One old lady, of whom we read not long ago as having reached the age of 120 or thereabouts, maintained that single blessedness is the real elixir vitæ, and she ascribed the death of a brother at the tender age of 90 to the fact that he had committed matrimony in early life.

M. Ferdinand de Lesseps believed in horse riding. Mr. James Payn complains that in his boyhood he "got a little bored with too much horse." In a letter recently published, M. De Lesseps delivered himself on the subject as follows: "I shall always be deeply grateful to Larine, my riding master, who from my earliest years made me share his keen passion for horses, and I am still convinced that daily horse exercise has in a large measure been the means of enabling me to reach my eighty-fourth year in perfect health." Carlyle was also a great rider almost to the end of his long life, and he not only rode, but, we believe, groomed his horse himself.

On the whole, it must be concluded that the real secret of longevity is a sound constitution prudently husbanded. The only general rules that can be laid down are those set forth by Adam in "As You Like It:"

Though I look old, yet I am strong and lusty,
For in my youth I never did apply
Hot and rebellious liquors in my blood,
Nor did not with unbashful forehead woo
The means of weakness and debility;
Therefore my age is as a lusty winter,
Frosty but kindly. —Home Journal.

THE SAVAGE'S COSTUME.

Sealskin Is Unhygienic and Worn Only By the Purse-Proud.

The Society of Art and Science of Brooklyn, is often treated to some startling bit of advanced thought at its regular meetings.

Recently Dr. Brown took up the subject of hygienic dress. She recommended woolen garments as the best for underwear, but condemned wool, hardened by washing and shrinking, as it thus became impervious to air or moisture. Considering the careful washing which all wool garments require in order to have them retain their hygienic qualities, Dr. Brown recommended wool mixed with silk or cotton as best for general use. She also said women who wore long-necked sleeveless undergarments in winter, thinking that they would be less apt to take cold when it was necessary to put on decollete costume, made a grave mistake.

She put the hygienic value of sealskin and other fur coats at a great discount, declaring they ought never to be worn except during severe, long-continued exposure to cold, and never while walking.

"Collars, cuffs, and muffs of furs," Dr. Brown said, "are all right, and I wonder men do not avail themselves more of the æsthetic fur collar for their overcoats. They are certainly becoming. The fur animals, however, which women have worn so much lately tight about the throat are bad, causing the throat to become extremely sensitive.

Dr. Brown denounced the dress of the average fashionable woman in vigorous terms, and even had a few words of censure for the attire of man, declaring that the conventional stiff shirt and collar, the silk hat, and stiff hats were very uncomfortable.

Many men had told her so, and how they rejoiced in getting into the mountains, where they indulged in knickerbockers, leather leggings, and flannel shirts. Still, man's dress at it worst was not to be compared to woman's for uncomfortableness and injury to the wearer.

"Take a savage," said she, dress him in knickerbockers, flannel shirt, and soft hat, and he would probably still find something in life worth living for; dress him in the conventional business suit of men, and you would make him decidedly unhappy as well as uncomfortable; but put him in the attire of a modern fashionable woman—squeeze his twenty-five inch middle into nineteen inches of steel bands, pressing his stomach against his wabbly heart and gasping lungs, and compressing his elastic ribs against his liver; then put upon him all the other garments that are considered necessary with all their hooks, straps, bands, buttons and pins; cover these with a skirt ten yards around the bottom, weighed down with several pounds of haircloth, a bodice with sleeves 2 1-2 feet in circumference, and over all this a wrap, and put on his head a creation varying in size from a tea saucer to a cart wheel, put in his hand an umbrella, purse and handkerchief—because, of course, there is no pocket in the dress—send him out shopping on a rainy day, have him endeavor to hold up the skirts and walk in shoes with high heels and toes the size of thimbles, expect him to keep his temper and be smiling, and then ask him if he would rather be a lovely civilized woman or a howling savage, and see what he'll say to you."

"Dr. Brown urged that one great step in the emancipation of woman was to free her from the follies of her dress. The average bride, she said, spent so much energy preparing her trousseau that she fell into her husband's arms a bundle of hysterics and millinery. The wearing of mourning attire, she said, was unhygienic.

The short skirt for rainy days was advocated.

Dr. Brown said, in conclusion, that if women would only use common sense they would find it possible to combine both beauty and hygiene in the matter of dress, not appear unfashionable, and avoid many ills to which they are at present subject.

WOLF-SOLANGE.

"Are you looking at Wolf-Solange, young gentlemen?" asked a voice behind us.

It was our host, who had been detained inside by the arrival of a patient, and who now rejoined us. Of course, we asked him who Wolf-Solange was, and how she came by such a strange name, and, in reply he told us the following story:

"Wolf-Solange, whose proper name is Solange Grillet, maiden name Tournier, was the prettiest girl all around Tronsay ten years ago. Hard work in the fields and maternal cares have left their mark upon her, but she is still pretty for a woman of 30, as you can see.

"At the time the adventure happened which earned for her the nickname of Wolf-Solange she was still single. Her parents were tenants of the small farm of Rein du Beis, about eight or nine miles from here, near Lurcey Levy. Although poor, she had no lack of suitors, even among the rich class of young men of the neighborhood; but the only one she encouraged was a certain Laurent Grillet, to whom she had taken a fancy when she was a mere girl and they used to tend sheep together.

"Laurent Grillet was a fondling; his fortune consisted of his strong right arm only. Solange's parents, not seeing the advisability of marrying their daughter to a man just as poor as they were, especially when she had several much better chances, forbade Solange to meet her lover; but the parents' injunction was unheeded, and as they lived in the same village and the forest was close by, the opportunities of meeting were numerous and easy. When the Tourniers discovered that the lovers still saw each other, and perceived that neither soft words nor blows had any effect on Solange, they came to a weighty decision: they would send her out to service at Ursay, on the model farm of M. Roger Dallos, our Deputy.

"Perhaps you think this put a stop to the lovers' meeting? If so, you are quite mistaken. The only difference was they had to see each other at night. As soon as it was quite dark the young people slipped away from their respective farms on which they worked, and, taking a short cut to save time and to avoid the high road, met in the forest unknown to any one.

"It was in 1879. The summer and autumn passed in this way, then came the winter—and a terrible winter it was! The Cher was full of pieces of floating ice, and finally it froze right over; the high trees of Tronsay bent under the weight of the snow; the forest was deserted, the roads having become almost impassible; and we saw what we hadn't seen for many a year—wolves!

"Yes, young gentlemen, wolves. They prowled about the outlying farms of Lurcey-Levy and Ursay, alarming the good people who lived on those farms, and were even seen in the streets of Saint Bonnet le Desert, an out of the way place close to the forest. Wolf hunts were organized to kill them and 50 francs were paid for a wolf's head. I myself saw three—two full grown ones and a young one—on the opposite bank of the Cher one morning when I was on my way to Saint Amand in my cart.

"But neither the hard winter nor the wolves prevented Laurent and Solange from meeting at night in the forest; in spite of all dangers they continued their nightly expeditions. Every evening Laurent left Lurcey-Levy, his gun under his arm, and walked through the snow covered forest with a blithe, fearless step; Solange on her side slipped away from Ursay at 9 o'clock; and they met at a glade called 'The Walk,' about a mile and a half from here.

"On Christmas evening they met as usual, but just as Laurent reached the glade he slipped upon the frozen ground, and fell in such an awkward way as to break his right leg and strain his right wrist. Solange tried to lift him up but was unable to do so; she could only drag him to a young elm tree and set him up with his back against the trunk.

"'Stop there, my poor Laurent,' she said, wrapping her cloak around him, 'and I will run to the doctor at Ursay; he will come and fetch you in his cart.'

"She started off on her way to the village, and had turned the bend in the road, when she heard the report of a gun and a cry for help. She ran back to her lover, whom she found ghastly pale with pain and fear, one hand convulsively clutching his gun, which was lying on the ground.

"'What is the matter, Laurent, dear?' she asked, anxiously. 'Was it you who fired?'

"'Yes,' he replied. 'Soon after you had left me I noticed a strong smell, and when I looked up I saw an animal with glaring red eyes, and as big as a great dog. I believe it was a wolf.'

"'Did you fire at it?'

"'No; I couldn't lift the gun, you know, on account of my arm. I pulled the trigger as it rested on the ground to frighten the brute, and you see he is gone.'

"'Will it come back?' asked Solange after a moment's reflection.

"'I am sure it will!' answered the young man. 'You'll have to stop here with me, Solange; if you don't the beast will eat me.'

"'Very well, dear,' said Solange, 'I'll stop with you. Let me have your gun.'

"She took up the weapon, shook out the discharged cartridge and put in a fresh one; and they both waited anxiously.

"Two hours, perhaps more, passed. The moon, still invisible, had risen above the horizon, for the sky reflected a confused light, which became brighter each minute. Laurent was feverish—he shivered and groaned; Solange, benumbed with cold, standing up with her back against the tree, began to get drowsy.

"All at once a kind of whine or howl, like that of a dog chained up at night, made her jump. In the semi-darkness she saw two fiery eyes; it was the wolf.

"Laurent tried to get up and take the gun, but the pain was too great, and he fell back again into a sitting position with a groan.

"'Make ready, Solange,' he cried; 'aim straight between the eyes, and don't fire too soon.'

'Solange raised the weapon to her shoulder, took aim and fired; but the kick of the gun made her miss the animal. Nevertheless, scared by the report, it fled along the road, and was quickly out of sight. A little while afterward they heard it howling in the distance, and it was answered by others.

The moon now emerged from behind the trees and lighted up the whole of the forest, and a terrifying sight met the eyes of the lovers. Within gunshot were five wolves, seated on their hindquarters, like dogs, across the path, while another, bolder than its fellows, was slowly making its way toward Laurent and Solange.

"'Listen to what I tell you, Solange,' said Laurent. 'Take aim at the one which is coming toward us; if you can manage to knock him over, the others will eat him, and we shall have a rest while they are doing it.'

"The wolf continued to advance slowly; they could see its red eyeballs, its bones showing through its dull, ragged-looking coat—so thin was it through hunger—and its open mouth with the tongue hanging out.

"'Rest the butt of the gun well in the hollow of your shoulder,' said Laurent. 'Now let him have it!'

"Bang! The wolf gave a jump in the air and fell dead without a sound; the others rushed away as hard as they could and disappeared in the brushwood.

"'Run to the wolf, quick, Solange!' exclaimed her lover. 'Drag it as far up the road as you can; there is no danger, the others won't come back yet.'

"She ran to the dead wolf, but he called her back when she had gone a few steps.

"'We ought to cut off the head, you know, so as to get the reward.'

"'Have you got a knife?' she asked.

"'Yes, here in my belt.'

"It was a hunting knife, with a short handle and a wide blade. She took it and running to where the animal lay, she cut off its head and dragged the carcass by one foot over the slippery ground as far away as she could, and returned to Laurent with the head.

"What Laurent had foreseen took place. The wolves, frightened at first by the death of their companion, came back—all five of them—when they smelt blood. By the light of the moon the two young people saw the group of wolves struggling, fighting, and rolling over one another in their efforts to get a full share of the prey, of which they devoured every scrap.

"Laurent began to suffer terribly from his broken leg. Solange, whose nerves were giving way under the strain, was vainly endeavoring to struggle against fatigue and drowsiness. Twice the gun nearly fell from her hands.

"Having finished their meal, the wolves began to come nearer to the young people. The girl fired once, twice, at random in their midst, but her frozen fingers trembled and the bullets were wide of the mark. At the report of the gun the brutes scurried away along the road for some short distance, where they stopped for a few minutes and then came back.

"Laurent and Solange knew that it was all over with them, then, and that they must perish.

"The girl let the gun fall to the ground, but not for an instant did she think of abandoning her wounded lover and saving herself by flight. She lay down upon the frozen ground by his side and threw one end of her cloak, which she had wrapped him in, over her own benumbed limbs, and putting her arms round him, she laid her head against his cheek; thus, outwardly frozen by the cold and inwardly burning with fever, they both waited for death.

"Strange fancies took possession of their disordered minds as they lay half unconscious; it was once again summer time and they were wandering through the forest decked with summer verdure, enjoying the lovely June evening; then the trees and hedges became suddenly bare, and the forest covered with snow, upon which stood out clearly a mass of moving forms with blazing eyes and gaping mouths—a mass which grew larger every minute, and drew nearer to them to devour them.

"But, fortunately, neither Laurent nor Solange were destined to die in that awful manner. Providence—I believe in Providence, my boys—ordained on that very morning I was returning through the forest in my cart from Saint-Bonnet-le-Desert, where I had been to attend a very urgent case.

"I was driving, while my servant, holding a loaded gun ready in his hand, was on the lookout for wolves. No doubt the bells on my horse frightened the brutes, for we did not see a single one. When we reached the tree, at the foot of which the lovers were lying, my horse shied, and so drew my attention to them. I jumped out, and, aided by my man, lifted the poor things, unconscious and stiff with cold, into the cart, covered them with everything we had in the way of rugs, and made my way as quickly as possible to Ursay.

"I did not forget to take the wolf's head with me.

"It was about 7 o'clock, and the day was breaking when we reached the village. We were met by a large party, consisting of the men employed on the farm of M. Roger Duflos, and about half the people of the village, who, uneasy at the disappearance of Solange, were going in search of her. And it was in that large kitchen where you have just dined that Laurent and Solange, restored to consciousness and seated in front of a flaming beech wood fire, told us what they had passed through during that dreadful night."

"Well, doctor, I suppose they got married after that?" we asked.

"Of course," replied the Doctor. "The will of Providence is sometimes so clearly shown in the course of events that it does not require any gift of second sight to perceive it. After the adventure of the wolves the parents of Solange consented to her marriage with Laurent Grillet. The wedding took place in the spring, and the fifty francs reward which they received for the wolf's head paid for the bride's dress."

We all remained silent. It was now quite dark, the twinkling stars were reflected in the deep, blue water of the Cher, and the thick mass of trees stood out like mountains upon the horizon.

We saw Wolf Solange dress her two boys and come toward us on her way back to her home, the child asleep in her arms and the others walking by her side as before. As she passed us she smiled at the Doctor, who smiled in return and wished her a cheery "Good evening, Solange!"—From the French, in the Strand Magazine.

Portugal Proposes to Acquire a Navy.

Portugal proposes to acquire a modern navy in a novel manner. First-class shipbuilders are to be asked how many vessels of specified types they will supply a year, for twenty years or less, in consideration of $555,000 a year and certain monopolies. The award will go to the firm that offers the most in the least time and for the shortest period of monopoly. The Government shipyards will be closed and one yard established at Lisbon, to which all the existing machinery and operatives will be sent.

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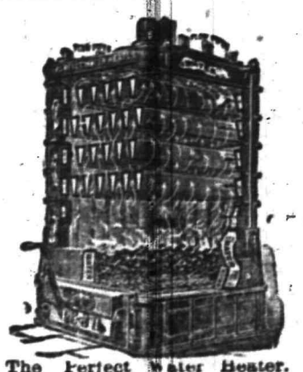
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First Shots at the Old Flag.

The stars and stripes were first assailed by the Confederates on Jan. 9, 1861. Soon after dawn of that day the United States steamer Star of the West, carrying 200 armed soldiers of the Ninth infantry, intended to re-enforce the garrison of Fort Sumter, crossed the bar of Charleston harbor and steamed up the channel. When within little less than two miles of the fort, a masked battery on Morris island, half a mile distant from the vessel, opened fire. The steamer carried the usual American ensign on her staff, and at the first shot ran up a full sized garrison flag at her fore, but that was no more respected than the other.

The captain of the Star of the West had intentionally selected his course near the Morris island shore in order to keep out of range of the Confederate guns in Fort Moultrie, and therefore sailed some distance under fire. Most of the balls passed over, several, however, barely missing the mark. Fort Sumter's guns did not answer the Morris island battery, and Fort Moultrie remained silent. Meanwhile several small vessels and armed schooners bore down on the Star of the West, with the apparent purpose of cutting her off, and the commander of the expedition, Lieutenant Charles R. Woods, U. S. A. (afterward a distinguished general), decided to put about and abandon the project. The battery kept up a brisk fire until the vessel had passed out of range.

GENERAL C. R. WOODS.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Those who have always thought of Gov. Werts as a matter-of-fact, utilitarian person are agreeably surprised at the sentiment he displays in his message to the Legislature. He makes a stirring and poetic plea for the protection of the Palisades, and effects a striking combination of sentiment and sense. Gov. Werts has constantly shown himself a man of head, and now he stands revealed as a man of head and heart, worthy of the sincere affection and deep respect of the great little State which he is governing with such judgment and vigor.

Charles C. McBride is an editor who has won honor and reward in the newspaper world by his enterprising, fearless and powerful conduct of the Elizabeth Journal. He has made politicians, and now he is reaping political reward. Yesterday Senator Stokes appointed him private secretary, a position where the editor with the curly gray locks will have an opportunity to develop a masterly silence on what he knows about the inner workings of the Republican party in New Jersey. As private secretary, Mr. McBride will get on to lots of news that as a newspaper man he 'd itch to publish—but can 't. Still, it 's a pleasant honor, and shows that his integrity and faithful service are appreciated, and The Press extends its sincere congratulations.

Plainfield is particularly fortunate in having a postoffice in which the wants of the town have been supplied almost as soon as they have been felt. Especially in the free delivery and collection of the mails has the progress been marked by unusual strides of late. There is one fault, however, in this particular department of the postoffice, that might be obviated by the expenditure of a very few dollars and a very little trouble. In all United States mail boxes will be found a recessed frame, designed to hold a list of times for collection from the particular box In large cities the list gives times of collection and also times of arrival at the sub-station. In the Plainfield boxes these frames are empty, and the person who drops a letter in the slot has but a very vague idea, if any at all, as to when the mail will be collected. From some boxes there are two collections in twenty-four hours, from others four, but one has no means of finding out the number for a particular box without inquiring at the postoffice While it is true that in a place where the carriers routes are so long the time of collection from any particular box will vary slightly, still it is possible to announce by means of a simple card the number of collections and their approximate times, to the great convenience of anyone using the box. At a purely nominal cost this little convenience might be provided, and there are many who would thank the postmaster heartily if they could tell with any degree of certainty when a letter consigned by them to the letter-box would start on its journey.

—The union services of the Plainfield and Grace Methodist churches will be continued tonight and each night this week except Saturday. Rev. Mr. Randolph of Grace Church will speak tonight. The service will be in Vincent Chapel.

—Wm. R. Conover, proprietor of the pool room at 25 Somerset street, will remodel and refurnish the billiard parlors over Woolston & Buckle's on North avenue which he has recently leased, and intends making it a popular resort for lovers of the game.

DRAMA AND OPERA.

"THE SCARLET LETTER" BY DAMROSCH, PROMISES WELL.

Denman Thompson Revives "The Old Homestead for a Long Run. The Kendals Fail to Enthuse New York Audiences. "Down in Dixie" Scores a Hit.

"Lady Clancarty" was played, I believe, for two hundred and fifty consecutive nights in London. Even with the magnificent setting given to it by the Kendals it is difficult to find much reason for such long continued popularity. The scenery at Abbey's in New York was certainly a triumph of decorative art. Few more charming pictures have been shown us on the stage than that presented in the third act, in Lady Clancarthy's chamber; there was such an air of solidity about the room, with its tapestried walls and rich furniture, all in unimpeachable taste and historically correct. Even the hearse like plumes on the bed were not forgotten. There was,

MRS. KENDALL.

in fact, everything in the revival at Abbey's—scenery, costumes and stage furniture—everything, save a good piece. Mrs. Kendal struggled hard to enlist the sympathies of the audience for that poor young wife. But you felt that it was simply technique and not art that interested you. It was the actress, not the play. Tom Taylor's reach wofully exceeded his grasp in this instance, and instead of writing, as, I dare say, he believed he had done, a strong historical play, he simply turned out a mild melodrama. The Kendals are not as popular in New York as they were upon their first visit to this country several years ago.

The good "Old Homestead" is revived at the Star, and promises a long run. There is nightly what Joshua Whitcomb would style "a right smart shower," and this imitation of a rain storm in "The Old Homestead" is made close by several novel devices, one of which, at least, is quite new. It occurs at the end of the first act. During the long scene between the tramp and Uncle Josh the lights are gradually lowered, so that the transition from day to darkness occupies fully fifteen minutes. Having dismissed the ragged wanderer, the old farmer falls a-dozing in his chair, and does not see the bright flashes of "heat" lightning that illuminate the sky, nor the black clouds that they reveal, and that are gathering threateningly. A clap of thunder alarms "the wimmin folks." They rush outdoors to rouse the head of the house, and a great scurrying about ensues to make everything secure for the shower. Meanwhile the lightning grows brighter, the intervals of darkness blacker, and the thunder louder and more nearly continuous. Finally, responsive to a "near by" thunder peal, zigzag streaks of blinding lightning run across the sky, light up the landscape, and are reflected for a moment in the lake in the background, and the rain begins. Its coming is made known to the ear by a good imitation of the rushing sound made by the first heavy fall of big rain drops, and for the eye there is across half of the stage a transparent curtain striped with whitish gray drops which look much like rain falling slantingly. This is so arranged that the flashes of lightning that come from the rear of the stage are still plainly seen through the rainfall, the falling drops reflecting the light a little. In total darkness they are still faintly visible.

A drama that is having its first run in New York is "Down in Dixie" at the Columbus. The author is Scott Marble, an actor, who seems to have been a shrewd observer of audiences, and into this play he has crowded a good deal of stuff that delights the multitude at the theatres. To enliven his scenes of Southern life he employs a number of real and imitation negroes, who sing and dance, many of them in the manner of the pickaninny bands in "The Passing Show" and "In Old Kentucky." For a big, deep thrill lie resorts to the old, old device of placing the hero of his story where he seems sure to be horribly mangled to death and then saving him at the last possible moment. It is hard to explain why the spectators of such mimic dangers, knowing full well that the hero bears a charmed life, and can't be killed by all the villains who choose to pursue him, will nevertheless get excited over his predicament. But it has been so from the railway locomotive in "Under the Gaslight" to the bomb in "The Fatal Card." The machine set up for the same purpose in "Down in Dixie" is a cotton compress. The scene shows the machinery of the compress, the details being remarkable for their minuteness. The hissing of the steam, which escapes from the three cylinders in clouds, is heard, and suddenly the three pistons move. The huge platen descends with a majesty and certainty that is intended to curdle the blood and cause the hairs of the audience to stand on end.

The principal feature of the Symphony Society concerts on Friday afternoon and Saturday evening were a number of extracts from Mr. Walter Damrosch's opera, "The Scarlet Letter." This work, upon which the composer has been occupied for some time, is founded upon Hawthorne's novel, and the libretto is from the pen of Mr. George Parsons Lathrop. LINWARD.

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—The Carpenters and Joiners Union met last evening and transacted routine business.

—On account of the absence of a majority of members, the Camera Club at their meeting last evening deferred the election of officers till next Tuesday evening.

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Funeral services from his late residence, 1057 Central ave., Friday, Jan. 11, at 3 p.m. Interment in Rural Cemetery, Albany, Saturday. 2

Slippery Sidewalks.

The city ordinance compels property-holders to remove snow and ice from sidewalks where possible, or to spread sawdust, ashes, or sand where the snow or ice is congealed to the sidewalk. This must be done within four hours after the snow or rainfall ceases. Arrest will be made for violation of this ordinance.

GEORGE W. GRANT,
Chief of Police.

The Finderne,

under its new management, to be conducted as a

STRICTLY HIGH-GRADE RESORT

Inclosed piazzas, steam heat for Winter.

Open All the Year.

A. E. WHITE, Manager,
Finderne, N. J
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To All Whom It May Concern.

Whereas, my wife, Eveleen Hall, has without just cause or provocation left my bed and board, I hereby forbid all persons to harbor her or trust her on my account.

WM. H. HALL.

Plainfield, Jan. 8, 1895.

NOTICE!

I. H. DAHLMAN'S

New Departure

AUCTION SALE AND COMMISSION STABLES,

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F. 24th st., Bet. 2d & 3d avas

NEW YORK.

Grand Opening Auction Sale,

Monday, Jan. 14, '95, 10 a. m.

Regular sales to take place every Monday and Thursday following the grand opening in the new and spacious ring now being completed for the sale of horses by auction

Having made arrangements for regular consignment from the best horse producing states in America, I am ready to supply any number of horses of all descriptions—coach horses, saddle horses, trotters, cobs, draft, cart and truck horses, express, delivery and railroad horses. In fact, horses suitable for every purpose.

48 hours' trial given; every horse must be as represented. Each and every horse will be sold to the highest bidder.

19 m-m w s I. H. DAHLMAN.

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

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Plainfield, N. J.

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We are closing out about thirty lots of

Fine Stationery at 25c Qr.

Worth from 30 to 60c.

Only two quires to each customer.

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Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

$15 suits for $10.

$12 ulsters for $8.50.

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

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FREDERICK DURAND, Representative.

TUNING A SPECIALTY. Call and receive a copy of this month's Musical Guest.

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To order your winter supply of

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We have completed our large plant on South avenue and are prepared to supply you with the best quality of Lehigh in the market. Also

Bluestone Flagging and Curbing.

12 large barrels best kindling wood for $2.

Leave orders at office, 171 North avenue, opposite depot.

No. 2 Coal, $4 ton. M. POWERS & SON.

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The very same, this year, last year, next year.

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Best in the business and just as cheap.

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NEWS OF NEAR NEIGHBORS.

Scotch Plains and Fanwood.

Fanwood Council R. A., held their public installation and reception last evening and notwithstanding the inclement weather the hall was nicely filled with the elite of Scotch Plains and Fanwood society. Council met in their rooms over the hall and marched in a body to the strains of Lambert's orchestra downstairs, where seats were reserved in the front of the hall. The hall was decorated with a ship's full colors. After an overture by the orchestra Regent Bowman made a short address of welcome and turned the evening entertainment over to the orator. Hugh J. Emmet entertained the audience with several selections on the violin, after which District Deputy Black proceeded to install the officers elect for the ensuing year. The ceremony of installation was very impressive and entertaining, Deputy Black showing he was well up in his work. After installation Mr. Emmet entertained the audience with imitations of a country dance, on the violin. Deputy Black made an address on the merits and benefits of the order and appealed to the ladies for their support, telling them they could get brother, husband, etc., into an order like the R. A. quicker than men could, and that it was to their interest to do so as they would receive the benefit when the strong right arm ceased to protect them. W. E. Collins, the newly-installed Regent, made a short address and brought the entertainment to a close. The floor was soon cleared. The grand march was led by Regent Collins and Mrs. W. B. Buckley, after which the evening was given over to the tripping of the light fantastic toe. Among those present were: Mr and Mrs George Kyte, Mr and Mrs H Robison, Mr and Mrs Runand, Mr and Mrs Gwynnett, Mr and Mrs H O Robison, L Tuzo, H Kyte, H Young, Miss Briggs, Miss Florence Kyte, Miss Kyte, and others of Fanwood, Mr and Mrs L W Miller, Mr and Mrs John Robison, Mr and Mrs W B Buckley, Mr and Mrs George W Marsh, Mr and Mrs Hand, Mr and Mrs T J Eicholl, Mr and Mrs William Maguin, Mr and Mrs John Johnston, Mr and Mrs W E Collins, the Misses Colton, Squires, Parse, Bliss, Adams, Randolph, Quereau, Robison, Frentz, Nichols, Carter, Hennedy, Hosinger, Marsh, Messrs. Cortens, Noble, Collins, Cull, Fields, Patterson, Marsh, and others of Scoth Plains. The evening was brought to a close about 2 in the morning and all left with best wishes for the Royal Arcanum and its members. The officers installed for the ensuing year were: Regent—W E Collins; Vice Regent—Frank Quereau; Orator—W B Buckley; Treasurer—Dr F W Westcott; Collector—J H Parks; Past Regent—John Bowman; Guide—George Collins, Warden—John G Cook; Sentry—Irving Quereau. Secretary Dunn was unable to be present to be installed on account of sickness.

The election for Fire Department officers was held at the several companies headquarters last evening and resulted as follows: Chief—F W Westcott; First Assistant—F W Quereau; Second Assistant—W H Lake.

Norman Dunn is confined to his home on Mountain Avenue with a severe cold.

An election for Sunday-school officers for the ensuing year will be held at the Baptist Sunday-school Sunday.

Thursday and Friday evening the Baptist and Methodist churches will unite in holding union prayer meetings at the Methodist church.

Thomas S. Young offers $100 towards crushed stone to be used on Forest avenue if the Township will open Russell road and run the branch of the trolley over it instead of Forest avenue.

A large sleighload of the young people of the town enjoyed a straw ride Saturday evening, Milburn being their destination. After dancing (winning a horse for 10 cents), and partaking of refreshments, the journey home began, arriving about 12 o'clock.

A reception will be tendered the pastor's choir of the Baptist Church Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5. Chocolate and cake will be served.

Miss Mary Hayes is confined to her bed by a severe cold.

Wm. Corey of Albany is spending a few days with George W. Randolph of Park avenue.

—Work is nearing completion on the driven well at Leal's School, West Front street.

—A meeting of the Brotherhood of the Church of the Holy Cross will be held in the parish rooms this evening at 8.

—Popular Mrs. Whittemore, whom everyone knows for her charities and good works, will speak in Music Hall Sunday afternoon at 4:15, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

—The city ordinance requires that within four hours after the storm ceases, where snow and ice congeal to the sidewalk ashes, sawdust or sand must be spread for the safety of pedestrians.

—At the regular meeting of Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., last evening, the F. C. degree was conferred on one candidate. The balance of the evening was occupied with routine business.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. Armstrong, manager.

THE WEATHER.

Colder, with a Cold Wave by Thursday Morning; Northwest Winds.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Work was commenced today in the Babcock Building to arrange for the new post-office. March 1 is the time set for removal.

—Wm. Barrell has recently been transferred from the sub-list to a regular run as conductor on the Somerset street trolley line.

—The installation of officers in Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., takes place tomorrow evening. District Deputy Chas. I. Young will officiate.

—Max Wiertz very kindly remembered the employes on the street railway yesterday by presenting them with some choice cigars. The favor was appreciated exceedingly.

—The agency of the Daily Press Wants and Offers column is today used in an effort to rectify a mistake made in the exchange of a Spanish lace scarf at the Tyler reception.

Rathbone Sisters Install.

Last evening Supreme Deputy Mrs M N Morrison and staff of Elizabeth installed the following officers of Minerva Temple, No 4, Rathbone Sisters, in K of P Hall last evening:

P C—Mrs E H Cox.
M E C—Mrs E Moore.
M E S—Mrs I H Boehm.
M E J—Mrs E T Bowman.
M of S—Mrs McComas.
M of R and C—Mrs A E Dawe.
M of F—Mrs M Thatcher.
P of T—Mrs J Haberle.
G of O T—Mrs A Eagan.
Organist—Mrs A D Pope.

After the installation an interesting programme of songs, speechmaking and recitations was enjoyed, and at its close a bountiful collation was served in the banquet room.

Death of Geo. H. Burgess.

The death of George H. Burgess occurred this morning at his home, 1057 Central avenue. Mr. Burgess had been complaining for some time, but was able to be about, and it was not until a few days ago that he was compelled to take to his bed.

Since that time he suffered very much, especially last night, when the family was constantly in attendance. Mr. Burgess was a faithful member of the First M. E Church, and will be greatly missed in the church.

He leaves a widow, a daughter, Mrs. Joseph Yerkes, and a son, George H. Burgess, Jr.

The funeral services will be held from his late home, Friday afternoon at 3 Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes will officiate.

—"A Baggage Check" will be presented in Music Hall Jan. 16.

—"The Beauxlieux Diamonds", by Harriett Prescott Spofford, begins in The Daily Press tomorrow. Every woman will find peculiar interest in this story, and everyone loving a tale of romance and mystery should read it.

The Elliot Will Case.

In the Elliot will case before Judge Rice in New Brunswick yesterday, Geo. W. DeMeza filed a caveat in favor of William and Walter Elliot on the grounds of undue influence and want of testamentary capacity. Lawyer DeMeza made an application to have the matter referred to Judge VanCleef, and further applied for the appointment of an administrator prudente lite. Messrs. Foley and Powell of New York sustained the will.

Mrs. Elliot's property consists of a large hotel in Lakewood, valuable real estate in Dunellen and a large life insurance policy.

Advertise if you want a room, or insurance on your life;
Advertise for a boy or a girl—or even for a wife;
Advertise for money lost (but not for money found);
Advertise for a house to rent, or for a piece of ground;
Advertise for tips, on the races to be run;
Advertise a little song, like "Johnny, get your gun;"
Advertise your business, advertise it well;
Advertise in truthfulness—a lie you must not tell;
Advertise judiciously, and always this remember;
Start your ad in January and run it till December.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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Agent for National Fire Ins. Co. of Hartford; Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co. of Newark. Residence—306 Orange place.

A HAPPY FELLOW.

From the meadow where I sit,
See a sky o' blue—
God was six days paintin' it
Jest fer me an' you.

Every time it strikes my eye
I keep sayin': "There's your sky!
Blue an' bendin'
An' unendin'!"
So I sing, an' never sigh.

Sunshine over hill an' glen—
Birds in every tree;
When God made the country, ten
Acres came to me!

Every time it blossoms fair,
I keep sayin': "That's your share!
Roses growin'—
Rivers flowin'!"
So I'm happy everywhere!

Spring or winter—rain or shine,
Don't care where I'm at,
So much of the country's mine—
Praise the Lord for that!

Sky an' meadow, high or low,
I keep sayin' as I go—
"There's your birthright!"
Got the earth right—
That is why I'm singing so.

—F. L. Stanton in Life.

DR. WILDER'S BRAINLESS FROG.

Put Through Its Tricks Before the Association of American Anatomists.

A brainless frog was one of the features of interest on the second and last day's session of the Association of American Anatomists. It was exhibited by Dr. Burt G. Wilder of Cornell University, and it was brought upon the scene after Dr. Wilder had read his paper on "Some Anomalies of the Brain."

It was a good-sized, lusty-looking batrachian, and it was in a bottle. Dr. Wilder handled the bottle gingerly while he explained that he had removed the frog's brain on Dec. 7, the frog being under the influence of ether. He then rolled the frog out on the table. All the men of science gathered around and examined the frog's left ear, where the brain had been removed.

The frog, meanwhile, had got into a squat, and gazed stupidly straight before him. He was motionless, and when Dr. Wilder passed his hand quickly before his bulbous eyes the frog didn't even blink.

"That shows," said Dr. Wilder with a little pride, "that froggie hasn't enough brains left to realize the impression given to the eye."

When the doctor touched the frog's back, however, he wriggled and made a movement as if he'd like to get away, only he hadn't enough energy to do so. Then Dr. Wilder brought out a wicker cylinder, and when the frog was placed on top of it he knew enough to keep from sliding off, or to keep it from slipping from under him.

The frog, having shown himself off in this trick, was put in a glass basin half full of water. Instantly he struck out with all fours, and swam as if his head were full of brains.

"That," said Dr. Wilder, "is just like a frog that has a mind."

Then a bit of meat was got, and forced down the frog's throat with the aid of a forceps. For a moment the meat rested there, the frog not knowing enough to swallow. But presently it must have choked him, for he gave a great gulp and bolted it.

"That," said Dr. Wilder triumphantly, "is reflex action."

The end of the frog's accomplishments having been reached, he was put back in his bottle. It is said that he may live for seven or eight months without a brain.

GOLD MINES IN CEMETERIES.

Half a Million in Gold Buried Annually with Americans.

A Frenchman who recently made a tour of the United States has been writing his impressions in Le Temps. In one of his articles he says that what struck him particularly in this country was the Ameriban habit of filling the teeth with gold.

He consulted statisticians, he says, and by figuring on information given by them has discovered that the gold annually pounded into cavities in the teeth of Americans amounts to the value of $500,000.

All of this precious metal, he says, is buried with the Yankees when they die, and he figures that at the end of three centuries the cemeteries of America will contain gold to the value of £30,000,000.

"I am afraid," the writer goes on to say, "that this will prove too tempting to the practical mind of the future American, and we shall see the day when companies will be organized to mine the cemeteries and recover the gold secreted in the jaws of dead ancestors."

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

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Dunham Mayo	Randolph Miss J A
Ell's Charles	Teeple Sadie
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Chapped Hands and Lemon Juice and Glycerine.
Rough, painful, perhaps bleeding hands are bad enough, but what annoys you most is the untidy looks which scrubbing seems only to make worse and which nothing but warm weather will quite remedy. Yet lots of people find relief in a simple mixture prepared by us from lemon juice and glycerine—names which suggest comfort and cure. Glycerine is everywhere used, but people forget the cleansing and whitening properties of lemon juice and its power of neutralizing the bad effect of strong soaps. REYNOLDS'S LEMON JUICE AND GLYCERINE once used is never forgotten. Sprinkler bottles 25c. REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY, Park and North avenues.

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Winter Underwear for ladies, for gentlemen, for misses, for boys, for infants, at our regular popular prices.
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Note the large size sticks and see the price, only
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Parlor suits	$20
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Brussels carpet, per yard	50cts
Extra super ingrain carpet, per yard	50cts
Cotton chain ingrain carpet, per yard	25cts
Good bed lounges	$7
Parlor stoves	at your own price.

Note the name Amos before entering the store.
PORTLAND RANGES—The leading range in the city, and we will wager $25 that that there is more sold of that range than any other in the city. Why? Simply because it is the cheapest. Cheapest because it is the best; good baker, good draught and several improvements connected with it make it the most complete range manufactured. Easy terms.
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GREAT UNDERWEAR SALE MONDAY Jan. 7.
Great sale of
25 & 50c Muslin Underwear
MONDAY, Jan. 7.
This sale will continue for one week at these prices. You can save 50c. on every dollar's worth you buy. Every article brand new and made up of the best muslins

Only 25c.
This is the time of year when you should buy muslin underwear. The bargain seeker will take advantage of this sale, because they know a good thing when they see it.
Ask for a card that will entitle you to an elegant piece of furniture when your purchase aggregates $10. $15 or $25.
Great sale of
25 & 50c Muslin Underwear
MONDAY, Jan. 7.
During the dull season merchants will sell goods at a small profit to force business. We are satisfied with no profit; we do this to keep up our record.
MONDAY, JAN. 7.

Only 50c.
This is not a one article sale, but includes corset covers, skirts, night dresses and drawers; we have 100 dozen of each price and can easily suit you; we are sure to have a rush on these goods. To avoid this you should call early.
BOEHM'S, 113 West Front Street.

Don't Be Afraid
To send the children when they want Shoes. They will be waited upon just as carefully as if you came with them. One price and your money back if you want it.
ALEX. WILLETT & SON,
107 Park Avenue.

January Attractions.
Not many attractive things about January except the attractive prices that we are going to put on our entire stock. It means business without profit to us; to you a chance to make your money go farther.
Such as These.
Muslins

Fruit of the Loom	6½c
Lonsdale muslin	6½c
Dwight Anchor	6½c
Lonsdale cambric	5c
Heavy bleached sheeting 10x4	17c
" " " 9x4	16c
" " " 8x4	14c
Heavy pillow case muslin 5x4	9c

Table Linen
70 inch cream damask 38c
Dress Goods
A wonderful difference in the prices you will find on dress goods. We have cut the prices on every piece in the store; they all go at cost and below.
Coat Department
About that coat, now is the time you want it and you save a few dollars on it by buying it here. We sell every coat and cape in the store at cost.
Hosiery & Underwear
Same sort of reductions we have made in the prices of ladies' gentlemen's and children's underwear, hosiery and gloves. Just try us.
Horse Owners
It don't pay to go without blankets, when you can buy the 5-A blankets at just what they cost. That's the way we are selling them.
WHITE,
of Plainfield.

To Keep the Ball Rolling.
We're going to sell this week all of our Clothing at greatly reduced prices.
No old stock, everything new and fashionable. The list is too long to quote. You'll have to come in and see the goods.
We will also offer some "big bargains" in our Hat and Gent's Furnishings Goods Department.
Suits and Trousers to order at short notice.
Good fit and workmanship guaranteed. Should you be in need of anything in our line, would be pleased to have you call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.
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Holly, shade trees,
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Ferneries, Bermuda lilies, etc.,
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SHILOH'S CURE.

THIS GREAT COUGH CURE promptly cures where all others fail. For Consumption it has no rival; has cured thousands, and will CURE YOU, if taken in time. [illegible] 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00.

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RIOTING IN ST. JOHN'S

Destitute Citizens Raid the Legislative Building.

After a Desperate Encounter with the Police They Are Ejected from the Hall—They Then Loot the Stores To Secure Food—Four of the Leaders Arrested.

St. John's, N. F., Jan. 9.—Disorder prevailed here all day, and it is nothing short of a miracle that serious bloodshed was averted. The unemployed assembled early in the morning and marched to the man-of-war Tourmaline, whose captain had promised them that he would use his influence with the authorities in obtaining relief from the destitution now prevailing. His ministrations were fruitless. It seems, for when the crowd of unfortunates appeared, he referred them to the governor. Disappointed, and exasperated with hunger, the men reformed their ranks and marched to the government house, where a deputation waited upon the executive. The latter informed them that the government was considering measures of relief, and advised them, pending action on the bills, to call upon the city representatives for their immediate wants.

The mob, for such it had now become, then went to the legislative buildings, but were refused admission. Enraged at this, they burst open the doos and surged into the corridors. The police on guard attempted to drive them out, but they were overwhelmed by the infuriated mob and forced to retire, leaving the building at the mercy of the invaders. The assembly not being in session, few members were in the building at the time, but those who were, lost no time in fleeing from the place. The police reserves were summoned, and, after a desperate struggle, managed to eject the intruders.

In the afternoon the crowd reassembled and returned to the government house, where it complained to the governor of its treatment during the morning and reiterated its demand for relief. The governor repeated his advice of the forenoon and said he was powerless to act without the cooperation of the ministry.

Then the crowd once more made its way to the legislative buildings. The hour for the convening of the session was near at hand, and, knowing the determination of the mob, those inside, on being informed of its approach, immediately began preparations to prevent its entry. The doors were barricaded and the whole available police force were stationed around the building. The crowd swelled in dimensions momentarily, and soon the whole of the grounds in front of the structure was a solid mass of humanity, in the midst of which floated a large flag bearing conspicuously the words, "Work or Bread," while ejaculations of similar import were made by the crowd. By this time, the mob, seeing that no attention was being paid to its demands by those inside the building, made a rush for the doors. The police were powerless to stem the tide of the infuriated mass and many officers were injured.

One sergeant was thrown over the steps leading to the main door and seriously hurt, while another officer had his cheek cut open with a stone. Finally, Premier Greene appeared on the balcony, and, in a speech, expressed regret at the condition of the colony and the destitution prevailing among the people. He promised that employment would be given within three days and begged the crowd to have patience and confidence in the government. He promised to resign, if work was not provided within the time specified.

This did not satisfy the crowd, who told him plainly that they would break into the stores and get food. This threat the mob immediately put into effect. Marching down into the city, the rioters made an attack upon stores and received a quantity of provisions. Just as they were being carried out a large force of police appeared on the scene, and drove the mob away after a severe struggle, during which the police were forced to draw their swords in self defense. A body of mounted police arrived shortly afterward, and the combined forces managed to keep the crowd at bay until darkness came, when the rioters dispersed. Four of the leaders have been arrested.

The streets this morning are crowded with people. A guard from the warship Tourmaline is doing patrol duty in front of the principal buildings, as it is feared that other raids may be attempted during the day.

In Favor of the Trust.

New York, Jan. 9.—Judge Lacombe, in the United States circuit court, has handed down a decision in favor of the American Tobacco company, otherwise known as the Cigarette trust, against the National Cigarette company, for the violation of patent rights. Judge Lacombe states in his decision that he will suspend judgement in case an appeal is taken.

Worth Nearly Two Millions.

Philadelphia, Jan. 9.—The appraisers of the estate of Edward B. Leisenring, the late president of the Lehigh Coal & Navigation company, who died in Hamburg, Germany, on September 29 last, have filed their report with the register of wills. The valuation of Mr. Leisenring's personalty is placed at $1,983,964.

The Addicks Divorce Case.

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 9.—Chief Justice Lore has denied the petition of J. Edward Addicks to compel his wife to file a specific bill of particulars in her divorce suit. The court fixed Mrs. Addicks alimony at $100 a month during pendency of the suit, payment to begin thirty days from this date. It also allowed her $1,500 for expenses.

Death of an Old Grain Merchant.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 9.—D. D. Winston, one of Utica's oldest merchants is dead, aged 67 years. As a grain merchant and forwarder, he was well known throughout the state. He was at one time a manager of the Utica State hospital for the insane.

AN APPEAL FOR AID.

Destitute Ohio Miners Present a Petition to Gov. McKinley.

Columbus, O., Jan. 9.—I. N. Coleman and J. G. Riley, having proper credentials and representing the miners of sub-district No. 1, composed of the counties of Perry, Athens, Hocking and Muskingum, called upon Gov. McKinley and presented a petition picturing the destitution among the 10,000 miners there, 5,000 of whom have not had any work for months, and asking the governor to appeal to the people of the state for aid. The committee was given a respectful hearing by the governor, who exhibited considerable emotion over the sufferings portrayed.

The governor asked them how much they thought they would need, but the committee of course could make no estimate. The result of the conference was that a call will be issued to the people asking for contributions and a committee of respectable citizens in different parts of the state will be designated to receive and disburse the moneys, clothing etc., received.

There are fifty thousand destitute people in the district who are without food or fuel. The wages paid at the best mines do not average $1 a day and the work is so divided that no man makes more than $3 a week. This is done so that all can earn a little each week to keep the wolf from the door. The papers will also appeal to the people.

PETITION TO GOV. MORTON.

Dutchess Lawyers Want Judge Barnard to Hold Special Terms.

Albany, Jan. 9.—A petition has been prepared for the presentation to Gov. Morton signed by all the leading lawyers of Dutchess county asking the governor to assign ex-Justice Joseph F. Barnard of Poughkeepsie to the duty of holding special terms at Poughkeepsie on each Saturday and to sit at chambers the other days of the week.

The new constitution provides that any justice of the supreme court whose term of office is abridged by reason of the age limitation of 70 years, "may, with his consent be assigned by the governor from time to time to any duty in the supreme court while his compensation is so continued."

Justice Barnard's last term began on January 1, 1886. He was elected for a term of 14 years, and therefore is available for five years to come. He has expressed his consent to be assigned to any duty of holding court.

ON HIS WEDDING NIGHT.

A Young Man Calmly Sits Down and Kills Himself.

Cleveland, O., Jan., 9.—George W. Davis, aged 26 years, a claim agent of the Lake Shore railroad, committed suicide under peculiar circumstances. Early in the evening he went with his brother to their home, 131 Liberty street. Going to a spare room he lit the gas, sat down on a chair before a mirror, put his feet on another chair and shot himself in the right temple, the bullet passing entirely through his head.

He had not been dead an hour when two little girls came to the house, who inquired for him and explained that their sister, whom he was to marry. The young lady is Miss Anna Noona, an intelligent and handsome girl employed in one of the hospitals.

THE TREASURY RECEIPTS.

Operations of the Tariff Bill Affords Much Satisfaction.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The continued heavy receipts by the treasury now that the tariff bill is becoming operative in all its schedules, affords much satisfaction to treasury officials. This month so far the receipts have averaged more than $1,000,000 a day (Sunday's excepted). The daily average for several months back shows the gradual improvement.

Eight days of January 1895, daily average $948,480; December $705,000; November $647,000; October $617,000; September $705,000; August $1,304,000; July $1,123,000.

During July, August and September abnormal conditions obtained to swell the receipts but since September the conditions have been normal and show steady improvement.

The Jewish Disability Measure.

London, Jan. 9.—The Odessa correspondent of the Daily News says: "M. Gruenberg, a leading wealthy Jew, the president of several benevolent societies, says that the government has as yet given no definite promise to relax the Jewish disability measures, but he thinks that favorable signs are not wanting. The report that the abolition of the pale has been decided upon is premature."

Invalid Pension Bills.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The house committee on invalid pensions has ordered favorable reports on bills granting pensions to General John A. McClernand, $100 per month; Gen. Wm. H. Morris, $50 per month, and increasing from $30 to $50 per month the allowance of Mrs. Kelton, widow of General J. C. Kelton, late adjutant general.

All Lived to a Good Old Age.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—The funeral of Mrs. Rosie McDonald, who died at Lockport near here, aged 104 years, will be held to-day. Her father, who brought his family to Lockport in 1848, lived to be 102, and his three sons were over 90 when they died, all in the same place.

The Flints May Recover.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 9.—Both William Flint and his mother, who were shot Sunday by Stella Flint, the former's wife, are improving and both may live. Stella has recovered from her hysteria and was arraigned in court charged with assault.

Novel Attempt at Suicide.

Indianapolis, Jan. 9.—Attia Nantes, a prisoner at the county jail, pounded a glass bottle into pieces, put the particles in a cup of water and drank the contents with the intention of committing suicide. She was given prompt attention and may recover.

Flood Closes Carnegie's Works.

Homestead, Pa., Jan. 9.—The entire lower part of Homestead is under water and the Carnegie works were compelled to shut down on account of the flood which disabled their pumps.

WHAT WILL ITS FATE BE

Speculation on the Carlisle Banking Bill.

Said by the Opponents That It Will Be Defeated by a Vote of 25 to 40—Mr. Sibley's Attack on the President Without Being Called To Order—Work in the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 9.—There is a good deal of quiet but earnest work on the part of the opponents of the Carlisle banking bill with a view to encompassing its defeat when an opportunity offers. This opportunity may be presented when the committee on rules reports an order fixing debate under the five minute rule until Friday, on which date a vote will be taken.

When this resolution is reported, it is the intention of the opposition to antagonize it and to move to strike out the enacting clause of the Carlisle bill. It is feared by the friends of the measure that this motion will carry and that the bill will thus be lost without further delay. It is asserted by those who have canvassed the situation thoroughly that the bill will be defeated by a majority ranging from 25 to 40.

A statement by one of its supporters is that the measure had not at the present time to exceed 113 active friends. On the other hand the opposition is credited with a vote of 168 with 73 members absent or non-committal. The lowest majority predicted against the bill by its friends is ten.

General debate on the bill according to common understanding, was concluded with the adjournment of the house yesterday and the last day was marked with a most sensational speech. Mr. Sibley, a democrat, of Pennsylvania, opened the session's debate with an attack upon the president which exceeded in the character of its description of the chief executive anything that has been heard on the floor.

He described the president as a combination of "brains, belly and brass," without being called to order. He said the mouths of members had been padlocked by promises of patronage, and when pressed by Mr. Outhwaite (dem., O.), to tell who put a padlock upon his lips, said:

"Let me tell the gentleman that I am not talking to men who believe in going to hell in a handcart instead of to heaven supported by truth. Let me tell him also that I am not addressing men who believe more in a bobtail flush than a contrite heart."

Mr. Bland (dem., Mo.) and Mr. Johnson (dem., O.) also spoke in opposition to the bill, as did Mr. Caffeen (dem., Wyo.) The only speech in its favor was made by Mr. Cox (dem., Tenn.), a member of the committee on banking and currency. He said that if Mr. Sibley knew of any member who had sold his vote for patronage or anything else it was his duty to expose and vote to expel him. Mr. Cox's was the last name on the list of the chairman who wanted to speak in favor of the bill, but there remain quite a number who have asked to be heard against it.

Mr. Belthoover (dem., Pa.) gave notice of an additional section; he should offer as an amendment to the bill, authorizing the secretary of the treasury to sell $500,000,000 of five 25 year 3 per cent. bonds with the proceeds of which to retire the greenbacks and treasury notes and fund the floating indebtedness of the government.

Before the debate on the currency bill was begun, a resolution reported from the committee on rules was agreed to directing the committee on appropriations to add to the sundry civil bill a paragraph transferring the control and jurisdiction of the Leavenworth prison from the war department to the department of justice.

The speech of Senator Palmer (dem., Ill.), in opposition to the Lodge resolution as to the withdrawal of American vessels of war from the Haiwaiian islands was the only matter of much interest in the senate. The Illinois senator has the faculty of expressing his ideas in terse and vigorous language, and his speech bristled with sharp and pointed sayings. Thus, after arguing that it was absurd for the senate to demand reasons for the president's action unless it had also the right to compel an answer, he declared that organized curiosity was often simply organized impertinence; and he asserted that the president was maintaining the most rigorous policy of non-intervention in the affairs of the Hawaiian islands. As to the existing government in those islands he said that it was infinite impudence to characterize it as a republic. It was an aristocracy based on wealth. Just as Senator Aldrich (rep., R. I.) had got the floor to criticise the president's recent utterances, the morning hour expired, and the resolution lost its place of precedence, and was again remitted to the calendar. The remainder of the day's session was devoted to the delivery of eulogies on the late Senator Colquitt of Georgia.

New Steamship Line.

Philadelphia, Jan. 9.—A new steamship line will be inaugurated between this city and Charleston on Monday next. The enterprise is represented here by the Philadelphia Steamship company. The new line will have feeders all over the north and west and will be a competitor for all business offering between Charleston and the north and west.

Robbers Loot a Jewelry House.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 9.—Safe robbers at an early hour forced an entrance into the manufacturing jewelry establishment of Wildprett & Saacke, 107 Friendship street, and blowing open the safes escaped with between $4,000 and $5,000 worth of gold rings, gold stock and jewelry.

Female College Burned.

Huntsville, Ala., Jan. 9.—The Huntsville Female college, one of the largest institutions of the kind in the south, has been destroyed by fire. There were 100 boarders in the building all of whom escaped without serious injury so far as is known.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 3 39, 4 39, 5 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 8 59, 9 05, 9 36, 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

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For Perth Amboy—1 43 a. m. daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20, 7 36, 9 54 and 12 27, Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

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Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 28, 9 00, 10 00, 11 28 A. M., 1 15, 1 30, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, 5 26, 6 00, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 00, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 40, 9 30, 11 30, A. M., 1 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 40, 7 30, 9 30, 10 30 P. M.

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9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 P. M. way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch.

6 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 55 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

9 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 50 P. M. Sundays for Easton, 10 08 p. m. Fridays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 25 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c. Leave Plainfield 9 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 9 37, 6 28, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—9 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 9 10 27 a. m. 1 18 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, 6 45, 10 45, a. m., 2 08, 5 34 p. m. 6 45, 9 21, 9 37 p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—5 45, 9 45, a. m. 2 08, 5 34, 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 5 45, 9 44, 9 40, 11 45, a. m., 12 45, 2 08, 5 34, 6 45, 9 21, 9 37 p. m., 1 12, night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08, 5 34, 6 35 p. m., 1 12 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 45, a. m., 2 08, 5 34, 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—9 45 a. m., 2 08, 5 34, 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Chattanooga, New Orleans and all points south with through vestibule sleeper, via Shenandoah Valley Route at 5 34 p. m. Sundays 5 34 p. m.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points west, weekdays as 9 34 a. m., 8 22 p. m. Sundays 6 35 p. m.

RED BRIDGE—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA, Reading terminal, 4 10, 8 20, 10 11 25 a. m., 3 30, 3 50, 5 15, 6 04, 8 25 p. m., 12 10, night. Sundays—4 10, 8 20, 9 10, 12 15 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19 a. m., 2 40, 6 12, 9 10, 12 45 p. m. Sunday—8 55, 7 58, 12 19 p. m., 8 22, 9 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 05, 6 58, 9 05, 10 25, a.m., 12 15, 2 10, 4 25, 6 05, 9 03 p. m. Sundays—1 05, 6 58, 9 05, 10 27 a. m., 1 16, 4 22, 6 45, 9 03 p. m.

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Senate Lodge, 3543, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Thursday evenings of each month in Stillman Building, No. 212 West Front street, at 8 p. m.

R. G. Pease, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter. 9 6 tf

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8024, Ancient Order of Foresters of America, meets in K. of P Hall, No. 108 West 2d st., first and third Tuesday evenings in each month.

Samuel J. Flynn, Chief Ranger.
Samuel H. Lunger, Fin. Sec. 9 25 y

Anchor Lodge, No. 148, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front stree

C. C. Howard, W. M.
T. A. Rogers, Secretary.

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Chas. Yeager, Secretary.
Dr. D. C. Adams, W. M.

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A HOUSE TRADER'S SNAP.

Next Door Neighbors Change Houses and Pay Him for It.

A man named Coombs was recognized authority on horses, not only in a certain lumber region in Pennsylvania, where he carried on a brisk business in trading and selling horses, and fitting out the lumbermen with teams, but also in the adjacent county he gained a reputation for shrewdness and square dealing.

When the county fair was held in September he was on the spot, and in front of the little store which he made his headquarters there was always a line of horses hitched to the fence, which the owners had driven from different parts of the country to be sold or traded, according to the pleasure of Mr. Coombs. One day as Coombs was leaning against his doorpost discussing the merits of a promising two year old with the enthusiastic owner of the animal, a wagon entered the enclosure in front of the shop and stopped at the door.

A man covered with dust, with a red face and wilted appearance, jumped from the wagon and addressed Mr. Coombs.

"Well, I am glad to see you, Mr. Coombs. Business looks promising with you," looking around at the horses on the grounds. "Perhaps I am not dusty and hot, and perhaps I do not think a deal of you to come twenty miles in this weather to make a trade with you. Just look at that horse. He is a beauty, he is. There isn't another like him in the country, but the fact is he is too speedy for me. I want a horse that will go well with the other horse—something not too fast, something strong and at the same time steady."

Mr. Coombs showed much interest in the matter, and the farmer became more and more convinced that he had acted wisely in securing his services. While they were talking he saw Mr Coombs's eye rest in a dreamy way on a pair of horses that were hitched near the door.

The instant he saw the object of Coombs's attention he exclaimed:

"Gad, sir, I think we have struck the very horse I want—the off horse, that bay there. Look him over. If he is sound and kind he will do for me. I'll trade even."

"I don't know," answered Coombs doubtfully. "He is an especially fine animal."

"Well, I will throw in $10. I will just step over to the fair grounds and you can think it over."

Presently another man appeared, the owner of the "especially fine animal."

"Have you found what I want?" he asked. "I must be getting home again. I have twenty miles to travel over before dark."

"Take a look at this horse," said Coombs, pointing to the animal that the owner had called too speedy. "He's just what you want. Fast, lightly built and good match for your other horse."

The farmer looked at the horse, compared it with his own horse, and had it hitched up and driven round the enclosure, and finally exclaimed:

"First rate. Is it an even trade?"

"Throw in $10 and you can have him," answered Coombs.

"It's a bargain," said the farmer.

He gave Coombs $10, and, leaving his "especially fine" animal, he drove his old horse and its new mate down the street.

When he had travelled about a mile one of the horses cast a shoe, and he was obliged to stop at a blacksmith shop beside the road. While he was chatting with his old acquaintance, the blacksmith, and waiting for the shoeing to be completed, he saw a wagon stop at the door, and an agitated voice exclaimed:

"Neighbor, I want to know where you got that horse," pointing to the newly acquired animal.

The owner came out of the shop and answered with pride:

"He's a fine piece of horseflesh, ain't he? I made a trade with Coombs. I—"

But he stopped abruptly, for his eyes rested on the off horse in his neighbor's team, and he saw in it his lately discarded property.

The two men looked at each other.

"How much did you pay to boot?" asked the man in the wagon.

"Ten dollars," answered the other, "and you?"

"Ten dollars."

They were neighbors; they lived a quarter of a mile from each other, and they drove home slowly, side by side, thinking, no doubt, of the long twenty miles over the dusty road, of the $10 of each, and sometimes of Coombs.—New York Tribune.

Queer Habits of Animals.

When the common earthworm is cut in two, to the tail there grows a head and to the head there grows a tail, and two animals are formed. As the wound heals a small white button is formed, which afterward develops into rings and a perfect extremity.

The serpent moves by elevating the scales on its abdomen and using them to push the body forward. The windings are always horizontal. The artists who represent the sinuosities as vertical have never observed the animal in motion. It is impossible for it to move in that way.

Herbivorous animals do not eat all of nature's menu. The horse refuses the water hemlock that the goat eats with avidity, and, on the other hand, the goat refuses some plants that are eaten by the sheep. The tobacco plant is avoided by all save the goat, man, and the tobacco worm. Some botanist think that no plant is absolutely poisonous, but only relatively so, being harmful to only certain animals.

The jawbones of a whale are sometimes 20 feet in length, and the mouth, when wide open, is 12 by 18 feet. The throat, however, is so small as scarcely to admit a hen's egg. The whale gets his living by straining the animalculæ and small fish out of the water he takes into his capacious mouth. It must be slow work, but, then, he has plenty of time and nothing else to do, so he attends to his eating so regularly that he often accumulates a ton of oil in his bulky system.

The sea anemone resembles in shape a morning glory. Its mouth opens like the cup of that flower, and above it are seen a number of tentacles waving in the water. Its food consists of anything it can get, but generally it gets the minute insects that float in the sea. At any alarm it closes its cup and is then hardly distinguishable from the rock on which it is rooted. It has a set of sucker muscles that attach it so firmly to the rock that it will sometimes be torn in pieces rather than let go.

REPORT
OF THE
City Treasurer,
FOR THE YEAR 1894.

CASH ACCOUNT.

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1894, as follows:

FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

General Fund	$ 246 33		
Peace street opening	1,214 67		
License trust fund	15 00		
Fire Department	4,630 83		
		$6,106 83	
CITY NATIONAL BANK.			
Library	1,257 57		
Poor Fund	2,619 66	$3,877 23	$9,983 79

RECEIPTS.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

1881	7 44	
1882	7 24	
1883	15 80	
1884	19 32	
1885	20 07	
1886	22 77	
1887	16 55	
1888	41 26	
1889	103 67	
1890	65 18	
1891	215 49	
1892	3,363 95	
1893	8 128 86	
1894	44,480 75	
		$56,446 35

CITY TAXES.

1881	1 42	
1882	10 80	
1883	12 60	
1884	21 01	
1885	29 01	
1886	27 48	
1887	20 90	
1888	33 93	
1889	78 75	
1890	49 89	
1891	147 71	
1892	1,859 28	
1893	5,354 90	
1894	27,245 00	
		$34,893 28

FIRE DEPARTMENT TAXES.

1888	8 21	
1889	21 51	
1890	11 96	
1891	38 81	
1892	745 75	
1893	2,325 21	
1894	13,458 61	
		$ 16,610 21
		$117,933.63

POOR FUND TAXES.

1881	16	
1882	1 10	
1883	1 58	
1884	1 92	
1885	1 90	
1886	1 74	
1887	1 35	
1888	3 77	
1889	10 15	
1890	5 48	
1891	19 67	
1892	208 09	
1893	341 13	
1894	3,223 26	$ 3,817 29

LIBRARY TAXES.

1881	04	
1882	28	
1883	34	
1884	46	
1885	48	
1886	1 24	
1887	96	
1888	2 19	
1889	5 39	
1890	2 66	
1891	11 64	
1892	167 66	
1893	436 17	
1894	2,421 74	$ 3,051 21

Fines and Dues, Library Fund		$ 208 12
Penalties, Delinqu't Taxes, General Fund	$ 2,082 98	
Judgment, General Fund	86	
Dog Tax, " "	1,168 40	
Dog Registry, Gen. Fund	120 56	
State, Railroad and Canal Tax, General Fund	816 86	
Board of Education, Gen. Fund	12,228 85	
Fines from City Judge, General Fund	700 59	
Peace Street Widening, General Fund	370 40	
Interest on Peace Street Widening, Gen. Fund	6 99	
From Board of Education, their proportion for collecting taxes, 1893, 982 12, 1894, 903 48, General Fund	1,885 60	
Orchard Place Opening, General Fund	98 11	
Interest on Orchard Place Opening, Gen. Fund	16 28	$ 19,556 48
Fire Dept., Sale Gazelle Engine No. 1	$ 1,000 00	
Sale Manure	25 00	
Profit on exchange of horses	25 00	
Sale of bell and gong	625 07	$ 1,675 00
Printing, Stationery and Advertising repaid by applicants for liquor license		$ 96 25
Bills Payable, Gen. Fund	$26,500 00	
Fire Fund	14,500 00	
Poor Fund	2,500 00	
Sewer Fund	13,000 00	$ 56,500 00

LICENSES.

Liquor	$ 9,050 00	
Hack, Peddler and Show	1,043 00	
Board of Health	116 00	$ 10,209 00

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Subscriptions by property owners for street improvements		$ 588 76
		$213,635 65

DISBURSEMENTS.

STREETS.

Paid by City	$11,401 95	
Paid by subscriptions	588 76	
		$11,990 71

Distributed as follows:

Labor	$6,045 76	
Crushed stone	1,877 64	
Tools and supp'ls	119 08	
Blacksmithing	154 68	
Crosswalks	509 93	
Culverts	1,108 80	
Rent	60 00	
Surveying	15 00	
Water	58 50	
Expense	22 06	
Sewer Basins	39 25	
	$11,990 71	
Peace street opening—return of assessment		$ 723 55
Preliminary work on sewers		239 04
Constructing sewers		12,248 71
Street lights		9,834 82

POLICE.

Regular police	$8,286 13	
Special	612 08	
Clothing for police	171 54	
Station house	295 69	
		$ 9 367 44

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Printing, stationery and advertis'g.		$1,340 12
Town clock winding		2 50
Postage, etc		196 55
Office Janitor	72 00	
Council Janitor	106 53	178 53
Bank discount		451 02
Legal expenses		365 14
Rent Council room and offices		600 00
Dog pound		286 50
Election expenses		1,492 01
Board of Health		955 94
City Court rent		144 00
Commissioners of Appeal		18 40
State and county taxes		56,779 00
Board of Education		12,328 85
Return of taxes paid in error to N. Messerschmidt		66 70

SALARIES AND COMMISSIONS.

Assessor	$1,003 00	
Collector	1,500 00	
Delinquent Tax Collector	962 22	
Treasurer	700 01	
Street Commissioner	1,750 01	
Accountant	50 00	
City Clerk	700 01	
City Auditor	183 33	
Corporation Counsel	1,000 00	
City Judge	600 00	8,449 27

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Running expenses—		
Salaries	$3,965 91	
Extra help	124 50	
Repairs to bu'd's	1,189 14	
" " appar's	324 87	
Supplies	746 50	
Keep of horses	999 77	
Rent of building	96 75	
Rent of horses	50 00	
Lights	371 96	
Fire alarm	242 27	
Printing	41 20	
Interest & disc't	388 55	
Equipments	45 20	
Incidentals	207 50	
Fuel	291 80	
	2,933 00	
Other expenses—		
Hydrants	$1,256 70	
Three fire bonds	1,500 00	
1500 ft new hose	1,056 75	
Improvements to fire-alarm and new boxes 21 25, 46	802 74	
	4,842 67	
		17,740 67
Poor fund		4,122 83
Library		2,938 97
Bills payable—		
General fund	$28,500 00	
Fire department	17,400 00	
Poor fund	1,500 00	
		47,400 00
		$200,004 01
Dec 31, balance—		
First National Bank:		
General fund	$5,499 35	
Peace St. opening	391 05	
Lic'se trust fund	15 00	
Fire department	2,275 77	
Poor fund	6 50	8,094 59
City National Bank:		
Poor fund	$1,895 74	
Library	2,800 03	
Sewer	751 29	5,537 05
		13 631 64
		$213,635 65

A. TITSWORTH, City Treasurer.
J. T. MACMURRAY, City Auditor.
December 31, 1894.

CITY OF PLAINFIELD.

Balance Sheet, December 31, 1894.

GENERAL FUND.

Assets—		
Cash—Peace St. ope'ng fund	$ 391 05	
License trust fund	15 00	
General account	5,406 27	
		5,812 32
Uncollected taxes 1893 to 1894 inclusive	$58,765 13	
Assessments Peace street widening	180 82	
Assessments sundries	686 26	
Uncollected North avenue sewer rentals	75 00	
		59,707 21
		$65,549 53
Liabilities—		
Bills payable	$11,500 00	
Contributions—		
Peace St. op'ng.	391 05	
License fees overpaid	15 00	
	11,906 05	
Surplus	53,643 48	
		$65,519 53

POOR FUND.

Assets—		
Cash		$1,902 24
Uncollected taxes 1891-94 inclusive		1,343 54
		$3,245 78
Liabilities—		
Bills payable	$1,000 00	
Surplus	2 245 78	
		$3,245 78

LIBRARY.

Assets—		
Cash		2,990 02
Uncollected taxes 1891-94 inclusive		1,112 29
		$4,002 31
Surplus		$4,002 31

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Assets—		
Cash	$2,275 77	
Uncollected taxes 1888-94 inclusive	8,342 60	
Real Estate, Eng. House No. 1	9,553 00	
Department headquarters	13,405 22	
	$33,955 52	
Equipment	12,509 26	
Fire alarm system	5,486 06	
		51,569 23
Liabilities—		
Bills payable	4,000 00	
Surplus	47,569 23	
		$51,569 23

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

PROPOSED MODIFICATION OF THE PRESENT BANKING SYSTEM.

Mr. Carlisle's Suggested Changes in the Manner of Securing Circulation. Some of Our Bankrupt Railroads That Received Government Aid.

Mr. Springer, the Chairman of the House Committee on Banking and Currency, said the modifications in the present banking system which will be accomplished by the passage of the Carlisle bill proposes a radical change in the manner of securing bank note circulation. The present law requires a deposit of United States bonds, and permits the issue of notes to the amount of 90 per cent. of the par value of the bonds. The rapid payment of the public debt, the limited number of such bonds now outstanding, and the further fact that many of them are held in trust capacities in this country and as permanent investments by persons residing abroad, have rendered this kind of security impracticable, and some other must be devised or the national bank circulation will soon be retired. The Carlisle bill proposes for security of the circulating notes of national banks, instead of United States bonds, a guarantee fund consisting of legal tender notes or currency cirtificates to the amount of thirty per centum of the circulation applied for; also a safety fund to be raised by a tax of one half of one per cent. per annum upon the circulating notes, until it reaches five per centum of the whole circulation, and as a further security, a first lien upon all the assets of the bank and the amount which may be realized by the double liability feature of the national banking law. It must be observed here that the guarantee fund of 30 per centum, the assets of the bank, and the personal liabilites of the stockholders can only go to the payment of the circulating notes of the bank which issues them, but the five per cent. guarantee fund, raised by a tax upon all the circulation of the country, is a common fund out of which the notes of any failed bank may be paid if the guarantee fund, the assets, and personal liabilities of the stockholders are not sufficient.

The settlement of the debt that the Union Pacific owes the government, on the basis of the payment of the original amount of indebtedness without interest will bring, should it be carried out, joy to the heart of many a New England dowager and to many poverty stricken holders of Union Pacific stock. Few people realize the amount of worthless railroad securities that have been dumped on confiding New England investors. I am told that somewhere about $800,000,000 of stock of the Union Pacific, Reading Northern Pacific and Atchinson and Santa Fe railroad stock are owned by New Englanders, who thought when they purchased them they were glit edged securities. Hundreds of New England families, who a few years ago were in affluent circumstances, are, at present, in poverty owing to the decrease in the value of the stock of these railroads.

The gloomy old brick mansion in Lafayette square in which James G. Blaine lived during many years of his official life, and where he died, is to be torn down and on its site is to be erected a theatre. The old house is associated with many memorable tragedies in Washington life. It was here that the murderous assault was made on Secretary Seward and his son on the night of President Lincoln's assassination and Philip Barton Key was shot by General Sickles just after leaving its door. Mr. Blaine's son and daughter also died here. All these memories have made the house undesirable as a residence, while for a playhouse scarcely a better site could be found in Washington. The lot is very extensive, and is on the line of the chief street railroad immediately across Pennsylvania avenue from the principal entrance to the White House grounds and adjoining the Department of Justice and facing the Treasury Department.

In an attempt to prevent the spread of smallpox, which has recently been epidemic in Washington, the Commissioner of Pensions has issued an order prohibiting Pension Office clerks from practising medicine. The explanation of this order is that a large number of men employed in the Pension Office hold diplomas as physicians, and have private offices where they attend to patients outside of office hours. This class of physicans are called "sundown" doctors, and for a great many years the medical profession outside of those who hold Government jobs have been antagonistic to them. Year after year attempts have been made to have the "sundown" doctors either give up their Government salaries or their private practice, but until now no argument could be found weighty enough to be sustained by the officials in authority. Investigation since the smallpox epidemic has demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Pensions, however, that contagion has been carried by the "sundown" doctors from their patients to their fellow clerks in the departments, and the long sought for order has been issued.

ROGER LEWIS.

Sparrows That Like Travel.

"There," said Clerk Sargent the other day, as a sparrow, that had been resting upon one of the iron brace rods of the Portland Harbor steamboat Forest Queen, flew toward the centre of the boat and disappeared, "that fellow has been the round trip with us clear to Long Island, and has now gone in among the life preserves to make himself comfortable. Watch now!"

Going along, Mr. Sargent shook one or two of the great mass of cork buoys that form overhead an almost continuous ceiling for the upper deck, and the disturbed bird flew out and settled upon one of the rods, but showing no disposition to leave the boat.

"I've seen those rods literally covered with sparrows," continued Mr. Sargent. "They will go over the entire route, but seem averse to landing at any of the islands, and return to the city."—Lewiston Journal.

One Thing In Its Favor.

Mrs. Jimpson—Don't you think, Mr. Jimpson, it would be a great benefit to our daughter if she were to finish her singing lessons abroad?

Jimpson—Give it up; but I know it would be a great relief to me.—Town Topics.

Of Course She Would.

Nell—Mr. Sillicus is only an apology for a man.

Belle—Well, wouldn't you accept an apology if it were offered?—Iowa Falls Citizen.

CAPT. ROBT. COOK, Camden, N. J., says:

"I had been seriously troubled for some time with indigestion, constipation, and a weak stomach, my system becoming all run down, and losing fifty pounds in weight. I had about given up hopes of again being a well man, when I came across

Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills,

which soon restored me to health, I gaining twenty-five pounds in three weeks. Give them a trial and see what they will do for you."

At all druggists', 25 cents. Send to us for a free sample if you have indigestion.

DR. J. A. DEANE CO., Kingston, New York.

TO DOROTHY.

I know where there is honey in a jar,
Meant for a certain little friend of mine;
And, Dorothy, I know where daisies are
That only wait small hands to intertwine
A wreath for such a golden head as thine.

The thought that thou art coming makes all glad;
The house is bright with blossoms high and low,
And many a little lass and little lad
Expectantly are running to and fro;
The fire within our hearts is all aglow.

We want thee, child, to share in our delight
On this high day, the holiest and best,
Because 'twas then, ere youth had taken flight,
Thy grandmamma, of women loveliest,
Made me of men most honored and most blest.

That naughty boy who led thee to suppose
He was thy sweetheart, has, I grieve to tell,
Been seen to pick the garden's choicest rose
And toddle with it to another belle,
Who does not treat him altogether well.

But mind not that, for let it teach thee this—
To waste no love on any youthful rover
(All youths are rovers, I assure thee, miss).
No, if thou wouldst true constancy discover,
Thy grandpa is perfect as a lover.

So come, thou playmate of my closing day,
The latest treasure life can offer me,
And with thy baby laughter make us gay.
Thy fresh young voice shall sing, my Dorothy,
Song that shall bid the feet of sorrow flee.

—Attributed to Gladstone.

THE CAPTAIN'S WAR STORIES.

Conducting Kentucky Red Fifty Feet Through Straws.

"When I was commanding a cavalry outpost during the war," said the Captain, a former Confederate officer, famous for his remarkable war stories, "we were camped near Salem, Va., and almost dead from exposure.

"I had received for my own use a five-gallon keg of prime Kentucky whiskey from an old friend, but before I had a chance to sample the liquor I was obliged to ride out on scout.

"All during that ride I was chuckling to myself at the treat I'd give the boys when we got back, and incidentally how I would enjoy some of the contents of that keg myself.

"Well, sir, when we came back after a five hours' ride in the rain, soaked through, hungry and disgusted, I told the men about that keg of old John Barleycorn. Did they smile? It was the nearest approach to a laugh that had been heard in that section of the country for many a day.

"Upon dismounting, all gathered near my tent. I entered, grabbed a tin cup, smiled and turned the spigot. But not a drop ran out. I pulled the air plug from the top, but there was only the tantalizing odor of the good old 'red eye' Kentucky alone brews. The men were muttering at what they called my ill-timed joke. The disappointment was greater than grieved humanity could bear.

"Suddenly I turned, saw a soldier happy in his unsteadiness, in front of a tent about fifty feet from me. In all that outpost the only whiskey seen in two weeks was that which I had received. 'Twas but a moment to connect the effect and cause. I found three heavy sleepers in that tent, the ground was wet with rare, soft, fragrant liquor, every tin washbasin, cup and vessel was filled with that heavenly liquor. The secret was out; so was the whiskey. I investigated and found that these men had learned of my having the keg, had cut some long rice straws, made a conduit fifty feet in length by joining them together, tapped the keg and run the whiskey into their own tent that distance away."

The captain stopped, lighted his cigar anew, while his auditors nervously shifted their positions. None spoke for a full minute. Then the little man who had tramped the region about Salem under "Old Glory" asked in a mild and apologetic voice:

"Captain, what does the rice crop amount to around the Salem country?"

"No rice was ever raised there or thereabouts," said the doughty but forgetful warrior.

The painful silence was finally broken by the captain himself.

Jove's Upward Cuts.

It is hard for the mind to conceive a lightning flash taking other than a downward course when it strikes objects on the earth's surface, but there are many well-authenticated cases of the bolt taking the opposite direction. A case in mind happened at Manchester, England, in August, 1888, where the bolt was distinctly seen to strike the base of a large cast-iron chimney, and then to take an upward slant, burning a crooked river in the metal from the point of contact to the top, where it escaped into the atmosphere and exploded in the manner of an immense fire ball.

At Monticello, Ia., on June 21, 1893, a tree near the residence of G. H. George was struck by a lightning flash and torn in a manner which clearly indicated that the current had passed upward from the earth.

The director of the Iowa Weather Service Corps tells that while upward lightning strokes are reckoned as freaks and phenomena by the laymen, they are not of infrequent occurrence, and have often been reported by meteorological observers.

In one or two of the Solomon Islands and at several places on the Indian Ocean coast of Africa the upward stroke is said to be the rule and the downward the exception.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Official Protection.

The weeping relatives gathered around the Governor's chair, but that official remained firm.

"No," he said to the mother, "I may consider your boy's pardon, but it is better for him that he remain for four or five months more. If I were to let him out now he would be just in time to contract a late case of 'Sweet Marie.'"

They saw the justice of the contention and withdrew.—Indianapolis Journal.

Scared Him.

It is sincerely to be hoped that Prof. Desant's method of revivification will not be encouraged. Two men once met in the cemetery. It was spring and the gentle rain was falling. "Fine day," said one: "fine day for the crops. It will bring everything up and out of ground." "Heaven forbid," said the other nervously; "I have two wives buried there!"—Truth.

No Stamp for Reply.

He—Didn't you get my letter?

She—Oh, yes.

He—It was to ask you to be my wife.

She—Just so.

He—Why didn't you send me an answer?

She—You didn't enclose a stamp for a reply.—L'Avenir de Moriaix.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

EXCHANGED—At Mrs. Tyler's reception Monday evening, Dec. 31, a Spanish lace scarf. Will the lady who made the mistake kindly return the same to 91 Mercer avenue and receive her own?

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 25 Washington ave

WANTED—A small house; must be situated on 4th or 5th sts. between Park and Central aves; to rent April 1, for 2 adults, with privilege of purchase; must have all improvements. Address E. M., care Press. 193-wfs

VERY fine Chickering second-hand piano for sale; price $75; cash or installments. Fred K. Durand, Babcock Building. 146

COLORED woman wants situation at housework; good reference. Call 241 West Front street, up stairs. 14 tf

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WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 14 tf

YOUNG Englishman wants situation as useful man about house; good references. P. O. Box 14, Westfield, N J

COW, fresh with calf, for sale. Address C. O. W., postoffice, Plainfield, N J. 182

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ROBERT GRANT, whose "Reflections of a Married Man" will long be remembered, has written a series of articles on "The Art of Living," in which he sets himself to solve, as far as such problems can be solved, questions which beset every well-to-do family—The Income—The Dwelling—Household Expenses—Education of Children—Married and Single Life—The Summer Problem, etc., etc. Beautifully illustrated.

GEORGE MEREDITH, whom more than one good authority has pronounced the greatest living novelists, has written a strong serial, "The Amazing Marriage," to begin in January.

W. D. HOWELLS will contribute a novel entitled "The Story of a Play."

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OLD HOSS AND YOUNG COLTS.

They Make Lively a Damp Evening at Trade Temple Tenpins.

On the Board of Trade alleys last evening a very lively and interesting game was rolled between two picked teams, aptly styled the "Old Horses" and "The Colts". The Colts started off at a brisk canter, and set the pace to the quarter pole, glancing back with smiles of derision at the "Old Horses", plodding along contentedly in the rear. But as they started down the back stretch the "Old" ones climbed into their working harness and slowly working up to the bunch led by a nose in the fourth frame and never broke again, passing under the wire easy winners by 120 pins.

The grand-stand finish of "Old Horse" Petrie who came down the stretch neck and neck with "Colt" French and won out by a solitary pin, reminded one of the celebrated race between Yeast and Lettuce, when Lettuce won by a head.

Despite the severe colds with which many club members were suffering, the "rooters" were very much in evidence and made the echoes ring with their shouts of approval.

The score:

"OLD HORSES."		"COLTS."	
VanEmburgh	172	Wilson	169
Barnes	181	Runyon	147
Nash	129	CraWford	117
Petrie	194	Vanderwort	121
Lowrie	158	French	193
Emmons	153	VanSickel	123
Andrews	125	Hand	123
VanAlstyne	126	Saunders	142
Watters	171	Darling	165
Vail	166	Pope	156
	1575		1455

BY FRAMES:

Old Hor'es.	150	296	447	591	762	934	1097	1242	1409	1575
Colts	157	286	444	606	735	878	1024	1187	1327	1455

This evening the Board of Trade Bowlers and their rooters will take the 7:34 train to Finderne to try conclusions with the bowling enthusiasts of the latter place.

The team will consist of the following expert twirlers: Messrs. Pope, Crawford, Hand, French, Wilson, Vandvort, Van Alstyne, Vail, Petrie, and VanEmburgh.

An exciting game is anticipated by friends of the P. B. C., as their game is a hard one to beat.

Lyceums Lose.

Last evening the C. Y. M. L. bowlers suffered defeat at the hands of the Catholic Club on the latter's alleys in Newark. The visions of the trophy are now fading away in the distance. The score:

CATHOLIC CLUB.		C. Y. M. L.	
Cavanagh	145	Carty	186
F. Riordan	173	Waters	132
Mallen	156	Mack	137
Kopetchney	154	Kenney	179
Tehan	166	Guinee	108
Owens	125	Wierenga	128
E Riordan	169	W. Kiely	181
Relish	147	J. Hibbitts	154
Burns	167	P. Kiely	157
O'Brien	140	Lynch	113
	1401		1373

Referee—P. Putscher.
Scorers—G. P. Kiely, W. VanBoskirk.

Local Indians.

Last evening the council of Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Tribe No. 193, was well attended and full of interest. A committee was appointed to furnish semi-monthly musical and literary entertainment at the wigwam and in this manner increase the already large interest of the brethren.

The committee in charge of the reception and dance held by the tribe last Thursday evening were highly complimented on the marked success attending their efforts on that occasion. A public anniversary entertainment is among the possibilities of the not far distant future of this popular organization.

Grows Steadily in Popularity.

Opposite the new Y. M. C. A. Building is a busy establishment that was a success while the Y. M. C. A. was in its infancy, and that steadily grows in the popularity of the of the Plainfield public. MacDonald's grocery is meant, of course, and the reason that MacDonald's thrives greater every year is because as fast as the town grows a liberal percentage of its new trade attaches itself to that store on account of its superior goods and honest dealings; and the the old established trade stays right by it all the time.

Extracts the Pain-Causer.

Every sufferer from corns has been searching for what is now offered at Reynolds's pharmacy, a corn-cure that cures corns. This cure is as quick as it is effectual, as many Plainfielders can already testify, and as many more will find after accepting the hint offered in this paragraph.

Plainfield Building Never Ceases.

The foundations for S. T. Williams's new house on Sandford avenue is completed, and the frame work will be commenced immediately.

Old "King Coal".

Old "King Coal" is a cheery old soul
And a cheery old soul is he;
Neither whiff from a pipe nor quaff from a bowl
Can e'er such a comfort be;
Though the bleak winds blow, yet his heart's bright glow
Warms the homes by his presence blessed
And he'll come to one and all, who on Geo. O. Stevens call,
Seven-forty-seven Front Street, west.

THOSE WE HAVE EVER WITH US.

What Plainfield Has Done for the Poor, and What She Ought to Do.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

GENTLEMEN: — Herewith please find annual report for the year 1894 of the Overseer of the Poor. There has been expended under my direction the following amounts:

6 Burials	$ 80 00
1,232 Quarts of Milk	87 70
Plainfield Relief Association, Prov'ns.	945 00
Muhlenberg Hospital, 1 patient	5 71
Fuel	215 65
Sundry Expenses	32 00
Salary, overseer	400 00
Salary, Physician and Extras	362 45
Dr. J. H. Carman, Ex. Insane	5 00
Dr. W. C. Boone, Ex. Insane	5 55
Rents	1,253 87
Board and Care	695 01
Total	$4,092 94

This has been another year of unusual stringency in the matter of labor, which has caused a large increase of applications for relief, and had it not been for the Citizens Organized Aid Association and many charitably disposed citizens, raising a large fund and expending it under the direction of the Street Commissioner, which was of great material benefit to many out of work, this department would otherwise have had heavier expenditures. It has been very difficult at times to know how to meet the increasing demands, as the facilities for taking care of the poor are not what they should be in a city that is equipped so well in every other department.

Many of our city poor are huddled together, surrounded by temptations and vice, with very little restraint, the result of which is the increase of pauperism and crime. Children reared under these conditions are very likely to follow in the same paths in which they have been accustomed to walk. This state of affairs should not continue in Plainfield. It has wealth enough and earnest men and women sufficient to remedy this condition of affairs, and it is hoped that before another year passes, we shall be able to congratulate ourselves upon great improvements in this direction, with a house and grounds suitable to our needs.

As heretofore, my books are open to the inspection of the public, should they desire more detailed information.

Respectfully submitted,
A. VANDERBEEK,
Overseer of the Poor.

Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 2, 1895.

Local McAllisters to Co-operate.

A plan to maintain a high grade of patronage for the hops of the Finderne hotel is to have them strictly invitation affairs, the cards to be distributed by some recognized leader in each of the towns of Somerville, Bound Brook, New Brunswick and Plainfield. Mr. Timpson has been requested to act as the social monitor for Plainfield in this respect, and other equally qualified men have been asked to co-operate in the other places mentioned. The system is a good one, and under its careful restrictions the Finderne has an era of success before it. A special feature of the hotel is that its Sunday dinner hour is to be from 1 to 3:30, to accommodate driving parties, and if the high quality of the cuisine can be maintained at that price the table d'hote will be but $1 a head. The house will be managed in true southern style, with an atmosphere of personal hospitality, and the service will be by the best servants in the world, trained Virginia Negroes. Being a pleasant driving distance from Plainfield, the Finderne is sure to become a popular resort for fastidious people of this section, as well as the New Yorkers who are finding out its merits.

Flocking to the Gym.

The new building is fast hastening towards completion. The gymnasium is about ready. Another order of apparatus from the Schumacher Co., Akron, Ohio, has arrived, including an A1 rowing machine, spring-board, hitch and kick, climbing ropes, and several other pieces. There is quite a rush for physical examinations. The director made 47 examinations since Jan. 1, and a large number of standing appointments are scheduled. Quite a number of the juniors have also been examined, and still the boys come. The classes are forming in good shape and it is expected to begin regular work on the gymnasium floor about the 15th.

A Conscientious Firm.

The Two Vans are closing their store this week at 7, so as to allow their clerks to attend the Week of Prayer services held in the various churches.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

Mr. Travell announced at the close of morning exercises that the vote on school colors would be postponed until Monday morning to allow new combinations of colors to be presented. Seal brown and white was the first of the new suggestions and seems to find favor with many.

The singing lesson of the Grammar school under Mr. Hazell took place as usual this morning.

On account of the stormy weather the Grammar school received one session.

The system of electric bells for designating the periods was found to be out of order, and the old reliable gong in the hall was used instead.

Union County's Morality Leadership.

[*From The Elizabeth Journal.*]

Mr. Codding, of this county, has the honor of having introduced in the House the amendment to the State constition forever doing away with race track gambling. It is an honor to which any man might well aspire, an honor which especially belongs to Union County. Moreover it was an act of justice as well as of courtesy, that the House unanimously granted a hearing to Rev. Dr. Kempshall and Judge Lanning, on Tuesday afternoon next, in the interests of this amendment. Union County was the first to charge against this monstrous evil, and, not enforcing this time the Journal's claim to priority of attack, Dr. Kempshall was the leader in this great moral movement against the entrenched powers of corruption and infamy. It is right that, in the hour of the grandest victory this State has ever known, after the bitterest struggle in its history, the victorious general should deal a death blow to the monstrous system of gambling which he did so much to overthrow. This constitutional amendment has not, and ought not to have, any opposition, and when the people have passed upon it the question will never again be a question in New Jersey politics.

A Grand Old Man.

Col. James Moore, consulting engineer of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, yesterday entered upon his eighty-third year, he having been born Jan. 9, 1813. He was the pioneer of the Jersey Central system and with John Taylor Johnston carried out that, which looked to many at the time of its inception, a chimera. He is today hale and hearty, though the oldest civil engineer in point of practice in the United States, and the hope is that he may live to round out a full century.

He has earned the season of rest and recreation he is enjoying, and the good wishes of everyone with whom he was ever brought in contact go out to him as he passes another milestone on the journey of life.

Minnie Lester in Music Hall.

Minnie Lester's reign of popularity continues in Music Hall. Last night she and her admirable company played to another large house. Tonight "The Silver Ledge" will be presented. Tomorrow afternoon the play is "Ragged Jack, the Newsboy"; ten cents admits to all parts of the house. Tomorrow night a fine new play will be given, "The Little Counterfeiter". Already there is a large advance sale for "Jack Sheppard" Saturday night.

Good Ice Weather.

Mercury ranged from 13 to 18 degrees below zero here yesterday.—Eagle Bridge World, Jan. 7, 1895.

WHAT FOLLOWED.

Eagle Bridge, N. Y., Jan. 9, 1895.
To Pa-pa, Fanwood, N. J.:
Too much skating here; will bring ma-ma home tomorrow. JIMMY.

Three Plainfielders in It.

Joseph Sandford, Randolph L. Stelle and W. Randolph Marsh are the Plainfielders drawn on the special jury yesterday to retry Dave McAdam, the well-known sporting man and manager of the Red Jacket Hotel in Elizabeth, who is accused of conspiring with James Malone, of Newark; Michael Kurtz, and George F. Ryder, of New York, to rob Albert J. Knoll's place.

Daniel Cory's Public Offices.

(*From The Somerset Messenger.*)

At one time Mr. Cory was a power in Somerset county politics, and had filled nearly every office within the gift of the people of Warren township, besides serving two terms in the Legislature—1864 and 1865. He served as Collector of Warren township from 1872 to 1874; Assessor, 1843 to 1845 and 1860 to 1863; Town Committeeman, 1867 to 1869 and 1872; Township Superintendent of Schools, 1847 to 1853; Freeholder, 1856 to 1862, 1867 to 1870 and 1874 to 1880.

—The Third Regiment Cadet Corps of this city is making excellent progress in its preparations for the presentation of "The Provost Guard" in Music Hall January 17.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Wm. Chamberlain of New street is ill.

Dr. B. VanD. Hedges has a severe attack of the grip.

Mr. Salkfeld of Sandford avenue is confined to the house by illness.

Lewis G. Timpson is confined to his home with an attack of the grip.

J. B. Pope of East Second street is confined to his house by a severe cold.

The engagement of Miss Margaret Keegan to James Harper is announced.

Mrs. Hodge of Finderne is the guest of her son, Peter Hodge of Somerset street.

G. Q. Dolliver of Manning avenue is still confined to the house with a severe cold.

Miss May Stedman of New York is visiting Miss Ida Dunham of Arlington avenue.

A son has been added to the household of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Storr of West Front street.

Mr. Winckler of New Brunswick is visiting his uncle, Augustus J. Winckler of 32 Park place.

Mrs. M. B. Lythoff of New York city is visiting Mrs. Losier at "The Gables", Netherwood.

Miss Katherine M. Haines of Norristown is visiting Mrs. William L. Brown of Belvidere avenue.

Mrs. Ellen Disborough of East Front street, who is visiting relatives in Stroudsburg, Pa., is quite ill.

Dr. Clark of East Second street has had a relapse of his recent illness, and is again confined to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Spencer of Rahway spent last night with Mr. Spencer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Spencer.

Miss M. Lee Freeman, who has been visiting friends in New York city, returned to her home on South avenue yesterday.

Mrs. Neely of Duer street, who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving, and her friends hope she will be out in a few days.

Reuben Ray, the mail despatcher between the station and the postoffice, moved yesterday from Mail alley to Arlington avenue.

Albert Smith, who has charge of store supplies at the Commercial Palace, is confined to his home on West Second street with the grip.

Charles Christensen and family of Westfield have rented the house situated on the corner of North avenue and Hill street, Netherwood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McMillen, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Lord of Belvidere avenue, have returned to their home in Jersey City.

Dr. T. S. Davis returned yesterday from Atlantic City, where he has been taking a deserved rest from his overwork in the cause of Plainfield's health.

Zachariah Wilson was able to be out yesterday, after a serious illness. He and his family have removed from 98 Somerset street to 24 Harmony street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Startup of Westervelt avenue returned last evening from Middletown, N. Y., where they attended the funeral of Mr. Startup's grandfather, William Startup.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Sutterlin of Greenbrook road gave a party yesterday in honor of the ninth birthday of their daughter Carrie. Many of her little friends were pleasantly entertained.

Policeman W. J. Mattox who has been off duty since Dec. 31 by reason of illness, passed a very uncomfortable night Wednesday, and some fears are entertained that his illness may develop into pneumonia.

Mrs. John VanMiddlesworth of Somerville is ill from an attack of paralysis. She with her husband are the oldest citizens of Somerville, having moved there about 1832. She is the mother of H. VanMiddlesworth of Liberty street, Plainfield.

Mrs. Stephen A. Ginna gave a most delightful musical last evening. Her magnificent home never appeared to better advantage. The decorations were especially beautiful. That the fortunate guests were highly entertained goes without saying.

E. B. Cornwall formerly a resident of Plainfield and at that time one of the chief clerks in the office of the General Superintendent of the Atlantic Division of the U. S. Express Co., 49 Broadway, New York, is a guest of the Prospect House, Southern Pines, N. C., where he was obliged to retire for his health. Mr. Cornwall made many friends during his sojourn in this city, all of whom hope the change will speedily result in complete recovery for the sufferer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Canfield have removed from their former residence on West Fifth street, and will hereafter receive their friends at 57 West High street, Somerville. They will be very much missed by their host of Plainfield friends among whom they have always been prominent as leaders in fairs, entertainments and dances, and they carry with them to their new home the kind wishes of Iona Council and Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Tribe with which they have so long been identified.

THE CLIMAX SHOOT.

Despite the Wretched Weather, Good Sport Prevails.

The Climax Gun Club begun today is a success, not withstanding the weather. There are 20 entries. Among the noted sportsmen present are: Rollo O Heikes of Dayton, Ohio, O R Dickey and the Bennett Brothers of Boston, B LeRoy and Woodward of Campello, Mass, H G Wheeler of Marlborough, J T Mascroft and V D Kennerson of Worcester, W Fred Quimby, Fred VanDyke and W B Hobart of Newark, E A Miller and Dr Jackson of Springfield, N N Drake of Orange, Aaron Woodruff and C Hebbard of Elizabeth, John Shaafer of Reading, Pa; the local celebraties who participated are T B H Keller, Thos Brantingham, Charley Smith, B H Manning and D H Terry. Major J M Taylor of The American Field staff is also present. The winners of the numerous events up to going to press are as follows:

Event No 1, 10 birds—Wheeler and Keller first with 10; W Bennett 9; Kennerson, LeRoy and F Bennett 8.

Event No 2—W Bennett and LeRoy first with 10; F Bennett and Wheeler 9; Dickey, Smith and Mascroft 8.

Event No 3—Dickey, first, 10; Keller and Wheeler 9; W Bennett, Mascroft, LeRoy, F Bennett and Smith 8.

Event No 4—Dickey, Keller and W Bennett first 10; LeRoy 9; Wheeler, Mascroft and F Bennett 8.

Event No 5—Dickey, LeRoy and VanDyke 10; Hicks, W Bennett, Kennerson, Wheeler, Hobart, Drake and Brantingham 9; Keller F Bennett and Hebbard 8; Mascroft 7.

Event No 7—Wheeler, Keller, Hobart, 10; W Bennett, Mascroft, 9; LeRoy, Kennerson, Brantingham, Smith, F Bennett, Hebbard, 8; Dickey, VanDyke, Manning, Drake, 7.

Event No 8—Dickey, W Bennett, LeRoy, Mascroft, Brantingham, 10; Wheeler, Drake, Keller, Kennerson, VanDyke, Shaafer, Hebbard, 9; Hobart, F Bennett, 8; Manning, Hicks, 7.

Event No 9—Dickey, Hicks, W Bennett, 15; Wheeler, Hobart, 14; Keller, VanDyke, 13; Drake, Manning, Hebbard, Mascraft, LeRoy, Kennerson, 12.

Event No 10—Heikes, LeRoy and VanDyke 10; Keller, Wheeler, Bennett and Drake 9; N. Bennett, Kennerson, Dicky, Hobart, Brantingham, Smith 7.

Event No 11—VanDyke 20; Heikes, Wheeler, Shaafer 19; Morcroft, Dicky, 15; Keller, Kennerson and Smith 17.

Considering the weather, the entry list is phenomenal, and if good weather had prevailed 50 shooters would undoubtedly have been present. The management consists of President Manning, Vice-president Smith, and Treasurer Terry, whith Brantingham, Quimby and Apgar, and Keller as chairman. Live birds will be the targets tomorrow, and a big entry list ist is assured.

FALL OF AN ELEVATED TRAIN.

A Locomotive and a Car Wrecked in Brooklyn.

A locomotive and an empty car plunged into the street from the end of a switch track on the Kings County Elevated Railroad near Atlantic avenue in Brooklyn, this morning, and the fireman was so badly hurt that he will probably die, while the engineer was seriously but not necessarily fatally injured.

Fortunately there was nothing immediately below the tracks. The fireman is Frederick Baumann, 99 Willoughby avenue; he has a compound fracture of the skull and is scalded. He is at St. Mary's Hospital. The engineer, Charles Fish, 133 Russell place, has both legs broken. He was taken home. A car cleaner was also injured but not seriously, and a car-coupler named McDonough, who was in the car, escaped unhurt.

Mrs. Whittemore in Plainfield.

Mrs. Whittemore, who is to give a talk in Music Hall Sunday afternoon at 4.15, will speak also in Reform Hall Saturday night At the Music Hall meeting there will be singing by a quartette of feminine voices, and Mrs. Whittemore will tell of her work. She has opened 11 Doors of Hope, and in answer to prayer has received voluntary contributions of $39,466 62 for the institution which she founded. She is as interesting as a talker as she is noble as a woman.

—Efforts are being made by the Sons of Veterans to uniform as soon as possible. All those wishing suits should see the chairman of the committee on uniforms, Charles Stephens of West Second street.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gundersman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Wooleton & Buckie are selling pure white lead at $6 a hundred.

—Baker & Young began work today on Walsh's Hall. It will be remodeled into a dwelling house.

—Edsall has found it necessary to rent a portion of Laing's Hall, in the rear of the Babcock Building, for his increasing business.

—In the misdirected-letter rack in the post-office today was placed an envelope directed "Too Mother, From Bettie, sent by Stephen".

—District Deputy Grand Master Stamitz of Westfield will install the officers of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., next Monday evening.

—Michael Leeson, an employe on the sewers, for being drunk and disorderly in North Plainfield was given 20 days by Justice Crosley yesterday.

—Rui the barber is preparing to move to the barber shop now occupied by Eugene Laine, who does not yet know where his new quarters will be.

—The amateur opera company in Cranford are rehearsing frequently, in preparation for the production of an opera, a leading part of which is taken by Wm. Holmes of this city.

—The meetings at the First Baptist Church are growing in interest. Tomorrow evening the Christian Endeavor society will have charge, and President G. F. Brown will be the leader.

Counselor Wm. K. McClure will attend the annual banquet of the Megantic Club in Young's Hotel, Boston, this evening. The toastmaster will call on Mr. McClure as soon as the Havanas are lighted.

—John J. Pierson was bitten by a vicious dog at the corner of Somerset street and Craig place yesterday, and when he remonstrated with its owner, who stood near, he says he was insulted for his pains.

—The promenade of Swiss ragamuffins in Central Hall Thursday evening, Jan. 31, for the benefit of Emmanuel Baptist Curch, will begin at 10, led by William Douglass. A floral crown will be awarded the woman most tastefully dressed.

—The annual meeting of the Masonic Mutual Life Insurance Company of Central New Jersey for the election of officers, and the transaction of other business, will be held in Masonic Hall, Elizabeth, Monday evening, Jan. 14, at 8.

—Special music was provided at the prayer meeting of the Congregational Church last evening. Horace J. Martin led the congregational singing while Mrs. Collier effectively rendered a selection from the "Messiah", and "In Heavenly Love Abiding."

—A valuable gray horse belonging to George Wise of Grandview avenue owes its life to the skilful treatment of Dr. Herbert, who brought it back to health after a severe attack of pneumonia, combined with spinal meningitis, much to the satisfaction of the owner.

—The entertainment in the Congregational Church, Thursday, January 17, will begin with an instrumental quintette, and close with an instrumental trio. The solo work will be of high order, and Miss Addie Parker Jackson will give the most powerful selection which she has yet rendered.

—The report that N. H. Spencer of North Plainfield is about to sell out and retire from business he pronounces unwarranted at present. Mr. Spencer last evening told a Press reporter that he had intentions of retiring some time, but nothing definite was decided upon, and not likely to be for some time to come.

Who Owns This Dog?

Percy Ohl noticed the face of a fine St. Bernard dog protruded from under some blankets, in a wagon driven by two men, near South Plainfield.

Mr. Ohl, suspecting the dog had been stolen, questioned the men. They said they bought the dog from a colored man near Dunellen; and had given him $5 for it. Mr. Ohl told them he knew the dog, and offered them $5, but they would not give the dog up for less than $10. This was promised them, if they would return to Plainfield with it, but to this they would not consent. They finally accepted $7, all the money Mr. Ohl had with him, and he promised to send the other $3 to their address. Mr. Ohl has their address, and the dog.

He says it is a very fine specimen, and he hopes to return the dog to its owner, who can have it by proving property.

Music and a Supper.

The Ladies Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed Church will give a musical entertainment, followed by a supper, in the lecture room, Thursday and Friday evenings, Jan. 24 and 25, at 8.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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NEW YORK LEGISLATURE.

Both Houses Go To Work With a Dash.

Albany, Jan. 10.—The winter session of the legislature of 1895 was opened last night with a rush. The assembly chamber was brilliantly lighted and was thronged with visitors. The members quickly got down to business.

The bills introduced were by Mr. Horton, making it a misdemeanor for two or more persons to engage in a public or private sparring exhibition, with or without gloves; Mr. Blake, abolishing the death penalty; Mr. Finn, reducing pawn brokers' fees to 1½ per cent. a month for the first month; Mr. Finn, fixing the price of gas at $1 per 1,000 feet in cities of more than 800,000 inhabitants; Mr. Blake, allowing liquor to be sold on Sunday between 1 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon and 6 and 10 in the evening; Mr. Foley, his excise bill of last year allowing saloons in New York and Brooklyn to open a side door during certain hours on Sunday.

The senators were also on hand early and talked over the prospects for the winter before the session opened. Governor Morton sent to the senate the following nominations: Arthur E. Sullivan of Rochester, county judge of Monroe, in place of Judge W. E. Werner, resigned, to serve until Jan. 1, 1896. Alfred Spring of Franklinville, justice supreme court, eighth judicial district, in place of Judge Albert Haight, resigned, to serve until Jan. 1, 1896. Managers of the Hudson River State hospital, George F. Shrady of New York, to succeed himself, and Francis N. Mann of Troy, to fill vacancy caused by death of John Sherry.

QUAY'S CHARGES.

Committeeman Martin Not Inclined to Answer Them.

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—The republican national committeeman to whom Mr. Quay referred in the senate yesterday, "As not being able to preserve his plighted faith in regards to an important nomination," in Philadelphia, because he was under a salary from a corporation and was compelled to do what that corporation wished, was David Martin, the republican leader of Philadelphia. Mr. Martin was found sick in bed suffering from overwork, during the mayorality nomination fight just ended.

Mr. Martin was not inclined to make any reply to Mr. Quay's charges. He refused to answer any questions as to whether he was under a salary from a corporation, but he did say "That the nomination of Mr. Warwick was not the work of any corporation. No corporation ever mentioned Mr. Warwick's name to me and I favored his nomination because I believed that it was for the best interests of the party to do so. The followers of Mr. Penrose are all loyal republicans, and although they may feel a little sore over their chief's defeat, they will turn in and work for the nominee."

WHO FIRED THIS SHOT?

Judge Clements' Young Son Dies from a Pistol Wound.

Washington, Jan. 10.—William Clements, the 14-year-old son of Judge Courtland C. Clements, of this city, was shot through the head Tuesday afternoon and died almost instantly. Young Clements returned from school with the twin sons of Samuel M. Bryan, and all three went into an upper room.

A pistol shot rang out, and Mrs. Clements reached the room in time to catch her son in her arms. Two pistols were found. One was in young Clement's hip pocket. The other was found in the garden below the window. It had one chamber discharged, and, it is supposed, was the one from which the fatal shot was fired. No arrests have been made.

Dempsey in Good Condition.

New York, Jan. 10.—Jack Dempsey, the "Nonpareil" of the prize ring, arrived in New York last night on the steamship Hudson, from New Orleans. It was 10 o'clock when the steamship reached her dock, but there was a great crowd in waiting to welcome the popular pugilist. Dempsey is in splendid condition and says he will begin training at once for the fight with Tommy Ryan, the Chicago welter weight.

Bishop Potter Ill.

New York, Jan. 10.—Bishop Potter has been confined to his bed at his home, No. 10 Washington square north, since Saturday last, and has been compelled to give up all of his engagements. He is suffering from a rheumatic cold which he contracted last week. He is in considerable pain and it is not likely that he will be able to leave his house for several days.

Got a Piano on His Back.

Huntsville, Ala., Jan. 10.—The Huntsville Female college was completely destroyed by fire here. All of the girls escaped unhurt, and most of their belongings were saved. James Gillespie was struck on the back by a piano thrown from the upper story and seriously injured.

Rebecca Babbitt's Will.

New York, Jan. 10.—The will and two codicils of the late Rebecca Babbitt are filed in the surrogate's office. They were executed on September 1, September 11, and September 17, 1891, and name as executors Edward F. Gibbon of New York, and Edward E. Barton, of Englewood, N. J. Mrs. Babbitt died on Dec. 19 last. She leaves personal property estimated to be worth $1,750,000, and real estate the value of which is placed at $97,000.

Many Suffering with the Grip.

New York, Jan. 10.—It is announced that the following named persons are suffering with the grip: ex-Governor Flower, District Attorney Fellows, Assistant District Attorney Battle and H. O. Havemeyer. Several captains of the police and many patrolmen are also suffering with the disease.

IS PRACTICALLY KILLED

Fate of the Currency Bill in the House.

Financial Legislation Crippled for This Session—The Situation as Viewed by Senators—Mr. Voorhees Thinks That the Condition of Affairs Is V. ry Grave Indeed.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The fate of the currency and banking bill was probably decided in the house yesterday when by a vote of 130 to 124 it refused to second Mr. Outhwaite's demand for the previous question on the passage of a resolution reported from the committee on rules regulating the further consideration of the bill. The republicans voted against the rule because they could get no modification of its terms by which they could be assured of reaching a vote on the question of rehabilitating state banks, and the radical silver men because they could get no assurance that they would have an opportunity of voting on Mr. Bland's substitute providing for the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. Upon the announcement of the result of the vote, Mr. Outhwaite withdrew the resolution.

The action of the house in practically killing the currency bill is looked upon by democrats in the senate as fraught with danger to the party now in power. The results that may grow from this vote are none the less dreaded because they were in a measure anticipated. Mr. Voorhees, chairman of the senate committee on finance, within a short time after the vote had been taken, sent for Messrs. Jones and Vest and these three members of the finance committee conferred together for half an hour. Mr. Voorhees deemed the situation so grave that he sent for his colleagues to suggest to them the advisability of collecting a special meeting of the committee for to-day at 2 o'clock and in this view of the situation his colleagues agreed. In speaking of the matter to a United Press reporter Mr. Voorhees said the condition of affairs was very grave and the house having practically abandoned the currency schedule it behooved the senate committee to meet, confer and consult with each other and endeavor to ascertain if they could agree upon some line of action to be inaugurated in the senate. Whether such agreement could be reached or not Mr. Voorhees did not pretend to know.

As soon as it was known that this special meeting was to be held there were a number of hurried conferences on the part of the republican members of the committee. During the afternoon while Mr. Pasco was speaking on the Nicaraguan canal bill members of the republican steering committee consulted with their republican colleagues and the conferences with silver republicans were long and earnest.

Republicans will take the position that there is not sufficient time to enter into the construction of a currency system before this congress adjourns, nor is there even time enough to patch it up decently. While this will give their opponents to understand that they must expect no help from the republicans on any currency measure, the republicans will state that they are willing to aid the democrats in giving the treasury sufficient revenue to meet the expenditures of the government and will while so doing, emphasize the fact that this is more a question of revenue than of currency.

If the democrats desire to prevent the steadily increasing deficiency republicans will suggest a plan as follows:

Let the tax on beer be increased one dollar a barrel, if revenue is needed, say the republicans, and they argue that by this method something more than thirty millions of additional revenue will be collected speedily and easily, for the last internal revenue report shows that this amount was collected under the present tax of one dollar a barrel. If democrats believe this will not be sufficient to meet the deficiency, republicans will also suggest the advisability of a horizontal increase in existing tariff rates of between 15 and 20 per cent. This increase they say can be made to continue in operation for a definite period only. Precedents will be quoted to show that such an increase has been made in the past to provide for an emergency, once in particular in 1872. The fact that the democrats attempted to decrease the revenue in the horizontal manner will be quoted to show that they would be justified in increasing it in the same way.

This and nothing more will be agreed to by the republicans, and any attempt to do more will meet with opposition on the part of a very vigorous minority. The silver men announce that they will not permit any temporary expediency to be placed on the statute books. The free coinage of silver at a fair ratio is, from their standpoint the only kind of a financial system that can afford the country any relief. If anything else is attempted they boldly assert that they will debate it to death. Upon the question of how best to raise immediate money, the republicans are however united, and such a proposition they say can pass, if the democrats desire it. There is nothing in the situation to warrant the belief that any kind of financial or currency scheme can pass the senate.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c. per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph, druggist.

CURRENCY BILL GOSSIP.

Secretary Carlisle Still Hopes for Legislation.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Secretary Carlisle expressed his regret at the action of the house, but does not despair of some financial legislation still passing the house. He suggested that it would be better not to move in the matter again for a few days but that the intervening time be occupied by the friends of the bill in consultation with the silver men and other democrats who opposed it with a view to agreeing to some compromise which will meet or partially meet their objections. Before leaving the capitol the secretary secured several copies of the substitute bill which he carried back to the department, and which it is understood he will consider carefully and endeavor so to amend as to make it more acceptable to the house.

Speaker Crisp Surprised.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Speaker Crisp, although a staunch friend of the Carlisle bill, takes its side-tracking philosophically. He confessed his surprise, however, that the resolution from the committee on rules should have been defeated. It is the first time, he says, that a resolution from that committee, has failed to carry in the house during the four years he has held the office of speaker. He is the more surprised inasmuch as the rule had the unanimous indorsement of the caucus.

Mr. Reed Uncommunicative.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Mr. Reed was asked if he had anything to say regarding the vote on the Outhwaite resolution. "I believe not," he answered. "It seems to be one of those things that go without saying, at least it went without say, however, that I was surprised at the suddenness with which it went. It was not my intention to fight the rule, and I did not fight it. There was no necessity for it."

WORKMEN MANGLED.

Trestle Work Supporting a Bridge Collapses.

Dundas, Ont., Jan. 10.—A trestlework, 75 feet high, supporting a bridge being built on the new Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo railroad, across a small stream about five miles from here, collapsed last evening just as the workmen were quitting work for the night. Three men were taken out terribly crushed, at least one of whom will die. Several others sustained less serious injuries. The following were the most seriously injured:

Andrew Rogers, compound fracture both legs, left arm broken in two places, bad scalp wounds, one eye gouged out. Cannot live.

James Riley, compound fracture left leg and injured internally, recovery doubtful.

John Kerr, limbs bruised and badly injured internally.

Had the accident occurred a few minutes earlier there would have been a great loss of life, as it was most of the big force had left off work.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

Boston, Jan. 10.—It is estimated that when the fourteenth international Christian Endeavor convention is held here next July there will be from 50,000 to 60,000 members and delegates in attendance, which will make it one of the largest religious gatherings ever held. Mechanics' hall, accommodating 8,000 people, will be used and two or three tents, seating 10,000 people each, with the various large churches for overflow meetings. As to entertainment of delegates, the Christian Endeavor plan will prevail, each delegate paying his own expenses.

Forfeited Land Thrown Open.

Marquette, Mich., Jan. 10.—Eight thousand acres of the forfeited Ontonagon and Brule lands was thrown open to settlers this morning. A dozen men wrapped in fur coats and blankets stood in line in front of the government building all night. Some had boxes and lanterns, others had no heat except that supplied by their clothing. The first man took his place Monday at noon. The late comers will get as good land as the men who have exposed themselves to days and nights of severely cold weather.

Thought He Was in Battle.

Kingston, N. Y., an. 10.—The mysterious disappearance of F. Edda, a Japanese student from St. Stephen's college, Annandale, Dutchess county, has occasioned much alarm. It is learned that he left his room at midnight on Monday last, and went into the storm of sleet and snow with scarcely any clothing. He was seized with sudden illness at the college on Saturday, becoming violent and delirious, and refusing medical aid. He imagined he was fighting Chinamen with his countrymen.

Supposed Murderer Arrested.

New Orleans, Jan. 10.—One of Chicago's worst criminals, and who is at present wanted in that city for a murder committed on last election day was captured here. Captain Schuttler pronounced him to be John Sampson alias "The Major," a fugitive from Chiago. He says he has known Sampson for the past fifteen years and has arrested him a number of times for different crooked transactions. It is said that Sampson was a witness in the famous Dr. Cronin murder case.

Jumped from a Train.

Chester, Pa., Jan. 10.—As the northbound express train due in this city at 5:25 o'clock, was passing Moore's station last night, a well dressed stranger jumped from the train and was instantly killed. On the clothing left by him on the car seat were found the names "Louis R. B," and "J. Edgar Keefer, 1121 Sherry street, Baltimore."

Senator Hoar Renominated.

Boston, Jan. 10.—The republicans in joint caucus renominated Senator Hoar by acclamation. The democratic members of the house and senate in joint caucus unanimously nominated Hon. John E. Russell, of Leicester, to be United States senator, to succeed Hon. George F. Hoar.

For Mayor of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—In the republican city convention yesterday City Solicitor Charles F. Warwick was nominated for mayor, receiving 648 votes against 233 for Senator Boies Penrose and one for ex-City Treasurer George D. McCreedy.

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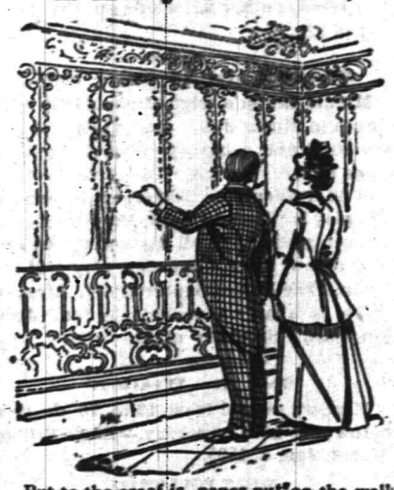

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FOR WOMEN'S EYES.

INCIDENTALLY A FEW FACTS THAT MIGHT PLEASE MEN.

Novel Treatment of the Dress Question. An Authority of 1738 Holds Good Today. Fashion to the Winds—Common Sense to the Fore.

The possibility of woman's ability to conform to the matter of hygiene in the matter of dress, and yet not appear so unfashionable in her attire as to be thought grotesque was thus set forth by Miss Harriett S. Sackett, director of the department of domestic art of the Pratt Institute of Brooklyn in a recent address before the Institute of Art and Sciences.

Miss Sackett dealt with the question of beauty in dress, declaring that in the rush of cities, where even a daffodil or a sprouting tree was a too expensive and unnecessary luxury to have always near, we should find in dress a means of compensation for the lack of nature's beauties.

"We must all be clothed," said Miss Sackett. "Why not make make our clothes beautiful?

"Why should it be thought a waste of time, thought and money to spend a just portion of our earnings in obtaining beautiful dress? Fashion and caprice have ruled us for so many years, seeking merely something new each fall and spring, that beauty could claim no direct relationship.

"A nation's art has always been mirrored in its style of dress. The Grecian dress was graceful, flowing in beautiful lines, and its influence has been felt through many centuries.

"During the middle ages dress became grotesque and complicated, like most other arts. When classic art was revived in Italy early in the sixteenth century, and created the beautiful masterpieces of Titian, Raphael, and their contemporaries, beauty in dress revived, to be copied later by France and other countries. Styles of dress became less ornate and more dignified and simple. In Italy, where true art was never quite lost, the styles of dress was never quite so grotesque as in France or Germany. In the time of the Louis in France dress became the most exaggerated.

"A full rigged ship was considered the most fitting ornament for the top of a lady's head in the time of Marie Antoinette. From that time until a few years ago, when some English artists banded themselves together and strove to revive classic ideals in house decoration and dress, fashion went on tying us up in tight bags or spreading us out in balloons, season after season."

Miss Sackett ascribed to Ruskin and the pre-Raphaelites the fact that a knowledge of beauty in relation to the body and dress has been gradually spreading in civilized countries, particularly in England and America.

"For the last ten years," said she, "it has been possible to wear clothes almost beautiful without appearing so odd as to be ridiculous. Felix of Paris said recently that his first thought in planning a gown was whether it would suit the wearer.

"Dress should express something of the nature or individuality of the wearer. To create beauty in dress, study beauty in all forms of art. Beautiful dress will not prevent free movements of the body or head, or bind the arms. A knowledge of beauty in dress will not load a small, slight body with yards of crinoline or haircloth, or permit the head of a small woman to carry the weight of the huge Gainsborough and feathers so becoming and suitable to her stately sisters.

"The fitness for its use as well as the personality of the wearer must always be considered in the matter of dress. Fabrics should be chosen that reflect the light softly. True health and beauty are one, and a real hygienic dress must be beautiful. We need to study the ideal proportions of the human form to produce beauty in figure. Beauty of form is produced by lines flowing one out of the other in undulations."

Miss Sackett said that the reason probably that large sleeves were so pleasing to most persons was because the hips of so many women have been made to appear unnaturally large by undue pressure at the waist line, and the large sleeves balanced the width of the hips. She advised women to adopt styles individually and characteristically becoming to them without regard to being in the height of fashion, and then gave them the following wise comments upon the subject of taste in dress, which she said she had discovered in the Gentleman's Magazine of the date of 1738.

"Everything which alters or disguises nature proceeds from a false taste. Everything which forces nature beyond its due bounds proceeds from a bad taste. Everything which eclipses the beauties or exposes the defects of nature proceeds from a want of taste. Everything that constrains nature or hinders the freedom of action proceeds from a depraved taste. Everything which loads nature with superfluous ornaments proceeds from affectation of taste. Everything which is out of character is certainly out of taste, and though the fashion can never influence taste, yet taste should always influence fashion."

A Remarkable Creature.

The most remarkable creature in the world is the hydra. It does not amount to much physically, for it is nothing but a sack, open at one end and fastened by the other to a stone, but it is almost impossible to kill it. Turn a hydra inside out and it will get along just as well as before. Trembley, the French naturalist, cut hydras in slices, and each, in a few days, became a full-grown animal. He grafted them, and produced monsters with six mouths and only one body. He divided them longitudinally, and produced a cluster of hydras. He found this creature is superior even to decomposition, for when a part of a hydra's body decays, it throws it off and replaces it, as a matter of course.

An All-Sufficient Reason.

Fond Parent—Bobby, why will you always persist in pushing in the eyes of your little sister's doll?"

Bobby (conclusively)—Because I can't pick 'em out.—Truth.

The First Step.

Bronson—Have the detectives found out anything about that burglary yet?

Johnson—Yes; they've come to the conclusion that the motive for the crime was money.—Puck.

Profession and Practice.

She—If you are a professional woman-hater, what are you going to marry for?

He—So that I can live up to my profession.—Brooklyn Life.

MYRA'S CALLER.

He Had No Right to Be There, but as for Dan, That's Different.

"The world is hollow," remarked the girl in red.

"It is," gloomily assented the girl whose new gown does not fit; "but I don't see how you ever found it out."

"By accident, dear. It happened the day after the cards were sent out. I had a note from Dan saying he must see me before I was Jim's wife. Of course I didn't really care for Dan, but it is soothing to one's vanity to know that the best man is dying of envy of the bridegroom, who has no idea of it."

"So you said you would see him?"

"I did. I felt that it would do Jim no harm if Dan did tell me once more that life was a blank without me; and it was really my last chance, too. Still, I didn't dare to let him come to the house."

"But where else could you see him?"

"At Myra's. She is to be maid of honor, you know, and Jim used to be quite devoted to her, so I knew she'd never dare to tell on me lest people think her jealous."

"When I want advice I shall know where to come for it."

"Very well, do. Well, I didn't send her word that I was coming, for I didn't want anything on paper. As luck would have it, just as I was starting, Jim sent up a box of roses and a melancholy note saying that a business engagement which he could not shirk, would prevent him from coming up that evening."

"You were in luck."

"So I thought. Well, I just threw myself on Myra's mercy. She wasn't a bit pleased, as I could see, but she submitted with the best grace she could. She said she would keep everybody out of the library, so we could have a long, quiet evening, and not to worry about her, as she would in all probability have company."

"That was nice of her."

"Oh, very nice. Dan came early, and we had a perfectly lovely time. He begged me to elope the day before the wedding, recited two poems about his despair, and hinted at suicide. Oh, it was splendid! I cried myself to a jelly. At about 10:30 I really couldn't stand it any longer, so I told Dan that we must go in and speak to Myra, for the front parlor was so quiet that her caller had evidently failed to come. So after another eternal farewell, we went in."

"Well?"

"It wasn't well; it was ill! Myra's caller was there; he was Jim; he was holding her hand, and bidding her good-by forever! Oh, was ever a poor girl so cruelly deceived as I?"—Chicago Tribune.

A GIFTED PARISIAN DOG.

He Knew a Better Trick than Barking at the Burglars.

An amusing story of canine sagacity is told in a recent number of La Lanterne of Paris. M. and Mme. Herisson, living in the Rue St. Sauveur, went to the theatre one evening, leaving their domicile guarded only by a very intelligent little dog, who answered to the name of Castor. They valued him highly, and often remarked:

"Castor? We would not sell him for 10,000 francs—not even to the Pope himself."

They had not been long away when burglars entered the house. Castor, who was at that moment in the kitchen, whiling away the hours by chasing his tail, heard the noise, and not recognizing his master's step, pricked up his ears and listened. A moment more and he decided it must be thieves. To the proverbial fidelity of his race there was added in this wonderful dog the wisdom of serpents. Realizing that if he barked the intruders would sieze and silence him forever, he sat down, covered his head with his paws and thought intently. At last a light broke over his mind, and he stole noiselessly from the house and ran swiftly to a nearby building which was in the course of construction. There he seized a lighted lantern in his mouth and returned with it to the house.

The ruse met with the success it deserved. The thieves, seeing the light in the adjoining room, believed themselves detected, and fled. Castor's joy knew no bounds, and when his owners returned they found him still rubbing his paws with satisfaction.

Spoiled a Cycling Romance.

A cycling romance has been spoiled, and so has a cycling costume, in one of the pleasantest suburbs of South London. Last Sunday morning, as a gentleman was wheeling his way along his favorite country lane, he gradually overtook a lady bicyclist attired in the rational costume, which, for a wonder, became her well.

Elegantly cut, faultlessly finished, the fair rider's attire, from hat to gaiters, spoke the lady—so far, at least, as style went—and the critical spectator was fast becoming a convert to the æsthetic claims of the new fashion when the fair rider wobbled, hesitated and was lost in a ditch at the side of the road. Quickly he rushed to her assistance, helped her to her feet, and dusted her carefully down, the while she thanked him in stammering accents for his courtesy. That voice, he thought, where had he heard it before, and he lifted his eyes to hers. Of course he had heard those tones—they were his cook's.—London Daily Telegraph.

Her Limit.

"I cannot imagine," said the minister, "any more shocking, dangerous, painful and trying situation for any young girl to be placed in than to be engaged to two men at the same time. Think what must be the sensations of a young woman who finds herself in a position so dangerous and so disgraceful!"

"I should think it might make her feel a little soupy," returned the young lady, glancing lightly at a picture of her father's summer home at Bar Harbor; but I never got down so far as that. The smallest line of men I ever had on my hands was three."—Puck.

Why She Smiled.

Judge Peterby, of Harlem, is very absent minded, particularly when he takes a drop too much. He has a large family of children, and meeting a little girl on the street, he stopped and said to her:

"Little girl, why do you smile at me in such a friendly manner?"

"Because you are my papa."—Texas Siftings.

Once Was Enough.

Magistrate—You say the prisoner struck you but once?

Complainant—Yes, sir.

Magistrate (to prisoner)—Why didn't you strike him a second time?

Prisoner—I didn't have to, Yer Honor.—Harlem Life.

THE SUN'S FASHIONS.

GOWNS THAT ARE MUCH TOO RICH FOR PAPA'S PURSE.

The Styles of 1894 Reviewed. Near Approach to the Crinoline, but the Catastrophe Happily Averted. Beaded Trimming and Spangles are Popular.

In reviewing the fashions of 1894 the special features which stand out from all the details of dress are the elegance of materials, the sumptuous coloring, daring combinations and increasing tendency toward elaborate and extravagant methods of fashioning our garments. Something has been borrowed from almost every century and country, and each season has surpassed the preceding one in point of magnificence and variety in design. Nothing can be much more beautiful in texture or exquisite in color, unless we weave our cloth of gold and trace the pattern with precious stones. The lines of fashion have been gradually and generously extended in a manner which is dangerously suggestive of crinoline, but it can be recorded to the years' credit that it did not precipitate this dreaded calamity.

Never in the history of dress has there been greater beauty and richness of fabrics or such picturesque and artistic fancies from which to choose. Luxuriant abundance has been the battle cry in all matters of fashion, and there is as yet no promise that there will be a lesser degree of elegance or quantity required in the year to come. The sleeve, on which the fashion designers have spent so much energy and wrought such wondrous results, has no prospect of a rest. Renewed efforts are to be directed toward getting

the fullness into a drooping attitude, so that the elbow shall be the point of expansion. One of the special features of the season's modes is the extended revival of velvet for entire gowns, wraps, waists, trimmings, and various purposes of combination, which make it so popular. Silks and flowered satins in large old-time patterns have come into fashion again, and furs have developed possibilities of elegance and style in cut and fit which have never been known before. The furriers have become so skilled in the art of managing them that almost every advantage of style is giving to the figure as with more pliable materials. The fur bodice, worn with a cloth or silk skirt and sleeves, is one of the season's fancies, and entire dresses are made of sealskin and carcul. In contrast are the delightful gauzes and chiffons which the year has produced and combined with every other material on the list with such charming effect. And crepon has unfolded like flowers, with all sorts of designs and color effects, which have increased its price and consequent demand. Trimmings are beaded and jewelled and spangled with renewed magnificence, and laces have assumed an importance in the fashionable world which has not been known since the days of Queen Elizabeth.

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Black spangles are sure to harmonize with any color, but blue, green and gold are just as fashionable. Artificial flowers for dress adornment have gained in favor, and they are so exquisitely made and delicately scented with their natural perfume that the effect is almost as good as though they were real, and much more durable. They are beautifully arranged in garnitures for evening dresses, and made up into collarettes, muffs and all sorts of fanciful shapes. Violets retain their favor, but roses, gardenias, and lilies of the valley are quite as much worn.—N. Y. Sun.

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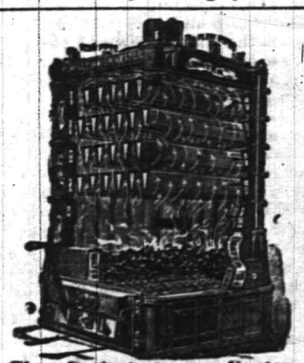

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

Garfield's Gallant Up-hill Fight.

On Jan. 10, 1862, Garfield, then colonel of the Forty-second Ohio infantry, won a minor yet decisive and important victory over the Confederates under Humphrey Marshall, on the Big Sandy, in eastern Kentucky. Marshall's force, numbering about 2,000 men, consisting of Virginians and Kentuckians, had been stationed on the Big Sandy in order to encourage and protect the enlistment of Kentucky troops for the Confederate service. Garfield, who had received orders to drive Marshall out of the state early in January, advanced up the river with 2,000 troops of all arms. The Confederates awaited him in a strong position on a ridge covering the road to Virginia, with a battery planted in the gorge of a fork of the Big Sandy.

The first advance of the Union troops, made with a combined force of cavalry and infantry, was repulsed by the artillery fire. Garfield then sent forward a detachment, which he subsequently twice re-enforced, to dislodge the infantry supports of the battery from the heights on either side. This was accomplished by a gallant up hill fight shortly before dark, and Marshall retreated across the Virginia border.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

The office of speakership of a New Jersey Republican House is not calculated to permit a man to maintain an equilibrious temper, but so long as Judge Cross has sunny-natured McBride, the man of the iron-gray curls, as his right bower, he will never have a chance to get real cross. And with Voorhees fostering benignity, and with the Westfield Assemblyman of the pure white smile continually codding them, the Union County contingent ought to make quite a happy family of the Legislature it is running.

That paper which boasts of itself as the local Republican organ, yesterday expressed much displeasure against the men who help supply the brains and working power of not only the local Republicans but also the city government.

The first victim to receive a scolding was Mayor Gilbert, whom it will not forgive for admitting what The Daily Press has been claiming all along, that the police force of Plainfield is numerically inadequate for the proper protection of the city. Editorially The Press has been reiterating that the police force should be increased, that the present force was an efficient one as far as it went, but that the territory was too large for the handful of bluecoats to cover thoroughly and continuously. Editorially the organ has been hammering the police, and especially the Chief, because it had a spite against that Chief and against some of his men, and because it has candidates of its own p[illegible] circle whom it wishes to have installed in their places.

In his message the Mayor gave praise to the police whom the organ has been hounding, and in that message he urged that five more patrolmen be appointed So closely did the Mayor follow the suggestions of The Press that even the number of new officers which he proposed was exactly the same as The Press suggested. And because the Mayor recognizes the wisdom of the course pointed out by the people's paper, a title won and maintained by The Daily Press, and because he does not coincide with the organ in its frantic claim that the Chief should be removed, the organ proceeds to express its opinion of the Mayor in apoplectic terms. The attack is of no weight, but it affords an interesting commentary on the ingratitude of its author, who sang a very different tune when he was after a salaried office which he confessed he very much needed, and which he never would have secured had it not been for the very Mayor and other men whom he last night assailed and whom he continually assails in the columns of the paper in which he is permitted to intrude his personality.

From the Mayor the organ proceeds to abuse the Chief of Police. In this article The Press has already given a pretty broad hint of why the organ is vilifying the Chief. There is no justice in the attack, nor has there been in any of those preceding it. George W. Grant has been at the head of the police department of Plainfield during the most important years of that office, and the Mayor and the Council and the citizens at large are agreed that he has been a most active, faithful and efficient officer. The value of a police force depends greatly on the management of its chief, and the worth of the chief is established in the condition of the city's peace, good order and morality during his rule. For a city of its magnitude, its cosmopolitan population, and its small number of officers, Plainfield has a right to claim superiority over most of its sisters in the matter of public decency. Its streets are freer from disorder, and its entire territory is freer from the municipal diseases which a police force can reach and abate, than most communities in this State of proverbial justice.

The organ has made its principal scorings against the Chief on the ground that he was permitting the notorious illegal sale of liquor. What does the Mayor say? He says (see his message as published in The Daily Press of Jan. 8.) that "the illegal selling of liquor has engaged the attention of the police during the past year; several offenders have been convicted, but owing to the fact that the laws to prevent the illegal sale of liquor seem to favor the liquor sellers it is almost impossible to enforce a penalty". He records the activity of the police, and shows that the offenders are secure in their unlawful practice, not through police inactivity but through the weakness of the law. Does he say that Chief Grant must go? On the contrary, he says the bad law must go, and to be sure that a better one will take its place he has put the matter in the hands of that unfailing advocate, the Corporation Counsel. He points out other defective, weak and inadequate ordinances and urges their correction, and clearly shows that instead of being lax and sluggish and altogether worthless, as the organ would have us believe, the Plainfield police are overworked and hampered by legal technicalities, but enforcing the ordinances as far as in their power they can.

Councilman Frost comes in for a big share of the general pounding by the organ. Whereas some time ago he was lauded to the skies by this same organ, for his masterly management of the water and sewer department of the Council, now he is charged with being careless and frivolous and sensational. When the report of Mr. Frost's committee on the water-supply investigation appeared in The Daily Press, The Press took occasion to raise criticism upon some of its points. That criticism it still adheres to, and for that criticism Mr. Frost thanked the editor as he said he courted honest criticism as a means of bringing out all the facts. And he further said that he had gone too deeply into this matter of water supply to be mistaken, and had an abundance of facts in reserve. Honest criticism he courts; honest criticism he expects, from The Daily Press: but because his report is open to criticism is no reason for the personal affront offered by the organ of his own party.

Here are three honorable and zealous public officials of Plainfield bitterly assailed in one day by the organ which but a short time ago was strenuously advocating the re-election of two of them, and whose police reports, if they are true to the facts, daily record the activity and success of the third in his efforts to maintain order and decency in the city.

The Daily Press does not believe, and the people do not believe, the charges which this Republican paper is making against these Republican officials, and unless The Press and the people are greatly mistaken these gentlemen will not permit themselves to be bulldozed into heeding the organ's frenzied appeals to have its own pet wishes carried out through their instrumentality.

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A Sign of Good Times.

Those who do not believe the times are mending should take an occasional glance at the lists of marriage licenses and the marriage announcements. There is no surer sign of returning prosperity than the readiness of lovers to go housekeeping.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

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For Tomorrow: Rain and Snow; Colder Friday Night; Brisk to High Northeasterly Winds.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Vincent Baker of Sandford avenue is recovering from severe illness.

Harry Carey of Prospect place has returned from a visit with friends in New York State.

D. J. Sisk has returned from the Hospital to his work as engineer in the Scott Printing Machine Works.

Mrs. Stephen Haight, wife of New York's celebrated architect, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Lighthill, 132 Crescent avenue.

F. F. Beekman of Netherwood avenue, who was married two weeks ago, has moved into his new house just completed at Johnson avenue and East Second street.

Mrs. Frank Sargent Grant of 59 Jackson avenue will give a tea Wednesday, Jan. 16, from 3 to 6. Dr. and Mrs. Grant leave Plainfield about the 20th, to sperd the Winter in New York.

Charles Smith is bound his guests shall enjoy life, and today he paid $40 for boxes in Music Hall so that the crack shooters come to visit the Gun Club may enjoy with him the Minnie Lester shows.

Dr. H. G. Stephenson, who will be 91 years of age in March, had a bad fall Sunday in an effort to brave the icy pavements and get to church, and since has been suffering from the grip. His condition is alarming.

Accused of Vicious Conduct.

Before Justice Newcorn this morning Thomas Kane, one of the gang of Liberty street hoodlums, charged with assaulting Shoemaker Vitner, was discharged for lack of evidence; and Phil Sheridan, who started out the back way as Chief Grant entered the front door of his home early this morning, only to run into Officer Vanderweg's open arms, was held on two counts.

For the first, assault on Leonardo Vitner, he was held in $200 to await the action of the Grand Jury, and on the second for stealing rides on passing freights, in violation of the railroad laws, he was fined $5 or 20 days. He went to jail.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

—Never mind the weather, Peck's store is open.

—The Hope Chapel bowlers roll a game in Kahway tomorrow night.

—A. C. Rogers ran a nail into his foot at the Babcock Building yesterday.

—Van Buren & Timpson are having a large and handsome sign painted by Vroom, which will be placed on top of their building on North avenue.

—A. Vanderbeck, agent for Owner W. R. Clarkson, has received from Postmaster-General Bissell, cancellation of the lease on the present postoffice after March 1.

Didn't Recognize His Image.

An officer decorated with the Legion of Honor recently entered a waxwork show near Porte-Saint-Denis, and, after looking at the exhibits carefully, addressed himself to the showmen: "You announce on your list Gen. Dodds. Would you kindly point him out to me?" "Why, you have just been looking at him," replied the showman, pointing at a model in a general's uniform. "There's the conqueror of Behanzin." "It's not very like," said the stranger. "Excuse me," rejoined the showman, "it was executed by one of the general's closest friends. You can't have ever seen him." By way of answer the stranger handed his card and the showman read: "Gen. Dodds." —London Globe.

Complimented.

She had married a young naval officer and was so pleased over it that she had gone with him into a little house on a side street and was running it herself.

"Have you any beans?" she inquired of the grocer's clerk during the first week of her incumbency.

"Do you wish navy beans?" he asked politely.

"Oh, certainly," she twittered. "How clever of you to guess we weren't army people."

And the clerk almost choked on the ball of twine he stuck in his mouth to control his emotions.—Detroit Free Press.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

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METROPOLITAN NOTES.

Interesting Facts and Opinions Chronicled by the Daily Press of New York.

It's a horrible statement, nevertheless true, that while numerous women are only too ready to give their time and energies to teaching the Chinese male, there can hardly be found at the present moment a so-called "charitable" woman who will undertake to teach English to a Chinese female. Just now there is quite a good caste Chinese woman looking for "some Christian American lady who will teach me how to speak English and the Christian doctrine at the same time." The woman came over a month ago to join her husband, who keeps a little prospering Chinese store—tea, lanterns, fans and the rest—in Bleecker street. When a lady from the City Mission went to see her she said that if some good lady would teach her conversation and religion she might even manage to pay a little for the instruction.

Not one conversational or religious lady could be induced to assume the task. One good charitable lady went down with teaching intentions, thinking a man wanted the lessons, but when she found nothing better than a woman she cooled off and thought she "couldn't find the time."—N. Y. Herald.

The pay roll of the city government amounts to more than $12,000,000 a year, or about $1,000,000 a month. The patronage to be disposed of by Mayor Strong on entering on the duties of his office was limited to his own staff, which cost $17,000 a year; the License Bureau attached to the Mayor's office, for which $11,400 is appropriated for employes; the City Record office, which expends $16,100 for employes, and the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, which costs $19,700, making a total of $65,200. But if the Legislature passes the Power of Removal bill, also the bill abolishing the Police Justices and authorizing the appointment of magistrates instead, it will place the entire patronage of eighteen of the principal departments of the city government practically at Mr. Strong's disposal. These departments have an annual pay roll of $1,737,000. The employes of the city number more than 17,000.

Now and then pacing along the walks in Central Park you will see a man not so much heard of now as some years ago, but yet whose name arouses pleasant memories. It is Dr. Robert Collyer, who used sometimes to be called the "Blacksmith Preacher." A venerable figure his is now, though he is still vigorous enough. Not above middle height, but compact of figure, Dr. Collyer strikes you as a man of strength and vigor. His clean shaven face is that of a man of strong intellect and original mind. It is not that of a man who would have to go to another man for ideas. His white hair is worn long, somewhat in the manner that Henry Ward Beecher wore his, and, indeed, Dr. Collyer in a manner recalls the great pastor of Plymouth Church. You do not see Dr. Collyer much in public. Perhaps the best place to see him is in his library, a very simple one, by the way. If you want to hear a man say kindly, helpful things, to express opinions of other men, true enough but never harsh, then you should have half an hour's chat with Robert Collyer. Somehow when I saw him last he reminded me of the Vicar of Wakefield. I verily believe that Goldsmith had such a man in his mind's eye when he drew his delightful character.—N. Y. Advertiser.

Mr. Russell Sage said that it was not true that the Manhattan Railway Company is about to sign a contract with the Westinghouse Electric Company for the equipment of its lines by electricity. He said that he knew that Mr. George Westinghouse had given the matter a great deal of thought, and that he understood that he had nearly perfected a plan which would be offered to the company before very long. "I know I am not a young man," Mr. Sage said, "but I expect to live to see the elevated roads run by electricity; yes, and a double deck road, too, with elevators to carry passengers up and down at the stations, run by the same power."—N. Y. Sun.

One of the satisfactory local matters of the past year was has been the remarkable success of the Provident Loan Society established in May last for loaning money to worthy poor on short time at six per cent. per annum. It has been an institution of benefit to about 17,000 needy people, and it does not seem to have brought any disadvantage to the old-fashioned pawnbrokers who carry on business under the sign of the three gilded balls. But for the new society, organized by a few wealthy citizens, many thousands of people would have been subjected to a severer strain than they suffered under during the hard times of the year.

New York is undoubtedly a busy place, yet it is astonishing to find how many people in it there are with time to watch the ordinary incidents of street life. Business men rushing from commission house to commission house will stop to watch the workmen on the electric subway fixing the rubber rims of the inspection holes. Grave merchants will pause on their way to their offices and watch the mid air ascent of a safe, or the sexton's assistant mowing grass in Trinity churchyard. A car blocade of a few minutes will cause the gathering of an eager crowd of inquirers on both sides of the street; and a boy in a fit will cause a suspension of business until the ambulance carts him off.

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Inconvenience Soon Over.

The packing in a new heater placed in Muhlenberg Hospital about a week ago was burned out yesterday on account of the water being allowed to run out. Repairs, however, were quickly made, and little inconvenience was caused.

WIDOW GIRTY AND THE STANDARD.

She Sues for $150,000 Given to Hide Her Husband's Crime.

The application of Lawyer Charles T. Wahle to frame issues for a trial before a Jury in the suit of Caroline E. Girty against the Standard Oil Company brought out some unexpected revelations. The plaintiff is the widow of the late George W. Girty who, previous to his death on January 31 last, had been for more than twenty years the cashier of the Standard Oil Company. The suit, as Mr. Wahle explained was to set aside the transfer of $150,000 worth of property made by Mrs. Girty to the company on the ground of duress, fraud, and misrepresentation made by her husband.

On March 19, 1883, when the plaintiff was 62 years old, her husband came to her and told her that he was a thief and had embezzled $364,450.29 from the company. He presented her with a paper to sign, explaining that unless she did so he would be arrested and both of them disgraced. He even threatened to commit suicide unless she carried out his wishes, and also proposed the alternative of ending the whole trouble by dying together.

Finally she signed the paper, but only after her husband had told her that the document was simply to be used as a collateral security, and that it would not deprive her of any right or interest she might have in the property.

Mr. Girty had been employed by the Rockefellers in a confidential capacity for nearly thirty years when he died. He was with them in 1866, when they kept a grocery in Cleveland. At that time, according to Mrs. Girty, the Rockefeller's assets consisted of an old desk, a pine chair, and a yaller dog. Mrs. Girty, inherited money, and increased it by judicious speculation. In 1879 she built a house in Euclid avenue, in Cleveland, which cost $110,000. This property, together with twelve lots in the heart of the city of Cleveland, is what she declares was transferred to the Standard Oil Company under misrepresentation.

Before the conveyance on March 26, '93, the Standard Oil Company began to operate in the German oil market and Mrs. Girty declares that her husband was in with them on several deals, and that they squeezed him and made him a pauper. Girty was considered to be worth $500,000 before that, and he was left with nothing.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Standard Oil Company declared Girty to be a defaulter, they continued to employ him in a position of trust and responsibility to the time of his death, at a salary of $10,000 a year. When he died they gave $1,000 toward the expense of his funeral, and sent a committee of the Board of Directors to Cleveland in a private car to attend the funeral.

Furthermore, the conveyances signed by Mrs. Girty, under the laws of the State of Ohio, should have been acknowledged by the wife separately and apart from her husband. That never was done. The papers were signed and acknowledged by Mrs. Girty in the presence of her husband, and when he left her he took the papers with him.

Pleased with His Representative.

J. H. Hart of the firm of Hillier & Co. visited the company's store on North avenue yesterday and complimented the management of the Plainfield branch, which is in charge of Miss Mary Brown.

THE WORKING GIRL.

Miss Sallie Palmer Gives Some Suggestions to Girls About Backache, Faintness, and Dizziness.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

Did you ever notice working girls on their way home from stores or factories?

Did you notice how many of them had pale cheeks, dull eyes, and heavy steps? and did you wonder why they were not ruddy and bright?

The story which is told by Miss Sallie Palmer, of Nicetown, Pa., gives the reason for this sad condition of many working girls.

Sometimes their back and sides will ache terribly. They are faint and dizzy with pain and weight in the lower part of their stomach. They watch the clock, and wish that the day would end, as they feel so ill and tired.

Standing all day, week in and week out, they have slowly drifted into woman's great enemy, displacement of the womb. That, or some other derangement of the organ, causes irregularity or suspension of the "monthly periods," bloating, flooding, or nervous prostration.

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Threatened with Death and Forced To Reveal State Secrets—Kicked Into the Street and Warned to Leave London—Will Join the Army in Order To Escape Them.

London, Jan. 10.—The authorities are greatly exercised over an anarchist outrage of an entirely new character which has just come to their notice. An important officer of the French police, in London on a police mission, was seized by anarchists, who carried him off bodily to one of their haunts, where by threats they forced him to reveal such state secrets as he possessed. The developments of the affair are expected to involve diplomatic correspondence.

The details of the affair are as follows:

A young man named Eugene came from Paris last August and made his home in the anarchist quarter. He appeared to be destitute. The anarchists fed him, clothed him and found him employment. Gradually they admitted him to their confidence. He professed their doctrines and often took part in their secret councils. By the end of November he had attended several of their secret meetings. It was then noticed that the Paris police were getting an unusual amount of information as to anarchist proceedings in London. Early in December the anarchist leaders began to suspect Eugene. They were not sure, however, until an important document, addressed to Eugene by Commissary Andre, third brigade of the Paris police, was delivered by mistake to an English anarchist. Twenty-four hours later a special meeting was called. Eugene as usual was invited to be present. The moment he entered the door he was seized and bound. He was kicked, cuffed, spit upon, and, with a revolver at his head and several knives at his breast, was ordered to confess within ten minutes. He acknowledged that he was a trusted police agent known as Colin, Cuvillier and Cottance. In a search of his person a bundle of police documents was found in a secret pocket. One of them was a letter from the Paris prefecture instructing him to watch and report in full the doings of a woman who was about to start from Dieppe for London.

When the detective had answered all the questions the anarchists cared to ask, his captors proposed to kill him. Ultimately he was kicked into the street with the warning that he would be killed if he did not leave London at once. He started at once for Paris and, it is said, will enter the army to protect his life. The London anarchists will send portraits of him to France for circulation among the anarchists of the principal cities.

BEATEN WITH BRASS KNUCKLES.

Insurance Agent McPherson, of Norristown, Pa., Badly Used Up.

Norristown, Pa., Jan. 10.—Samuel V. Newell, of Central City, Col., ex-senator from that state, made an assault last evening with brass knuckles on E. S. McPherson, agent for the Northwestern Life Insurance company, located here. Newell claims that McPherson has been criminally intimate with his wife. McPherson has been corresponding with Mrs. Newell for the past two years. He formerly resided at Central City and was befriended by Newell, who is a well known politician. The latter managed to get hold of several letters and discovered the intimacy that existed between the two.

Newell left Denver on Saturday night with the intention of coming 2,200 miles to give McPherson a severe beating. In this he succeeded. On arriving in Philadelphia he registered at the Colonade hotel under an assumed name and had his moustache dyed. He procured a wig to further disguise himself and arrived in Norristown during the afternoon and proceeded at once to the Trust company's building, where McPherson had his office.

McPherson did not recognize Newell on account of the disguise and was taken by surprise. He was knocked down by a blow on the forehead with the knuckles and was badly used up. Had it not been for Supt. John H. Passmore, of the Traction company, and J. B. Larseelere, who were in the building and went to his assistance, McPherson would have been killed. In the scuffle Newell lost his wig and his identity was revealed. As soon as he could get away McPherson left his office and could not be found.

Newell was taken into custody, but was not locked up. McPherson did not appear against him and he was discharged.

NUTMEG STATE'S DAY.

Connecticut Inaugurates Her New Governor, Coffin.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 10.—Streets ankle deep with slush greeted the marchers in the inauguration of Gov. Coffin, although it was nice overhead.

Many buildings were decorated and there were large crowds on the streets. The retiring and incoming state officers also rode in the procession.

Boston Catholic Union Dinner.

Boston, Jan. 10.—The Catholic union of Boston held a notable dinner at the Hotel Brunswick last evening, entertaining as guests Charles J. Bonaparte of Baltimore; ex-Governor Alexander H. Rice, General Francis A. Walker, president of the Massachusetts institute of technology, and the Hon. Thomas J. Gargan of Boston.

Delaware's Governor Ill.

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 10. — The health of Governor-elect Joshua H. Marvin has not been good for some time past and his friends are worried over his condition. A few days ago Mr. Marvel consulted his family physician regarding his condition, and was warned that any excitement would prove dangerous to him.

Hungarian Crisis.

Vienna, Jan. 10.—Count Khuen-Hedervary has formally notified the emperor that he cannot form a cabinet.

LATEST FOREIGN NEWS

Reports of Armenian Outrages Denied.

Germany Needs Warships, So Says the Kaiser—Inhumanity Shown to Drowning People—Mme. Joniaux's Trial for Murder at Antwerp—The Gladstones at Cannes.

London, Jan. 10.—A Spanish traveler named Ximinez, who has just returned from a geographical mission through Mesopotamia and Kurdistan, says:

"I was in Armenia from March to November and happened to be in Bitlis during the disturbances in the Sassoun district. It is absolutely false that women and children were outraged and tortured by Turkish troops. The whole thing was grossly exaggerated from an entirely local disturbance, locally suppressed, the troops arriving too late to share in the repression beyond the capture of the supposed instigator. He was a liberated convict named Bohazian, alias Mourah, formerly a pupil in the American Methodist Mission school."

Ximenez exonerates Zekki Pasha, who, on arriving at Moosh, immediately liberated numbers of Armenians and adopted a policy of conciliation throughout. Ximenez says that the Armenian question hardly exists in Armenia.

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 10.—The fire which occurred on board the excursion steamer Terceira, of Nictheroy, in the harbor of Rio de Janeiro, on Monday last, was due to the explosion of an electric motor. Of the 120 said to have been drowned by jumping overboard forty bodies have already been recovered.

It transpires that the ferry boat Quinta, which was passing by the Terceira, refused to help the passengers of the steamer, as the persons on board the ferry boat drew revolvers and compelled the captain of that craft to proceed, fearing that the flames from the excursion steamer would set fire to the ferry boat.

Berlin, Jan. 10.—At the parliamentary reception held by Emperor William at Potsdam last evening, his majesty made a long speech upon naval matters, and pointed out the necessity of increasing the strength of the German fleet. With a map in hand he showed the different naval stations and distant scenes, especially those of the war between China and Japan.

"Pray, afford Prince Bismarck, the founder of our colonial policy," his majesty added, "the satisfaction on his eightieth birthday of seeing voted the necessary sum for the German fleet."

London, Jan. 10.—The Earl of Buckinghamshire, who lately announced in a speech to his tenants his withdrawal from the conservative party and his future adhesion to the principles of the liberal party, has made a statement of his reasons for the step he has taken. His lordship says he has become a liberal because he believes that the reform of the house of lords is the gravest question of the day. The Earl of Buckinghamshire is a descendant of the famous John Hampden.

Berlin, Jan. 10.—A number of anarchists were arrested here. The police searched the book shops kept by socialists and seized a quantity of revolutionary song books and pamphlets.

Antwerp, Jan. 10.—Mme. Henri Joniaux, who is on trial here on the charge of having murdered her brother, sister and uncle in order to obtain the money for which their lives were insured was examined. She indignantly repudiated the charge of poisoning and the suggestion that she had speculated upon the death of her sister. She declared that her object in effecting insurance upon the lives of her brother, sister and uncle was to obtain money to pay a secret debt of honor, amounting to 30,000 francs, that had been revealed to her by her mother on the latter's death bed.

Cannes, Jan. 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone arrived here to-day. Both are enjoying good health.

WILD RIDE ON A TROLLEY.

Newark Passengers Have an Exciting Time on a Runaway Car.

Newark, Jan. 10.—A trolley car with over sixty passengers broke loose from the motorman in this city yesterday, dashed down the Warren street hill into Market street at breakneck speed. The brakes failed to work. At High street turn there was a sudden lurch, the car titled over on two wheels and half a dozn passengers were flung from the platform to the cobble stones.

The car sped down the steep incline by the court house, the women and children inside shrieking at the top of their lungs. At the Market street switch the runaway car plunged into the rear end of a South Orange avenue car and smashed the platform and shattered the glass in the windows and doors. The passengers were flung in a heap. Several were injured.

Quiet at St. Johns.

St. Johns, N. F., Jan. 9.—The city is quiet. No further disturbance has occurred, although a mob surrounded the court where the arrested rioters were remanded for a further hearing. Upon investigation it is found that only one of the four prisoners is a native of St. Johns, and he is a boy. The others belong to a fishing settlement on Trinity Bay, and are said to be hard characters. They will be severely dealt with, as it is now believed that their original intention was to loot the savings bank.

Trouble in Ohio Mines.

Columbus, O., Jan. 10.—Secretary Bishop, of the state board of arbitration, has received information of renewed trouble at the Massillon mines, where the miners recently decided to accept the terms of the arbitrators. The drivers, who have a separate organization received $2.05 per day, but under the terms of the arbitrators they were cut to $1.60. They refused to accept the rate and have decided to strike.

Local Weather Forecast.

Colder; fair; northwesterly winds.

GONE WITH $350,000

South Dakota's State Treasurer a Defaulter.

No Trace of Him Found—He Lost Much Money in Several Bank Failures—Writes That He Will Not Return—Expected Friends to Help Him Out of the Hole.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 10.—State Treasurer W. W. Taylor, president of the First National bank of Refield, S. D., which failed yesterday, is a defaulter, but no one knows either the amount of the defalcation or the method of his crime. Under the statute Taylor should have turned over the cash to his successor Tuesday, but Saturday he wired from New York that he could not get here before late last night. When the train arrived he was not on board, and his bondsmen and friends became convinced that their suspicions were correct—that he had defaulted.

It has been known for some time that he was embarrassed for money. He was caught in the Chemical National bank failure at Chicago for a large amount and lost $20,000 in the bank at Milbank, S. D., as well as $10,000 in that at Gettysburg, S. D., which failed during the panic. Altogether he lost $100,000.

State Examiner Myers said that last April he called on Taylor for a statement of his accounts. The statement gave the names of 15 or 20 banks in which he had deposited money and the examiner received a verification from the banks as to the amounts held by them. If these statements were correct Taylor was all right in April.

In November Mr. Meyers called for a similar report but Taylor after repeated promises to make it did not do so.

Moreover he had been out of the state since some time in November and his precise whereabouts are not known. This circumstance causes great embarrassment to Taylor's friends who say he has taken poor counsel in not facing the music and making a clean statement of the whole matter. There ought now to be in the treasury $50,000 but no one except Taylor knows where the money is deposited and consequently it is impossible to tell what the shortage is.

About the first of this month Taylor was to take up $190,000 of funding warrants. If these warrants were paid the shortage will not be very large, otherwise it will be very heavy.

Taylor's relatives are wealthy and influential. His father, Wm. Taylor, is one of his bondsmen, the others being ex-Gov. Mellette, Speaker Howard of Redfield, and Robert McCoy of Abredeen.

Walter W. Taylor was born in Indianna in 1854, and associated with his father in the wholesale coal business at Lafayette, that state. He came to Dakota in 1886 and established the First National bank of Redfield, which he soon made one of the leading financial institutions of this region. He took an active part in politics from the first.

Later developments show that the defalcation of Treasurer Taylor has not been overestimated. There should have been $370,000 in the treasury. All the funds in sight consist of about $15,000 in the Pierre banks.

December 31 a draft of $35,000 was sent Taylor at New York. Efforts have been made to stop this draft but it is thought to be too late. The Chase National of New York, which holds the warrants, telegraphed they had not been paid and that Taylor has not been seen there for several days.

Advices from Aberdeen are to the effect that Taylor took little money with him but lost it all through his friends whom he helped during the financial panic. When he wanted the money returned his friends were not able to accommodate him. Among the persons whom he loaned money are said to be several state officials and if criminal prosecutions are instituted there will be some sensational developments before the case is ended.

Some time ago Taylor went to New York for the purpose of raising funds to close his account with the state but recent advices are to the effect that he was unable to negotiate a loan and he announced his intention of never returning to Dakota. His friends he bitterly reproached for not coming to his aid in time of need.

In his letter from New York, dated Jan. 6, he says: "I am compelled to inform you that I will not return to Redfield or Pierre. I have counted on friends assisting me in making up my settlement with the state, and felt that it would be done until the last few days. I have no excuse to offer for my condition, although I believe I have many."

Miners Lease Mines.

Columbus, O., Jan. 10.—The miners at Shawnee have leased the Goslyn and Barbour mines, two of the largest in that vicinity, and will oprate them to their full capacity. They will pay a royalty of seven cents per ton on all coal mined and a commission of ten per cent. to the operators for making the sales. They will realize only thirty-five cents per ton, but they will have steady work and will be in a position to punish the Pittsburg operators who broke the differential agreement, reducing mining from sixy-nine to fifty-five cents per ton.

Mines Will Stop Work.

Norway, Mich., Jan. 9.—The Arragon Mining company will suspend work on Saturday for an indefinite period, throwing 300 miners, mostly heads of families, out of employment, with scant prospect of obtaining work again until spring or summer. The company suspends work because it can earn no money under the present royalty paid to the owners in fee of mines.

A Dishonest Odd Fellow Arrested.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 10.—Emil Solomon, late financial secretary of John A. Kennedy lodge of Odd Fellows of New York City, who decamped with $600 of the funds of the lodge some time ago and has been imposing upon Odd Fellows in all parts of the country, was arrested here on the charge of vagrancy, pending communication with the parties whom he has defrauded.

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For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 41 9.06, 9.36 a. m., 9.39 p. m.

Sundays, 1, 9 05, 9 36 a.m., 9 41 p m.

For Baltimore only 1 37 p. m., week-days

For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 24, 5 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 01 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 38, 8 57, 9 17, 9 41, 9 , 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 12, 1, 1 56, 224, 2 40, 3 45, 3 57, 4 47, 4 44, 5 , 5 36, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 28 7 59, 9 17. 9 10, 9 50, 10 03 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 46, 2 33, 3 45, 5 45, 6 45 5 24, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30 9 15, 10 16, and 11 46 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 37, 7 19, 9 08, 9 26, 11 43, a. m., 1 06, 1 37, 2 33, 5 09, 6 26 7 46, 8 09, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 39, 9 08, 9 26, 10 43 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05 9 26, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 06, 1 37, 2 48, 3 59, 4 38, 5 08, 5 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 09 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 26 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27, Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 55, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 5 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 5 40, 7 46, 8 09, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 4 39, 9 08 9 26 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 13 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 6 30, 8 00, 9 15, 9 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 12 45, 2 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 6 45, 6 45 10, 8 30, 9, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 10, 11 30 P. M 12 15, 1, night, Sunday—8 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 50, 8, 8 48 9 52, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06 1 15, 2 07, 3 00, 3 12, 5 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17 11 38 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 38, A. M 12 38, 1 45, 3 50, 6 36, 7 11, 8 29, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 08, 11 38 A.M., 1 15, 1 55, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 04, 3 35, 4 08, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 50, 6 20, 7 18, 7 38, 8 45, 10 08, 11-38 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 9 45, 9 35, 11 38 A. M., 1 10, 2 38, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Hilton's, both.

PLAINFIELD AN SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 45 A. M., 12 40 2 08, 2 52, 3 45, 4 56, 5 05, 6 14, 6 54, 8 04, 9 10, 9 58, 10 13, 10 54 & 21, 10 56, 11 23, P. M., 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, 8 30 9 54, A.M., 2 08, 3 25, 5 14, 6 38, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 36, 7 58, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 57, 1 45, 2 00, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 38, 8 17, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 05, 9 40, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 6 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 40, 2 08, 5 05, 6 14, 7 25, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 8 26 A. M., 2 08, 6 38, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A.M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 25 P. M. Sundays—7 18, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 00, P. M

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 P. M.

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6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Manch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Bastor, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 4 6p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Manch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

8 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Manch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 30 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 26 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 26, 8, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 4 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 26, a. m., 3 30 p. m.,

For Perth Amboy, 9 26, 6 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 26, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 26, 8, 10 27 a m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50 p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 46, 9 46*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 26*, 8 21, 9 27* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—9 46, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 45 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Sundays—4 10, 8 20, 9 50, 12 35 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19 a. m. 2 40, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—8 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m., 3 20, 6 13, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 58, 9 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 15*, 2 10, 4 25*, 5 54, 9 05 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m., 1 15*, 4 32 6 45*, 9 03 p. m.

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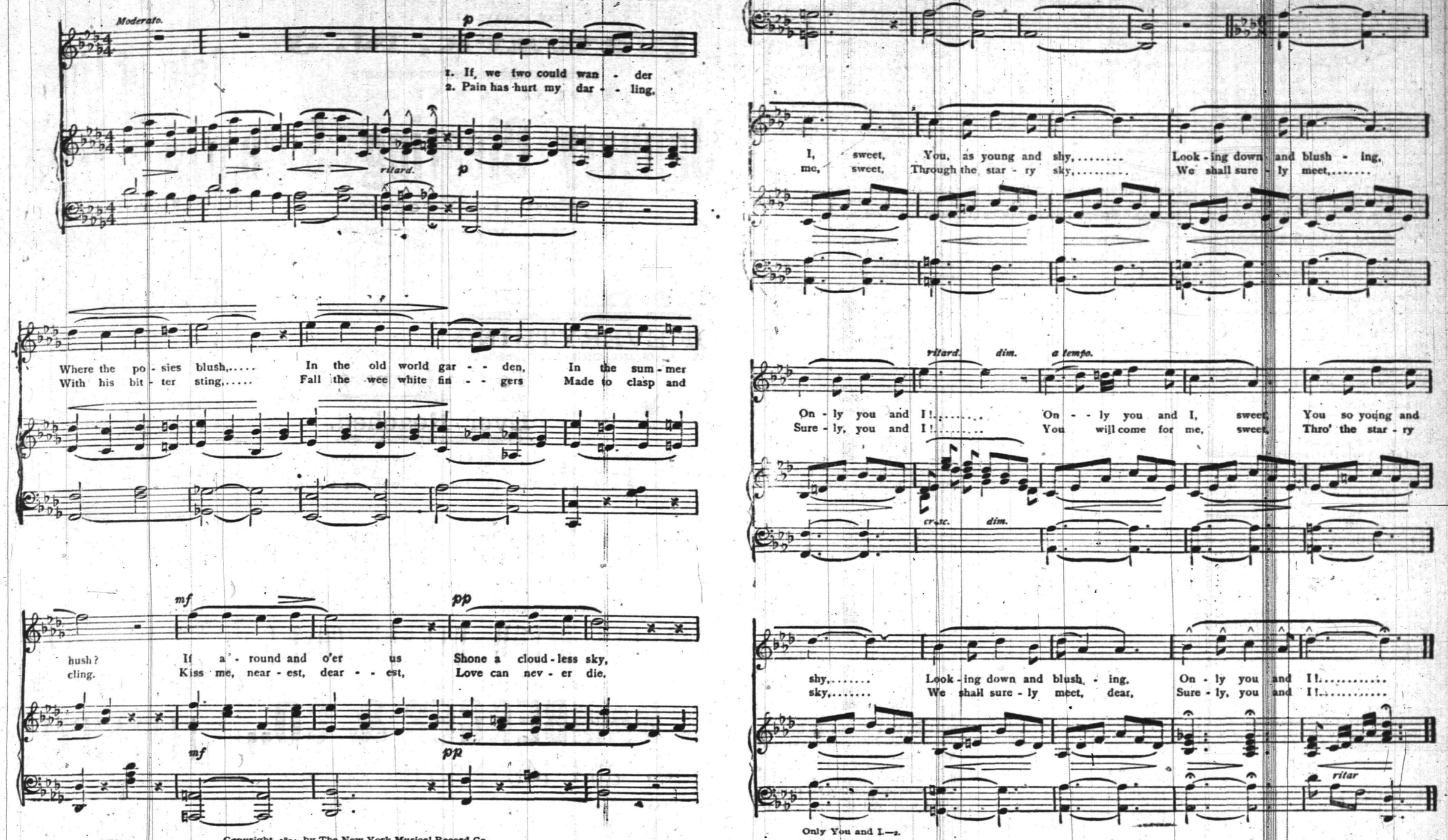

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There is seldom a lovelier vision vouchsafed to the world of opera than when the young Duchess des Sarazines Beauxlieux entered her box and paused a moment, her great cloak of sables, as it fell, making the whiteness of her shoulders more white. When she turned in her slender stateliness, and bent to return a salutation, her dress of palest primrose satin, threaded with gold, and the sudden blaze of her diamonds, made the more poetical of the spectators think of the young crescent moon in the dark sky, that they had seen down the length of some avenue before they entered.

As for the diamonds she wore, they were simply marvelous—their size, their purity, their depth, their splendor—a collar clasped about her throat, with a sunburst on the breast, and a double fillet in the hair, immense and magnificent stones that seemed to breathe as she breathed, and to shine with a spirit of their own. There were, of course, none like them in the house, and she wore them as if they were a ribbon. "When she comes into her box," the old Chevalier St. Malo said, "I see the stars rise in the sky."

There had been innumerable contes told about those diamonds. They had been in the possession of the Beauxlieux since the time of the Crusades, for all that men knew to the contrary. The Beauxlieux of that day had spoiled the Saracens of them, barbaric and half-cut stones, one legend ran; others said that the Beauxlieux of the time of Charlemagne, who had carried on the futile negotiations for the emperor's marriage to the Byzantine Princess Irene, had been enriched with them before leaving the east. It was certain that they had been recut and many times reset, and it was believed that no woman of all that proud and long-descended race had worn them with the grace and beauty and nonchalance of the present duchess. Tall, supple, her dark skin colorless and clear, her dark eyes like liquid light, her features modeled in ivory, as you might say, the waves of her black hair carved out of ebony, the delicate curve of the red lips opening on a

SHE PLACED THEM ON THE TABLE.

smile that took one captive, it was hardly a wonder that the last duke had married her from her home in the Basses Pyrenees, without a portion.

The duke had gone down to his estates in the islands with a couple of friends for some shooting. At least that was his errand ostensibly. In reality he had crossed the border to meet a representative of the Spanish court in some endeavor to compose the endless quarrels of the hostile kinspeople of the royal families and bring fresh forces to urge upon the hesitating king at home the necessity of strong measures. He was returning, unsuccessful, from his attempt, hoping to make the pass before dark, when his horse went lame just where the road wound below the wall of a single tower, much like the solitary peel-towers of Ireland, set on a shelf of the mountain spur, and looking, in the dim light, as if it might be tenanted by bats and owls or by any company of brigands.

"Juste ciel!" exclaimed the duke. "The last misfortune has arrived to us! And the night coming on in the last quarter of the moon, here in this land of brigandage!"

"I would like better, I confess, to be guest at a little supper with la dame Blandie," said the chevalier. "How goes that, Etienne?"

"You have had little suppers and to spare, chevalier," was the reply. "Hark, what is that?"

It was a voice, a sweet fresh voice from somewhere high in the tower, singing an evening song to the Virgin, a young girl's voice it might be, as soft and clear as the twilight itself here among the hills, and that the echo took and refined away to a very voice of the air.

"Good!" said the duke. "If there are brigands where that voice is, my purse is at their service. Come, is there a gate, a door, a postern, to this enchanted castle?"

And suddenly a wild alarm of baying and bellowing rose; drowning the singing voice, and an old man stood in the gate with his hounds leaping about him, and looked at the riders questioningly. Then bidding the dogs begone, he asked the strangers to ride in to the paved court, dismount and be welcome.

"We are three gentlemen of France," said M. Etienne, "and one of our horses, as you see, has gone lame. Can you give us shelter for a night, and perhaps put us in the way of another mount to-morrow?"

"My house is yours," was the reply. "Take the bridles, Ambroise!" And another old man who followed him closed and barred the gate and led away the horses, while his master threw open the inner door and bade his guests enter.

As the duke glanced at the arms carved above the great door, "It is Baron Rene Vaux," he said, in a low tone to M. Etienne. "He was one of those that went wild over the Corsican. I remember hearing that our friends had stripped him of everything and dismissed him to—"

"Not so, monsieur," said the quick-eared old baron, towering over him. "He dismissed them to—their own masters!"

"A thousand pardons!" said the duke. "All the world knows the distinguished career of Baron Rene Vaux, and that he has only to take his place in the world and give allegiance to the king to have new honors thrust upon him. And none would greet him more eagerly there than his servant, Duke des Sarazines Beauxlieux," with an offer of the hand that the old baron could do no less than accept with as stately an air as it was given.

But the inside of the tower attested the truth of the duke's remark—the bare stone floors, the scant remnant of ancient furnishing, the old armor and the newer swords that were the only ornaments on the walls; and later, when they had rested and refreshed them a little, cleansed of the dust of their long riding, the coarse linen, the worn silver of the table and the simplicity of the repast served by a young woman in a peasant's dress.

"Was it she that we heard sing?" murmured the duke to M. Etienne.

"God forbid!" said M. Etienne. "This Olympe—is it they call her?—is one of the maids of this narrow household. That voice—it was the voice, if you remember, of the enchanted princess!"

"An enchanting voice, at all odds," said the duke.

And at that moment the door opened, and a young girl entered with candles in her hand. She advanced and placed them on the table, and turned and made a reverence to her father and his guests, letting the lids fall over two eyes as black as midnight stars, as soft and lustrous as May moons.

She wore a plain gown of white wool, with a silver girdle, and her long, black hair, plaited in great braids, fell over either shoulder in front nearly to her knees. "Grands Dieux!" murmured the duke again, "Am I back again in the days of my ancestors?"

"The enchanted princess!" he said to M. Etienne, afterward, as they walked up and down the courtyard with their cigars. "And of an enchanting beauty."

There was no animal to be found in the neighborhood next day that exactly suited the duke. And as the old baron made the party welcome, and was indeed very glad of their society in his loneliness, there was still no horse at the end of a week, while the lame one gave symptoms of recovery. The chevalier rode on with their dispatches, Ambroise going with him as far as the safer highways, and M. Etienne remaining with the duke,—the two spending a portion of every day hunting and adding a great store of game to the baron's larder.

There were those who were wont to say that there was a closer tie than appeared even in the remarkable resemblance between the duke and this constant companion of his, and that the duke's father had commended the younger man to the kind offices of his heir. Certainly no one knew anything with exactness of the antecedents of M. Etienne, other than that his education had been of the most complete, that he was a gentleman to the tips of his fingers, that his talents were exceptional, that he could have commanded fame and fortune in his chosen profession of surgery had he not preferred to be simply of the household of the duke. But the fact is, that if there were any bond of a common parentage across a bar sinister—and the resemblance was not so apparent after long acquaintance as at first, for M. Etienne was much the younger—yet neither the duke nor M. Etienne ever spoke of it to each other. But the duke was restless if he long lost sight of M. Etienne; and, as a usual thing, where the one was there always was his shadow.

Time is not very long to young men possessed by a passion; and although no one ever saw the young girl alone, yet the hours when they were not out with the baron and the dogs were endured for the sake of the mornings when she was to be found with Olympe watering her roses in the garden behind the tower, and of the evenings when for a half hour, it might be, she joined them in the hall or on the stone benches of the courtyard round the half-choked fountain. There was something about her that the duke had never observed before. That virgin air of innocence and truth rendered her illimitably remote and sacred. When he saw M. Etienne at last making more bold and walking beside her in the garden, he fancied she was hearing of the glories of the house of Beauxlieux and the excellences of the duke, as he knew M. Etienne sounded them to the old baron.

Somehow the duke could not make the headway here that M. Etienne did. The wall was one not to be broken down as with some other women. He saw there was but one course for him. And his impatience getting the better of caution, of any thought of second nuptials with princely houses and great dots, he made proposals to the astounded and well-pleased baron for his daughter's hand and an immediate marriage.

It was not to be thought that the Baron Rene Vaux, even at the prospect of his own increased loneliness, should hesitate before the offer of such a brilliant future for his only child; and he straightway told her to put herself in readiness, since the matter was arranged. There was no disinclination on his daughter's part; and surely no prettier bridal procession than hers ever wound up the mountain to the chapel, she seated on her gray donkey, around whose neck Olympe had hung a wreath of roses—the chances of lunching presently on which he was calculating with his long ears, M. Etienne leading him and walking by her side, her father and the duke following on foot and Ambroise and Olympe bringing up the rear. As they all stood before the altar, it was with an air of confiding innocence that she turned to M. Etienne. But her father, leaning on his staff just behind, stretched forward his long, gaunt hand and took hers and placed it in the hand of the duke, where it seemed to that gentleman like a melting snowflake. She had thought, until that moment, that it was M. Etienne who was the duke. An accident of introduction, the fact of her ignorance of correct phrases and her habit of using none, and perhaps some natural bias as well, were responsible for the mistake.

But what did it signify to a well-bred and dutiful young girl? Obedient to tradition and discipline, she quietly accepted the duke for her husband. She had no other choice, indeed; and the duke, returning to Paris, took the duchess with him.

And when she had accustomed herself to her fate, beginning with being charmed by the delights of the life her husband gave her, and by the prodigality that contrasted with the simplicity of her poor home, she ended by a sincere affection for the knightly gentleman, and held the house of Sarazines Beauxlieux as something greater than the house of France itself.

And when her son was born she seemed to forget she had any share in him herself, so proud and glad was she over this concentration and completion, this crystallization in one of all the glories of the house of Sarazines Beauxlieux. Only when she saw how black was his hair, hair, how dark his splendid baby loveliness, she had an aching self-remembrance that half the blood in the little princeling was her own, and that somewhere in her own line was a peasant strain to which she owed her beauty. For years she watched the child lest the strain should anywhere appear, and half the teaching that she gave him was concerning the greatness of his ancestry, the mightiness of his inheritance of renown, the grandeur it had given him and the duty he owed it in turn.

So absorbed was she in the magnitude and virtue of her husband's house, that even the downfall of the king gave the young duchess but little concern, since in her estimation there could be no downfall for the Dues des Beauxlieux; and even when, after the many agitations, the new empire was proclaimed she regarded it as all a disturbance that would presently compose itself. For the sake of her father's love of the Corsican, as the duke phrased it, she might herself have looked with favor on the imperial order of things; but it was enough that her husband, loyal to his past, remained a violent partisan of the dethroned king, for her to shut herself up in superb seclusion from the canaille of the new riches and power.

And perhaps by strengthening his arrant contempt for the new people, the duchess herself, and all unwittingly, was in some measure the means of assisting the duke into the obscurity to which he presently found it best to retire.

There had been a grand occasion at the opera, to which the empress had given the exquisite charm and radiance of her presence, and the leaders among the women of the royalist party had urged the duke that the duchess might appear and show "that woman," as they always called her, that queen of farce, what the *grande dame* really was. And, entirely ignorant of their purpose, the duchess had, of course, assented to her husband's wish.

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PARKS WIN.

They Give Their Hoboken Guests a Taste of Hail Columbia.

Last evening's game on the Park alleys between the jolly home team and their competitors, the Columbias of Hoboken, was full of interest from start to finish. Despite the weather a goodly number of enthusiasts gathered at the alleys to root for their favorites.

VanBuren carried off the honors for the Parks, easily rolling up a score of 185 and B. A. Hegeman, Jr., once more donned his fighting clothes, after an enforced absence of several days on account of a severe cold. The dark skinned pinfesers of the Parks seemed to be hoodoo to the Columbias, and the light effected from their ebony countenances appeared to interfere with a clear view of the lower end of the alleys.

The home team were not troubled in the least by presence of the sunburned individuals above mentioned and starting in with a rush at the drop of the flag led throughout the race, winning in a canter by twelve pins. The score:

PARKS.		COLUMBIAS.	
Thiers	134	Storm	150
Leonard	118	Ketcham	138
Randolph	134	Frommel, O.	114
VanBuren	185	Gehrs	170
Erickson	164	Crane	118
Murray, W.	140	Ritter	144
Waring	146	Frommel, F.	160
Hegeman	143	Kimball	140
Sanford	136	Keller	135
Matthews	139	Lenly	158
	1439		1427

BY FRAMES.

Parks	165	310	460	605	719	893	1005	1147	1218	1439
Columbia	138	269	403	522	683	811	956	1094	1186	1427

Scorers—Mrs. K. L. Reed, O. C. Lichrs.

Christian Endeavor Conferencee.

The Winter Conference of the Plainfield Local Union of Christian Endeavor will take place Monday evening, Jan. 21, in the Trinity Reformed Church. It being the annual meeting of the union, the election of officers will be held, and considerable other business transacted. The president of the New Jersey State Union, Rev. J. Clement French of Newark, will give an address. This announcement is sufficient to attract the Endeavorers throughout the union.

It is expected that the Conference will be of more than ordinary interest and profit, and a full attendance of Endeavorers, and those interested in the work of the society, is desired.

Mgr. Seton's Visit Deferred.

Early last evening Father Murphy received a despatch from Rt. Rev. Mgr. Seton of Jersey City expressing regret at the fact that an attack of the grip would prevent him being present at the Lyceum to lecture on "Milton and His Works", so the entertainment of the evening was postponed, much to the regret of the men and women who, despite the wretched weather, had gathered to greet the eloquent lecturer and listen to his discourse.

Father Murphy trusts he will be able to secure Mgr. Seton soon to entertain and instruct the members of the Lyceum and their friends.

Mirth and Music in the Baggage Check.

The musical farce-comedy, "A Baggage Check", will be produced for the first time in this city in Music Hall Jan. 16 "A Baggage Check" was written by Chas E. Blaney, author of that wonderful success "A Railroad Ticket", which is a guarantee in itself for his new piece. The story of the play deals with the workings of a steam laundry, and gives a splendid opportunity for the introduction of first-class specialties, singing and dancing The company not only comprises some of the best, well known farce-comedy artists, but is also rated one of the best singing companies now traveling.

Hibernian Officers.

County President J. Canty of Elizabeth, assisted by other State officers, installed the officers-elect of the Ancient Order of Hibernians last evening. The officers are:

President—P. Casey.
Vice-President—B. Birmingham.
Recording-Secretary—William Carty.
Financial-Secretary—C. Regan.
Sergeant-at-Arms—W. Casey.

Arrangements were made for the annual ball which takes place in March. It will eclipse all previous events of this kind.

Two Blows for the Gong.

A fire-alarm wire and a Thompson-Houston electric light wire at the corner of Manning avenue and Somerset street came in contact last evening about 7, on account of the high winds, and the result was the burning of the fire-alarm wire, causing it to drop to the ground, thereby sending in two blows which denoted a break. The chief of the fire department was notified of the damage, and had Manager Runyon of the telephone company repair it.

Escaped Police Pistol Balls.

Policemen Hartpence and Flanagan saw a red fox on West Eighth street at 3 a. m., Thursday, and gave chase, each man taking a shot at him, but he escaped. The fox is thought to be the one let loose from Benner's roadhouse last month.

WHY THE BOROUGH WAITS.

Is not Satisfied with Plainfield's Method of Burying Pipes and Providing No Outlet—Tidewater the Only Proper Disposal.

A prominent citizen of the borough engaged in a very interesting conversation last evening in regard to the sewer question which is being considered at this time.

He said: "If the borough needs a sewer, which is conceded, she is perfectly able to have one, and does not require the assistance of Plainfield, and we object to Mayor Gilbert and Councilman Frost showing us how to put one in and what system to use.

"I would like to ask two questions: First, Why Mayor Gilbert has suddenly become so solicitious of the borough's welfare; second, If Councilman Frost knows of any community or locality where 14 000 feet of sewer pipe is laid and in operation, without an outlet.

"Mr. Frost tells us to go to Framingham; but why not go to East Orange, which is nearer?

"At the latter place, the intermittent filtration system was tried and proved so faulty that they were obliged to discard the system.

"In one column of a recent issue of another Plainfield paper the statement was made that unless the borough adopted sewers, no one would live in the community; in another column the statement was made that there were n't houses enough in the borough to accommodate those wishing to live here.

"When God made this country he provided for a natural drainage, and he knew as much about this important question as does Mr. Frost. That drainage is towards the Raritan river, and the first cost in securing an outlet to that place is all the cost.

"There is any number of towns in the State using the stream for their sewers, and why should n't Plainfield?

"If the Mayor or Sewer Committee anticipate any trouble in adopting this method, let them run their pipe below the dam at Bound Brook to tidewater, and that would settle the matter permanently.

"If Plainfield would do this, North Plainfield would be more than pleased to join the trunk line in the vicinity of Grant avenue.

"When Nellie Bly went to Pullman last Summer for the New York World, at the time of the strike, she asked the question, as they were nearing the city, What that horrible stench was, and was told it was the sewer beds.

"Since that time Pullman has thrown away the system Plainfield wants to adopt, and is now emptying into the Calumet lake.

"Now if those who are engineering the system for Plainfield think they have such a good thing, let them develop it and prove it, then the borough may join with them. Till then, we are satisfied to wait and profit by the experience of others."

A Natural-Born Musician.

The night was filled with music in the office of The Daily Press when Edward Martin, the alert janitor of the North Avenue station, dropped in with his guitar and favored the staff with songs to his own accompaniment. So good was the music that people came flocking in like the children at the heels of the Pied Piper of Hamlin, and all complimented Mr. Martin highly on his musical genius. Mr. Martin has the happy faculty of grasping a tune at first hearing, and there is no musical instrument beyond his power.

Press News Goes Everywhere.

Not only in Plainfield but universally is The Daily Press regarded as the oracle of this section. Even Town Topics, the bright and shining journal of society, comes to The Press for matter of interest to the people of the metropolis and the country, and in its current issue quotes from The Daily Press report of the masquerade ball in the Casino. Town Topics has a good eye.

'Twas Ever Thus with Press Ads.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—Please discontinue notice "Want of Girl". We are swamped. Had to hire a boy to answer the door bell. With thanks.

C. H. S.

His Name's Not Newcorn.

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RELIC OF OLD TIMES.

Interesting Memories Revived by an Old Paper Owned in Plainfield.

George W. Houseman is the fortunate possessor of a timeworn copy of the New York Daily Advertiser bearing date July 4, 1799 The paper is a single sheet, almost wholly given over to advertisements, and by its perusal the reader learns of several valuable Negroes which will be sold at remarkably low figures; the presentation at the theatres of special patriotic plays appropriate to the day, and introducing busts of "the great Washington"; and the fact that a leading merchant on Liberty street has on hand 20 butts of Brown's stout, a constant supply of dipt and mould candles, soap, and hair powder by the box. There is also published a proclamation by the then President, John Adams, removing the restrictions of a former act of Congress "to suspend commerce with France and the dependencies thereof", and a letter from the great Lord Nelson in which he refers to the sword about to be presented to him by the city of London and writes "but I prefer to leave that" (the special engraving on the sword) "to the better judgment of my fellow citizens". Several "intercepted letters from the army of Bonaparte" dated "Alexandria" are translated for the public, and two columns are devoted to the list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice. A Mr. Little of Broad street "flatters himself" that his hotel is the best in the city, and Capt. J. W. Patterson of the Twelfth Regiment offers the enormous sum of $10 reward for the arrest of one Edmund Gibbs, a deserter who "is supposed to be gone into Connecticut". As a relic of a bygone age the paper is of great value to its present owner, who intends having it framed for its better preservation.

BIG FURNITURE HOUSE BURNED.

Jordan & Moriarty's Park Row Building Completely Destroyed.

The five-story brick buildings 209, 211 and 213 Park Row, New York, and the three-story frame building 207, adjoining, all occupied by Jordan & Moriarty as a furniture and carpet warehouse, were gutted by fire this morning. Through the good work of the fire department the flames were prevented from spreading to Cowperthwait's building next door, and the tenements in the rear.

President Patterson, of the Board of Fire Underwriters, estimates Jordan & Moriarty's loss at $50,000; Cowperthwait's loss, owing to damage by water, $5 000. and the damage to the buildings themselves is roughly estimated at $10,000.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

An address by Theodore Roosevelt on "The Duties of an American Citizen" formed the subject for Mr. Maxson's regular Friday morning talk. At the close of Mr. Maxson's address he spoke of the excellence of the course of lectures to be delivered here by Mr. Vincent and announced that special tickets would be sold to members of the public schools for 50 cents instead of $1 for the course, and all those who sold five regular tickets would receive a ticket for themselves.

Quite a number of new suggestions for High School colors have been received and the interest in the choice is growing rapidly. Light blue and black is the most popular of the new selections.

The final examination in Civil Government was taken by the Fourth class this morning. The study of Physiology will be taken up in a few weeks.

Seven girls of the Senior class contributed 3 cents each to an envelope contribution and sent it to the nightingale of the class urging that it be used in clipping the plumage of the bird. The barber evidently profited quickly, for this morning each girl of the class got a cute little box with a lock of hair tied with blue ribbon.

Fanwood Hackmen Protected.

A stage with a sign reading "Plainfield and South Plainfield" pulled up at the Fanwood station yesterday morning and its driver promptly began soliciting patronage. There was a big shoot at Benner's and the stage driver was evidently in it for the dust. His soliciting on the station platform being contrary to rules of the Railroad Company, he was promptly called down by the local hackmen who comply with the rules and complaint made to Judge Moore. Special Officer Corsa was telegraphed for and arrived on the 12:13 train. The nuisance was abated.

—Superintendent McClurg, of the Plainfield Electric Light Company, in order to give perfect satisfaction and steady lights, is putting in a improved damper regulator for the boiler, which will keep the steam at a steady presure at all times.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

MET HIS BENEFACTOR.

A Horse-Trade Trouble Revived After Many Years.

William J. Nelson of this city, who is serving as one of the petit jurors for the present term of Union County Court, related a little instance last evening that is worth publishing. In 1860 Mr. Nelson resided with his parents on a farm in Piscataway township, midway between this city and New Brunswick. His brother, John Nelson, had settled in Sussex County on a farm, and was becoming successful as a stock raiser. William J., while on a visit to his brother, had with him a small pony, a good looker, and a fine animal. A man named Lee, who was acting as agent for a farmer named Jeroloman, took a liking to the animal, and insisted on trading a fine mare for the pony. A deal was made, and Mr. Nelson received $25 to to boot, besides becoming the owner of a fast roadster.

Mr. Nelson returned home, and a few weeks afterwards was surprised to hear from his brother that a suit had been begun against him for the return of the mare.

In the meantime, Mr. Nelson had sold the mare. His brother had written to be on hand on a certain day in Stanhope, and informed him also that he had engaged a young lawyer from Newton to defend him. Mr. Nelson was on hand, and his lawyer won the case for him.

In the Court of Common Pleas, Tuesday, the name of Thomas McCarter was read off by the clerk of the Court, as one of the lawyers to defend a suit against a corporation; and Mr. Nelson, who had never seen since the lawyer who so successfully defended him 35 years ago, immediately recognized in Mr. McCarter that person.

After the Court had adjourned, Mr. Nelson met Mr. McCarter and asked him if he rembered the suit at Stanhope early in the '60's. Mr. McCarter shook hands with Mr. Nelson and vividly related all the little details of the case, and told him that he had left Sussex County in 1863 and had since lived in Newark.

SALVATION ANNIVERSARY

The Plainfield Branch of the Army Has an Enjoyable Celebration.

The fourth anniversary of the foundation of the local branch of the Salvation Army was celebrated last evening at the Second street barracks, a large delegation being present from neighboring cities. The visitors included Brigadier General Evans, commanding the Central Division of the Army, which comprises 83 corps in New Jersey and southern New York; Ensign Damon, the celebrated boy preacher, now of New York but formerly of the Boston army; Capt. Taylor, the California minstrel; Capt. Mimms of Jersey City; Capt. Watkins and several of his corps from Bound Brook; Adjutant Wood, Capt. Marsh, Lieut. McDonald, formerly of the Plainfield corps, but now of Peekskill; and Capt. March, who was also at one time located here, but is now with the army at Morristown.

There was a very good attendance, considering the storm, and much interest was manifested by the audience throughout the evening. Several interesting addresses were made by the visiting officers and at frequent intervals the Central Division Quartette, which consists of Ensign Damon, Adjutant Wood, and Captains Taylor and Marsh, sang beautiful selections which were well received by the audience. Captain Taylor the "California Silver Minstrel", who owes his restoration to manhood, from a drunkard's life, to the good work of the army, sang two beautiful solos, accompanying himself on the guitar. Captain Watkins also rendered solos in a sweet voice.

The meeting of tonight which is the last one of the jubilee will be attended by nearly all the visiting officers who were present and others are expected. A much larger audience will doubtless be present.

The banquet of yesterday afternoon from 4 to 7:30 was a very enjoyable occasion and was participated in by many friends as well as members of the Army.

Reducing Expenses.

Fourteen trainmen in the employ of the Jersey Central were laid off yesterday, and as a result a number of former conductors are now baggage masters, baggage masters have in some instances been made brakemen, and brakemen have been given a vacation. An experiment is being tried of having but one brakeman on some of the local trains.

If Horses Could Talk.

A horse driven by Cabman Dick Mead fell on Third street near Plainfield avenue, about 8:30 last evening, and the harness had to be removed before the animal could regain his feet. Whether or not the horse was exhausted from the beating it had previously received on North avenue, the horse of course could not say.

—Mrs. S. Whittemore, one of God's precious workers in the slums of New York city, will speak in Reform Hall tomorrow evening at 8, and in Music Hall Sunday afternoon at 4:15.

GIVEN A SHEEPSKIN.

Presentation and Installation at Franklin Council.

The newly-elected officers of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., were installed last evening by District Deputy Charles I. Young.

Previous to the ceremonies, Councilor H. C. McVoy on behalf of the Council presented Mr. Young with a very handsome sheepskin apron which he will wear in his official capacity as district deputy. He thanked the members in a few words for the way in which they appreciated his work.

As is customary the new Councilor after being installed is to present the retiring Past Councilor with an emblem of honor which was presented to Harvey R. Thorn, and received by him with a few chosen remarks.

The installation ceremonies were the best ever witnessed in Franklin's rooms. Those who will serve the Council for the next six months are:

Past Councilor—H C McVoy.
Councilor—Willard Sutton.
Vice Councilor—Isaac Squires.
Conductor—Daniel Dunavan.
Warden—Frank Jones.
Inside Sentinel—E Compton.
Outside Sentinel—E Weaver.
Trustee (18 months)—F M Lunger.
Representative to State Council—L M Dunavan.
Alternate—F Long.
Chaplain—F Leland.

One proposition for membership was received during the evening.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. David King of North Plainfield is ill with the grip.

Frank Cleaves of Netherwood is slowly improving from a long illness.

B. A. Hegeman, Jr., is again confined to his home with a severe cold.

Mrs. Oliver of East Fifth street is confined to her home with the grip.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gavett of Third place last evening.

Miss Lizzie Smalley of Craig place is improving from an attack of tonsilitis.

After a long illness, Mrs. William L. Smalley is able to be about, and is steadily improving.

Samuel Titus of 10 Howard street, who has been ill with diphtheria, is much improved.

Mrs. Charles Matthews has gone on a two-weeks visit to her sister, Mrs. W. I. Greenough, Sunbury, Pa.

Mrs. John Neal of Boston and Mrs. McDonald of Newark are the guests of Mrs. Albert Hedden of Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph of West Fourth street returned today from a short visit with friends in New York.

Under the care of Dr. Jenkins, George H., 11-year-old son of George P. Dupee of Rockview avenue, is convalescing from the grip.

Fred Hui, the East Front street tonsorial artist, who has been suffering from the grip for several days, has returned to his shop again.

George Belcher has recently purchased the property known as the "Norton house" on East Fifth street, near Park avenue, and will make improvements at once.

Elston M. French is a sufferer from that very prevalent disease, the grip, and though the attack is a mild one Mr. French will hardly venture out for several days.

Owing to the severe illness of Hiram Hornish, it has been thought advisable by his friends that he go to Muhlenberg Hospital for treatment. He will go there tomorrow.

Fred Leland has given up his position as an agent for the Prudential Insurance Company, and engaged in business with his father, G. H. Fairchild fills the vacancy with the company.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stillman sailed for Bermuda yesterday, and will remain until Jan. 26. It is hoped that Mr. Stillman, who has been for sometime a sufferer from the grip, will be much benefited by the change.

Much sympathy is expressed for Thos. Clarke, the faithful organ blower of the Crescent Avenue Church, in the loss of his wife, who died this morning after a three-weeks illness. She was a devoted wife and a devout Christian, and in Christian resignation the husband bows to his bereavement. Decedent leaves a daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Fisher, and other children.

A Beauty at Large.

The large snow-white rat which for several months has been the pet of the local Western Union Telegraph office, was on dress parade yesterday, much to the amusement of Plainfield's Past Master of the Key, and his young assistants. An effort will be made to capture the pretty pink-eyed fellow and place him in a cage where he may be seen more often than at present.

—Hon. Roswell G. Horr will lecture on the "Labor Problem", in All Souls Church" Jan. 18. The admission fee will be 25 cents.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Leggett's Emulsion cures the grip.

—The Women's Relief Corps will meet this evening.

—E. H. Holmes, the coal merchant has put in a 'phone, No. 49a.

—On account of the storm last evening, no meeting of the Board of Trade was held.

—The Government lease on the present postoffice expires April 15. The removal, however, will be made March 1.

—The notice in The Daily Press yesterday has found in Mr. Barnaby the owner of the dog held by Mr. Ohl.

—The gymnasium at the Y. M. C. A. has been marked out for calisthenics, which will be a feature of the work.

—Plainfield tables are making liberal use of the high grade of wines and liquors supplied by Frank Linke of 227 West Front street.

—The Sabbath Recorder appears in handsome new dress and with other improvements from its new office in the Babcock Building.

—Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., worked the Past Masters degree on two candidates last evening, and one proposition was received for membership.

—Since the letter carriers have by rule of the department been forbidden to do clerk duty inside, the assorting of mail has been hampered, and additional clerkships are needed. Advertisement for the next civil service examination appears in The Press today.

—Instrumental trios, organ, piano and violin, will be a fine feature of the recital at the Congregational Church next Thursday evening, January 17. Alfred Holmes will sing. Full information regarding the entertainment will appear in tomorrow's Daily Press.

—An electric light wire broke at the corner of North and Park avenues this morning while the current was still on. Policeman McCue saw the danger and telephoned to the power station. Supt. McClurg and Lineman Ellis repaired the damage after promptly turning off the current.

—The Sabbath Recorder printing plant in the Babcock Building started its new press this morning, and ran off a large edition of The Outlook. The press seems to work very satisfactorily, and the electric motor does the work finely, with no perceptible effort, although the press is new and runs heavy.

—The coal bin has a great habit of getting empty, and the next time you need to refill it try M. Powers & Son, whose quality of fuel is not the only merit, quantity also being generous, and the screening of the coal is carefully looked after, while the delivery is prompt and in every way satisfactory.

—The bowling alleys at Jacob Hipp's Manhattan Hotel in North Plainfield, built by Dillingham of South street, New York, have been planed and put in thorough repair for regular bowling and match games. In their present condition they are said to equal any in this part of the State, and Mr. Hipp expects large patronage.

—The storms of the week have interfered with the attendance at the meetings in the Methodist Church. The meetings, however, have not been lacking in interest. The Drew Quartette Evangelists return today, and will sing at the service this evening. The meeting tomorrow evening will be conducted by the Drew Quartette.

—Marshall P. Wilder will appear in Music Hall next Tuesday evening, Jan. 15. Those who have enjoyed Mr. Wilder's entertainments do not need to be reminded of the pure quality and delicacy of his humor, but we would say to those who have not heard him, that his impersonations, while being of the most mirth-provoking description, are exceptionally refined.

—Henry Frisble, referring to the dispute about Charles Ulrich's horse, says that Mr. Ulrich was told by Sam Tayner, the pound-keeper, in Blimm's Hotel, that he had the horse in the pound, and that it was taken there by the boy who used to work for Valentine. Mr. Frisble says that had Mr. Ulrich come to him and told him that the horse was in the pound he would have got it out at his own expense. But since he has permitted the costs to accumulate he will have nothing more to do with it.

Oil Spells Bowling.

A team of Plainfield bowlers went to Finderne last evening to roll a game with the Casinos of that place. They were beaten by the Finderne boys, the score being 1269 to 1261, which they claim was due to the wretched condition of the alleys. They were oiled the day before and were not thoroughly dry.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

SNOW, RAIN AND FLOOD

Freight Train Buried Under an Avalanche.

Connecticut's Coast Ravaged by the Storm — Many Vessels in Peril — West Virginia Towns Inundated — Ice in the Rivers Breaking Up and Causing Much Damage.

Williamsport, Pa., Jan. 11.—Traffic on the Fall Brook railroad is completely paralyzed by snow slides in the mountain regions of Pine Creek. In one instance an entire freight train was buried out of sight by an avalanche that came sweeping with irresistible fury down the steep declivity, and the crew escaped injury as if by a miracle. Great rocks and tons of earth came down with the snow and the tracks are buried at points many feet deep. Between Blackwelss's and Cammal, for a distance of fifteen miles the track is almost entirely covered, and hundreds of laborers are working night and day in the effort to open the road. The buried freight train consisted of 17 cars and it had just halted owing to a slide in front, when another avalanche came and overwhelmed it. Two other freight trains are stalled between slides. The officials cannot give any assurance as to when the road will be opened, as an immense amount of work is involved.

New London, Conn., Jan. 11.—A fierce northeast gale prevailed here last night, accompanied by rain. Tugs G. M. Winslow, Dudley Pray, Mercury, Storm King and Herald are all in here with tows, unable to goet eastward. The last two came in late in the afternoon, reporting that on the Seane the gale was terrific and a tremendous sea running. The Winslow, Pray and Mercury have been here three days unable to get to eastward. A big four master ran into the lower harbor for a safe anchorage where she rode out the storm. No vessels left port, fearing to run into the approaching storm, which was much more severe outside than in the harbor.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 11.—The flood situation here is alarming. The Ohio river is 36 feet 6 inches and rising slowly. Riverside, Lauckport, and Southside are partly overflowed and the mills and factories have been compelled too close. News from up the Little Kanawha is of the most alarming nature. Elizabeth reports ten feet and Grantsville eighteen feet, both raining and rising. From Glenville heavy snow and rain are reported to have put the river out of banks and still rising. It is expected that forty foot mark will be reached to-day.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 11.—The ice in the river has broken up and the water has since risen considerably, but no damage has been reported.

MANY APPLICANTS.

Congressmen Who Want To Be Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The president will within a short time appoint an assistant commissioner of Indian affairs to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Assistant Commissioner Armstrong.

There are about twenty-two applicants for the position. Several congressmen whose terms of office will expire at the close of the 53d session of congress are talked of in connection with the position. Prominent among them are Representatives Enloe of Tennessee, and Baldwin of Minnesota. Others mentioned are ex-Governor Swineburne of Alaska, and Indian Inspector Smith. The chances of the latter appear to be very good for securing the appointment owing to his knowledge and experience of Indian matters.

Could Not Stand the Grip.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 11.—Cyrus Armstrong, who has been secretary of the Roger Williams Savings Fund & Loan association for some twelve years, was found dead in bed at Hotel Arlington, having taken laudanum and opium. Deceased had been sick for some time, and it is believed that while temporarily deranged, owing to an attack of grip, he took the drugs with fatal effect. Deceased's accounts are not known to be out of the way, but an investigation is in progress.

Attempts To Burn a Town.

Perry, Okla., Jan. 11.—There is excitement at Stillwater the county seat of Payne county, 25 miles from here over attempts for two nights to burn the town. The incendiaries burned the county court house and records, and a flour mill a few days ago. A blacksmith saw four men applying fire to some wooden buildings and he chased them away by shooting. The town has been strongly guarded for two nights, and several attempts to apply fire have been thwarted.

Senator Chandler Renominated.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 11.—The republican joint legislative caucus renominated Hon. William E. Chandler to succeed himself as United States senator on the first ballot. The vote stood: whole number of votes 283. Necessary for a choice 142. Charles H. Burns of Wilton 1; John B. Smith of Hillsboro 2; Henry W. Blair of Manchester 56; William E. Chandler of Concord 224.

Death of a Noted Bridge Builder.

Phoenixville, Pa., Jan. 11.—James M. McDonald, superintendent of the Phoenix Bridge works, died yesterday of pneumonia. Mr. McDonald was born in Scotland 44 years ago and was widely known among engineers in this country as a bridge builder and civil engineer. He was formerly engaged in the iron business at Youngstown and Cleveland, O., and Athens, Pa.

TORONTO'S BIG FIRE.

Loss Estimated at $1,000,000—A Woman Terribly Injured.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 11.—The fire which started at 7 o'clock last night in the Osgoodby building on Malanda street was in close proximity to the ruins of S. F. McKinnon & Co., where the disastrous fire of last Sunday burned itself out. The Osgoodby building was soon entirely destroyed. The flames spread west and southwest to Wellington street and in less than an hour burned out the following places:

R. H. Gray & Co., furnishing goods; Breton & Manning, furs; Thomas Dunnett & Co., furs; E. Boisseau & Co., clothing; Robert Darlington & Co., wholesale woolens. The last named building was very high and the hose reached only half way up to the top floor and the firemen were almost powerless. The fire then crossed Wellington street to Hunter, Rose & Co., printers and wholesale booksellers; Hart & Riddell, wholesale stationers, and Buntin, Read & Co., paper manufacturers, where it was gotten under control.

When the fire started in the Osgoodby building the janitor, his wife and daughter, the wife prostrate from the effects of last Sunday's fire, were confined in a room on the top flat. The fire escape could not be reached in time and all three had to be slid down a wire rope, clad in their night clothes. The sick woman slid part way down and then fell, turning a somersault, striking on the telegraph wires and finally landed in a blanket held out for her. She was terribly injured. The men came down without injury. The loss is estimated at a million of dollars.

RUNAWAY LOCOMOTIVE.

One Man Killed and Another Fatally Injured.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 11.—A runaway locomotive on the culm dump of the Archibald colliery in Keiser valley, near this city, yesterday afternoon wrecked a portion of the breaker building, killed Assistant Foreman Theodore Hale and perhaps fatally injured Wm. Morgan. Engineer Harry May's presence of mind saved him from a fearful ride to what would have been certain death. May had been shifting culm cars on the level surface of the dump which spread out over many acres nearly on a level with the head house of the breaker, fully 150 feet above the adjacent ground.

The rails were slippery from sleet which fell all morning and while coming towards the head of the plane the engine got beyond May's control. The grade there was slight but in a moment the engine had slipped to the very brink of the steep plane. An instant more and it was passing over the head and May, no longer able to control it, jumped and saved his life, although he rolled nearly half way down the side of the culm pile. The engine dashed down the plane with fearful speed, crashing into and demolishing a part of the breaker building in which Hale and Morgan were at work. The men were taken out of the ruins with bruised bodies and broken limbs and conveyed to their homes. Hale died within two hours, and Morgan's recovery is not expected. Both are young men.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

Reported Battle in Mongolia—Japanese Soldiers Suffering.

London, Jan. 11.—A dispatch from Shanghai says that severe fighting has taken place near Jehol, Mongolia, 120 miles northeast of Pekin. Hundreds of wounded Chinese are reported to be arriving at Tien-Tsin daily.

Yokohama, Jan. 11.—It is rumored here that 1,000 men belonging to the first army of Japan, operating in China, have been incapacitated from duty by the cold weather.

Gen. Nodzu telegraphs from Shugan, under date of Jan. 8, that the enemy facing the third division of the Japanese army in the west has retreated to Kokan. The advance guard of the enemy near Liao-Yang has advanced to Kansenho with two pieces of artillery. The rest of the Chinese force is quartered a few miles northeast of Hai-Ching.

Want To Be Pardoned.

Albany, Jan. 11.—Gov. Morton has received the first appeals for executive clemency made since he resumed office. They were those of Lurence Prior and Robert Warren, of New York, serving terms in Sing Sing prison, the former having been convicted last year of abduction and sentenced to three years, and the latter serving a term of two years and six months under conviction in June, 1893, for bigamy.

Shot Himself.

Chester, Pa., Jan. 11.—In making an investigation into the death of the young stranger who jumped from an express train near Moore's station, Coroner Quinby discovered that he had been shot through the head the bullet piercing the right temple. A revolver was found on the road. The man had evidently shot himself and fell from the train.

Could Not Find the Colliers.

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—The United States steamer Bennington, which was sent in search of the missing colliers Montsorrat and Keweenaw, has returned to this port bringing no tidings of the missing vessels.

Perkins for Senator.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 11.—In joint caucus George C. Perkins was declared the choice of the republican party for United States senator.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cts. per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph, druggist.

THE CURRENCY ENIGMA

Some Schemes Suggested To Solve It.

Senate Committee on Finance Discuss the Situation Without Conclusions—Time Wasted in Bandying Questions—Will Meet Again To-Morrow Morning.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The senate committee on finance discussed the financial situation for three quarters of an hour without coming to any conclusion regarding the currency question. The democrats failed to suggest any tangible proposition and the republicans declined to commit themselves to any policy. As one member of the committee expressed it, the time was consumed in bandying questions back and forth between members. Before the committee adjourned to meet to-morrow at 10 o'clock each member was cautioned to say nothing about what transpired in the room and there appeared to be a general disposition to maintain a strict silence.

Various suggestions of a tentative character were advanced, but in no instance did those charged with responsibility put forward a single proposition as one upon which they would likely agree. The republicans when urged to suggest some means for the solution of the problem talked tariff and refrained from accepting the invitation. Taken altogether the meeting was unsatisfactory and when it became apparent that no headway could be made it was agreed that nothing further should be done until to-morrow when Mr. Vest will submit a bill which he hopes will include the ideas favored by his side of the chamber. It is probable that other members may also come prepared in like manner.

Enough was gathered from the discussion to learn that the silver senators would under no circumstance vote for an issue of bonds that did not carry with it an arrangement that cared for silver in the most substantial manner. All of these senators agreed that the only thing in that direction that would be satisfactory was the unlimited coinage of silver. Its free coinage they might waive, under proper conditions. Mr. Vest at the same time declared his friendship for silver and stated to his colleagues that he would vote for an issue of bonds sufficient to refund the greenbacks and the treasury notes issued under the Sherman act provided there were coupled with it a thorough recognition of silver worded in a fashion that would remove the discretionary power of the secretary of the treasury. It is not unlikely that either Mr. Vest or some other democrat on the committee will prepare a bill somewhat on the lines of the suggestions of Wharton Barker of Philadelphia, during the struggle for the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman act. Under that proposition bonds were to be issued at a low rate of interest and the government was to coin the silver, retaining the difference between the bullion and the mine vaule, paying for the bullion at the market price in standard silver dollars.

It is understood that Mr. Aldrich or some other republican will submit to the committee at the meeting a bill restoring the reciprocity arrangements in force under the McKinley act as a substitute to any financial measure that may be brought forth. There are indications that the republican leaders are not anxious for an extra session of congress and would prefer, if they can do so consistently, to aid some scheme that would dispose of the pending trouble during the summer months and leave its final settlement for the new congress that will convene in regular session next December. If their aid is given to any proposition it must be along republican lines, and they reinforce their arguments in this matter by the statement that democrats might as well accept it now as to be compelled to do so either in extra session or during the next congress.

The meeting to-morrw, will in all probability, be profitless, for members of the committee of both parties agree in saying that nothing was accomplished to indicate any change in the sentiment of the members as to what should be done or to encourage the belief that anything at all will be done.

ALTGELD'S MESSAGE.

Recent Labor Troubles Discussed by the Governor.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 11.—Gov. Altgeld sent his message to the legislature yesterday. In the course of it he discusses the recent labor troubles at length.

Beginning with a general discussion of the labor problem he takes up in turn the coal miner's strike at Spring Valley, the railroad strike, the issuance of injunctions by federal courts, the sending of United States troops into Illinois, and concludes with the declaration that these conditions, if not arrested, will change the character of our government and give us in time a corrupt oligarchy, the worst form of government known to man.

Concessions To Employes.

New York, Jan. 11.—President Uhlmann, of the Brooklyn Elevated railroad, announces that the company has decided to make certain concessions to their employees. The principal one, Mr. Uhlmann said, was an increase in the firemen's wages of ten cents a day. The other grievances which the men requested him to consider are still undecided.

For a Long Cruise.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The inspection board has reported the cruiser San Francisco now at Newport ready for a three years' foreign cruise and sailing orders have been sent her to leave as soon as possible for the European station where she is to displace the Chicago as flagship.

Large Collar Factory Destroyed.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 11.—Wyeth's collar factory in this city was totally destroyed by fire of unknown origin. The factory was the largest of its kind in the west and employed nearly 500 men. The loss will reach $150,000 and is partially covered by insurance.

TORTURED THIRTY YEARS.

His Suffering Ended After Using Munyon's Rheumatism Cure.

Mr. George Smith, of Tacony, Pa., says: "I suffered from rheumatism for 30 years, and had so many severe attacks that some of my joints were twisted out of shape. At times I suffered terrible pain, and, although I tried many remedies, I never obtained any permanent relief until I procured Munyon's Rheumatism Cure. The action of this remedy was wonderfully quick, and although I have only taken a small quantity, I consider myself permanently cured."

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While Dr. Talmage will have the stage of the Academy of Music for his platform, he means to have the entire world for his audience by means of the newspaper syndicate, which will publish his sermons. It is not his intention, he says to preach strict Presbyterian doctrine, but rather to give the Gospel to the public in a broad and liberal treatment. A group of his personal friends will contribute the necessary financial backing, and have guarranteed that his new venture will be permanent. Who those friends are, or what salary he will receive, he refuses to tell at present. The fact, however, that he has been in receipt of a salary of $12,000 a year and an allowance for house rent while conducting the Tabernacle in Brooklyn is an indication that his present retaining fee as a Gospel expounder is by no means a small one. What the precise amount is he will not disclose at present, contenting himself with the statement that all these minutiae will come out later. It suffices for the present for the public to understand that we have the Academy of Music for as long a period as we desire."

"My work is over in Brooklyn," said Dr. Talmage. "The departure of my third church and the necessity for building a fourth church if I remained decided me.

"A syndicate of gentlemen in England had been formed, and were anxious that I should conduct a church over there. Not less than nine churches in the United States were anxious to secure me for their pulpits, but I never allowed any of these overtures to go beyond the preliminary correspondence.

"My work henceforth will be in New York and it will be permanent there. The afternoon hour in some respects is a better hour for religious services. I would prefer to hold the services either in the morning or evening, but selected the afternoon in compliance with the wishes of many pastors who did not wish me to interfere with their services.

"I propose to give an independent religious service, a service which will be undenominational and which will not attach itself to any special form. It will be a Christian service. There is room enough in the Presbyterian Church for a man to preach the full gospel of pardon and sympathy and life. A sympathetic gospel is what the world wants and that is the gospel which should be preached.

REV. DR. TALMAGE.

Still a Presbyterian could preach the Gospel in the Methodist or the Baptist or in any of the great evangelical churches. I care nothing for technicalities, and I have always preached the Gospel as I found it. There are certain great theories in religion on which all Christian people agree. My chief work in the ministry is yet to be done. I never felt so vigorous as I do now.

"I have more sermons in my head, unborn sermons, than I ever preached. I shall be more free than I have ever been, because I will not have to spend my energy in building churches. New York is a great centre of influence, and I know its people. I have not decided whether I will in my sermons consider politics from a religious standpoint. In the ministry a man must get his instructions from headquarters.

"The place in which I preach is not of so much importance, because the audience which confronts me is as nothing to the people I actually address. The newspaper syndicates print my sermons and have been doing so for years. My late friend Grady, of the Atlanta Constitution, once told me that he believed that 10,000,000 people were readers of my sermons each week. Since then other newspaper syndicates have sprung up and the number of sermons published has correspondingly increased. I do not think I overestimate the matter when I say that there are not less than 15,000,000 readers of my sermons each Sunday. The number of readers of these sermons, of course, is out of all proportion to any congregation I could address with my voice. I have not missed sending out a sermon any one week in the last 24 years. I keep my vast audience through the kindness of my newspaper friends, who are always willing to publish my sermons. The newspapers may be credited with bringing about a complete change in Christian work. Only a few years ago the secular newspaper did not touch religious topics; now there is more information of a religious character published in the secular journals than goes through the religious journals. The result is that the people do not put aside one portion of their life for religion and another for secularity."

Just 126 members of the scattered flock of the Brooklyn Tabernacle met recently in the Centennial Baptist Church to take their bearings and decide on their future as a church organization.

There is still an indebtedness of $40,000 or more resting on the church, without any available funds to meet it. In this is included $8,470 in bonds, $5,000 to Dr. Talmage for money advanced in a crisis in the building of the last church, $7,500 to various small creditors, and $20,000 or more to contractor Wells, who built the Tabernacle. On a formal vote there was a small majority in favor of dissolution.

BARROOMS IN NORWAY.

Observations of the Workings of What Is Known as the Gothenburg System.

Dr. Moxom explained the Gothenburg or Norwegian system in detail, giving as its vital principle that the State shall make the liquor business an absolute monopoly, and put it into the control of responsible men, whose motive is to reduce, instead of increase, the per capita consumption.

The effect is also to reduce the number of saloons to a marked degree. The profits accrue not to the company, but to the people, in the shape of public institutions, amusement halls, etc.

"I saw something of the workings of the system in Sweden and Norway," said Dr. Moxom.

"I visited more saloons last summer than I had seen before in my life. I examined the liquors carefully, found out what kinds were sold, and how many glasses a man can buy.

"In Bergen there are in the neighborhood of a dozen places where liquor is sold by the glass or bottle. Each is a plain room, perfectly clean, without even a picture on the wall. There is not even a chair in the room, except a stool behidd the counter for the official in charge. He is a respectable man, probably a member of the church.

"On the walls are printed the rules of the company, which all must obey. If a man asks for aqua vita he lays down his coin—there is no credit—and pure, undrugged spirit is poured out for him. He is not allowed to remain in the room, and if he wants another glass he is told to come back in three hours. The glass is so small that he might take a glass every three hours in the day and not get drunk. A workingman cannot take a nip on his way to work, for the saloons do not open till eight, nor at noon, for the saloons close from 12 to 1:30 o'clock. The day before a holiday they close at noon, and they are closed before the workingmen are paid off.

"No man can make a cent from the business. The man behind the counter is employed for his personal character. He gets a fairly good salary, but not a cent from the business. If he deviates from the rules of the company he is bounced at once. He is promoted for making as small sales as possible. The policy of the whole system is to crowd down the consumption of alcohol. In 1876 the per capita consumption was 5.8 quarts; in 1892 it was reduced to 3.3 quarts. Norway and Sweden were the most drunken countries in Europe. Now Norway is three times as sober as the United States.

"It is the exact reverse of a license system, under which the licensed dealers stimulate trade as much as possible in order to get back the money they have paid for their licenses. I think it would be better to have free whiskey than such licenses as we have in American cities. The difference between that and this is as great as the difference between day and night. The Norwegian system eliminates politics entirely. It has been argued that it makes drunkenness respectable, but its effect has been to elevate the public spirit, and array it against drunkenness.

"The system has been recognized as working against the monster drink, and it has become less respectable to patronize a saloon."—Springfield Republican.

THE FAULT OF THE AVERAGE WOMAN.

A List to Aid in the Self Examination of Conscience.

Women gossip. This is a fact, and it has no bearing upon the subject, to say that their gossiping is mild and harmless compared with men's. It is true that women's gossip springs from an intense, though somewhat misdirected interest in their fellow-beings. The fact remains that they gossip. Every woman who feels that this fault is hers should resolve to make an earnest effort to overcome it. She will not be particularly interesting as a companion when she refuses to hear and tell choice anecdotes about her friends, but she will have the infinite satisfaction of knowing she is pursuing the higher life.

Woman, as a class, is careless about time. She will come into an office and prattle an hour and a half about her servant, her baby, or her complexion lotion to busy women, whose time is money. She will make appointments and feel distinctly aggrieved because the persons with whom she makes them object to waiting forty minutes for her. She misses trains and cars, keeps hostesses in a state of wild unrest, causes cooks to give warning, and men to peril their souls by profanity, all because she finds it so difficult to acquire a proper regard for time.

She is thoroughly illogical. She will be incomparably gracious and charming to a man and will describe her conduct as polite. If another woman assumes the same attitude that woman is a dangerous coquette. If the man presumes upon her graciousness she is ice. If he is not misled by it she is very likely to consider him a person of no sensibility. If he claims that she has encouraged him to care for her she is annoyed and regards him with contempt, as a person unable to maintain his self control. If he does maintain it and does not openly succumb to her charms, she is annoyed and regards him with suspicion, as a person incapable of feeling.

She has a horrible fondness for shoping and a foolish dislike of harmless, necessary mice. She loves bargains and wastes much time and much brain tissue in order to save a little money on a yard of silk. She has an inconsequent habit of skipping the important news in the papers and confining her attention to personal gossip. She does not eat enough sensible food and she eats too much stuff which is not good for her. She likes excitement and hates dullness. And she has not yet come to see that excitement is wearing and dullness is the common unavoidable lot. When her desire for excitement leads her to champion causes begin crusades and adopt missions, many other faults are added unto those she already possesses. But then she ceases to be the average woman.

No Apparent Reason.

Judge—Stand up, sir. Have you anything to say why the sentense of the law should not be passed on you?

"I'm not the prisoner, Yer Honor; I'm a detective."

Judge (fiercely)—Is that any reason?—Illustrated Bits.

Good Authority.

Mr. Pedagogs—Benny Blubumber, how do we know that the moon is 240,000 miles from the earth?

Benny (alarmed at the teacher's manner)—Y-y-you said so, yourself, sir.—Puck.

DOYLE HAS HIS SAY.

LIKES PHILADELPHIA BECAUSE IT'S SOMEWHAT ENGLISH, YOU KNOW.

Goes Slumming in Detroit, and thinks American Blue Coats too Autocratic. His Blood Boiled at the Revelation Before the Lexow Commitee. Other Views.

Dr. A. Conan Doyle, the English novelist, has come and gone. Upon the eve of his departure Dr. Doyle said to a reporter: "I have traveled as far west as Chicago and as far south as Washington. The city which pleased me most was Philadelphia. I notice that the Philadelphians are given to athletic sports of all kinds, and I see the result in the physique and general build and character of the men I met there. I think Philadelphia savors more of an English city than any other city in America, and perhaps that accounts for my being more pleased with it than with other cities I have visited.

"In every city I have visited," Dr. Doyle continued, "the citizens all talk about their police, and I will frankly state that I find the policemen much rougher than any I have ever met with in European countries. They seem to be given a despotic power that the foreigner would not submit to for a moment. I met only the police of Detroit, and went on a 'slumming' expedition in that city, guided by the police.

"I did not attend any of the sessions of your Lexow Committee investigations," the speaker added, "but I have read all of the testimony in the newspapers, and the evidence of official corruption has made my blood boil. I can not understand why the people have not risen and crushed the police force out of existence. It seems to me almost incredible that such a condition of bribery and blackmail should exist in a civilized country without a popular uprising. In England such a condition of affairs could never reach the magnitude it has assumed here.

"I am greatly pleased with the transportation facilities in this country. I think that in the matter of railroads England will compare favorably with America, still we have no such service as that rendered by the Penusylvania limited. Your Pullman cars were a disappointment to me. We use them abroad, but we understand how to heat them, and apparently your railroad managers do not. To ride in a Pullman car for 24 hours in this country is the hardest work I have done since I arrived. Your tramways in the cities are serviceable, but in your elevated railroads I found something to delight me. The easy, comfortable cars, high speed and general comfort of the elevated trains, is something I shall always remember.

"I have been met most cordially by the people of this country, and shall carry many pleasurable recollections of my visit. Your women are charming and your men are easy to get acquainted with. The men are not surrounded with that palisade of coldness that one meets with on the other side. In fact, it takes but a short time to become acquainted, and I already know more persons in this country after my nine weeks' stay than I would meet and know in a year on the other side of the ocean.

"As to the social evil, of which there is so much talk in the newspapers, I can safely say that vice in this country is not to be compared with vice in England. In England it is flagrant and open, and one meets with it everywhere, but in New York and in this country generally if you want to find vice you have to go and look for it.

"I find a certain philosophical resignation about the American which astonishes me," Dr. Doyle continued. "Your tramways deliberately tear up the streets of your cities, leave huge trenches for citizens to ride or drive into; the companies run their tramways to suit themselves and the public calmly looks on and bears the annoyance. In England, should the tramway corporations attempt to ride roughshod over the public, one man would cry out and the cry would be heard in three hours from London to Liverpool."

Dr. Doyle said that he was not pleased with the American bar, referring to the saloon. He said that in England all drinking was done at tables, but here one had to stand up to a bar and drink, pay and get out. There was no comfort in the American custom.

He spoke in praise of our buildings and dwelt upon their height and handsome architecture. The Brooklyn Bridge, he said, would dwell long in his memory as the finest bridge he had ever seen. The American hotels, he said, would compare favorably with the European hostleries, but the hotels in provincial towns were what interested him most. He said that, while the hotels in London and other cities might be as elegant as those in the large cities here, the hotels in the smaller towns could not be compared with those in America.

Spoiled by Overdoing.

Cholly (on his knees)—Maud, you have intoxicated me with your charms.

Maud—Pshaw! You're no match for me.

Cholly—Why not?

Maud—You get drunk too easily.—Town Topics.

Poor Miss Antique.

"That Miss Antique is positively dreadful. She hasn't a redeeming feature about her, unless it is her disposition."

"It certainly isn't in her face."—Detroit Free Press.

"We are not very rich," said the newly married lady, "but oh, we are so happy."

"I believed you would be," cooed the unmarried lady. "In fact, that hateful Maud Biggius said you had to be happy, because you would be so poor that you would not even have anything to quarrel about."—Indianoplis Journal.

De Bach—Of course there are some comforts which men with wives have that bachelors do not, but, after all, a man has to give up a great deal when he gets married, doesn't he?

Longwed—Y—yes; every cent, the most of us.—Buffalo Courier.

George—Do you take after your father or your mother?

Mary—I don't know as I take after either of them, but they'll both take after you if they see you here.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

As long as a fish sticks to the water it is all right. There should be food for reflection in this thought for some men.—Yonkers Statesmen.

Ada—Is Jack Rogers a talkative man?

Helen—I've been trying for two years to make him speak.—Life.

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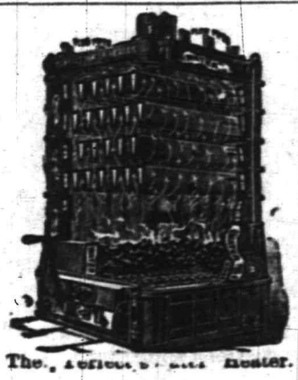

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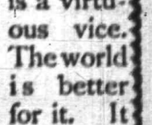

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., JAN. 11, 1895.

FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

The Dreaded Alabama In Battle.

On Jan. 11, 1863, the Alabama won her first honors in battle with a United States ship of war. Commander Semmes had laid his course for Galveston in the expectation of destroying a fleet of Union transports rumored to lie there, but instead his lookout reported five vessels of war lying off the harbor. They were enforcing the blockade, as Semmes soon discovered, and not caring to fight under the circumstances he hauled away, pursued by the Hatteras, an ironclad gunboat constructed from a river steamer. The Alabama apparently ran from her antagonist a distance of 20 miles. Meanwhile night closed in, with no other vessel in sight. Semmes beat to quarters, prepared for action and wheeled to meet his pursuer.

Captain Blake of the Hatteras was first to hail. Receiving the answer that the stranger was the British steamer Petrel, he at the same time announced his own vessel, stating that he would send off a boat. Suddenly a speaking trumpet was heard on board the alleged British Petrel calling out, "This is the Confederate steamer Alabama!" The announcement was followed by a broadside from the cruiser; but, sudden as it was, it found the Hatteras ready, her ports open and the men at the guns. The vessels were sailing in the same direction, about half a mile apart. Returning the Alabama's fire, the Hatteras steamed ahead, a movement imitated by the enemy, so that the two continued on a parallel course, pouring full volleys into each other.

Captain Blake knew that his ship was the weaker of the two in her hull and steamed for the Alabama, hoping to end the fight by boarding the cruiser. He got within 30 yards of her, where pistol and musket shots were exchanged between those stationed on the tops, but the Alabama sheered off, planting at the same time two shells in the hold of the Hatteras and setting her on fire in two places. Another shell soon pierced the steam cylinder of the Hatteras and disabled her steering gear and pumps. The walking beam had been shot away and her iron plating torn off at the water line, causing a bad leak. Notwithstanding his plight, Captain Blake continued to fight until the Alabama stood off the bow of the Hatteras, out of reach of her guns. Finding that the vessel was rapidly sinking, he fired a signal of distress and ordered the magazine flooded to prevent an explosion. The crew then put off in boats, and two minutes later the Hatteras went down.

The Alabama was the superior vessel both in guns and speed. She was also built for war, as the Hatteras was not, and all her machinery lay below water line. The only casualty on board of her was one man wounded. On the Hatteras two seamen were killed and five wounded. GEORGE L. KILMER.

The Plainfield Republican organ has developed an excessive fondness for Councilman Frazee, and is bubbling over with love for Councilman Westphal. What designs the organ has upon them, it is not within the province of The Daily Press to say, but it is wise to remember that those for whom around the ides of November it was vaunting a profound friendship are now the subject of its bitterest persecution.

Under the autocratic dictatorship assumed by the Plainfield Republican organ over the Plainfield Republican officeholders, no Councilman has a right to go down town for a yeastcake without first asking the organ by telephone if he must wear sandals or rubber boots, and no Councilman's wife may make a neighborly call without sending for the spectacled inspector to tell her if her hat is straight. The self-appointed monitor of the town is going to be consulted in these matters or give objectors to his scrutiny no peace of mind.

What has Councilman See done to the editor of the Republican organ? Time was when Councilman See was one of the gods worshiped by the Republican-organ editor in his prayers for the City Clerkship, but now not even the President's committee appointments suit the hyphenated paper. Can it be possible that Mr. See committed the grave mistake of not consulting the editor of his party organ before arranging his list? The party organ wants it distinctly understood that if it is going to be ignored in this fashion by the paltry office-holders it won't play—so there!

Action was recently taken by a Plainfield society on a matter of public importance, and The Daily Press gladly published the result as a piece of news and because it was of benefit to people. When the matter was taken to the office of another paper, a charge of $2 was asked. "Why,"—was the astonished reply—"The Daily Press printed it for nothing." Whereupon the contemporary replied: "The Daily Press ain't in the business for the stuff; they do things for love." This distinction The Press is glad to accept, even when so inelegantly expressed. If there is one thing above all others that The Press values, it is the esteem and affection of its fellow-men, and, to reverse a familiar Scriptural quotation, where the people's heart is there will the treasure be also.

There are two ways of getting news. The best is to get it yourself, and that is the method of The Daily Press. Those who can't get it themselves take it from The Daily Press. Using The Press to keep them posted is the sensible method adopted by most Plainfield people. It has likewise been used by other papers at home and abroad. Among the news items recently copied a day late from The Daily Press of the day preceding, was one concerning the Plainfield postal carriers. To the news of the item the copying paper added some remarks which were unjust to the faithful messengers. The paper was visited, and its authority asked for.

"That's all right"—was the answer. "We know where we got it, and we know where The Daily Press got it. Make them tell first."

Such refreshing incidents as this are of daily occurrence in the office of the discerning contemporary which so gratifyingly recognizes The Press as the fountain-head of Plainfield news, and if The Press had time to compile them in book form they would afford a volume of most engaging humor for sufferers in search of a lively nerve tonic.

The Press has hitherto believed that the majority of the people of Plainfield voted the Republican ticket as a matter of belief and principle, and that they felt in honor bound thus to support the party to which they had given allegiance. But if the editorial expressions of their own organ are to be believed, the Plainfield Republicans are Republicans because of what there is in it. The editor of that organ has continually bewailed the fact that in the distribution of official patronage Plainfield is neglected. He even went so far in the campaign of the Fall of '94 as to warn the rest of the district that Plainfield had claims which must be recognized or Plainfield would revolt. And now he fumes because in the awarding of State-House "snaps" Plainfield "got only a little $300 doorkeeper position", while editors whom he specifies were "rewarded" in various cities of the State. Strange as it may seem in view of all the impressions the Plainfield Republican organ has given to the contrary, The Daily Press believes that Plainfield Republicanism is loftier-minded than to work as zealously as it does for Republican success merely for the sake of getting political pap in return. Indeed, there are those who incline to the belief that the ring-organ editor is disappointed in not being among the Republican organ editors of the State whose partisan fealty was so extraordinarily rewarded in the distribution of Legislative appointments. This may be unjust—The Press hopes it is; but it will take a deal of explaining on the part of the organ editor to relieve himself of the suspicion.

By a practical illustration right at our doors we are reminded of the copybook adage "Silence is golden", and the Scriptural injunction to let our communications be Yea Yea and Nay Nay. The case is that of The Silent Man, who is thus immortalized by The Saunterer in Town Topics:

"There died at Rahway last week a character almost unique and entirely admirable. His name was Theophilus Page. He was a graduate of Williams College, sold newspapers for a living, and lived with apparent satisfaction to himself and no harm to anybody else for ninety years. He earned for himself in the last fifty years of his life one of the noblest of human titles, The Silent Man. Though his business brought him daily among his townsmen he confined his conversation to Yes and No. His memory should be honored by all that appreciate the importance of silence. Theophilus Page was a silent reproach to the eternal, inconsequential, babbling and brabbling of this age. About every American stands on the street-corner or in front of a bar and yawps. Talk, talk, talk! morning, noon and night, until there is a ringing in the ears of earth and headache in the heavens. Let us consider the ways of Theophilus Page, and shut up and be wise. I daresay that he might have been a greater orator than Webster, a greater writer than Marrion Wilcox, or a greater inventor than Joseph Pulitzer. He had no time to talk about it. He only had ninety years, and he needed them all to think in and to enjoy himself in. So he lived and died with his mouth shut, to my mind one of the greatest men in history and greater than any other American that ever lived. I would especially commend his habits and career to the Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst."

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Likely to Last.

He (after the acceptance)—Have you never loved anyone so much as you do me?

She (thoughtfully)—Not in the winter.—N. Y. Weekly.

Stokes Guilty of Murder.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 11.—The jury in the case of William Stokes, charged with the murder of Joseph Ball, at Narragansett Park, last November, returned into court last evening after a conference of four and one half hours, with a verdict of guilty. Sentence was deferred.

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

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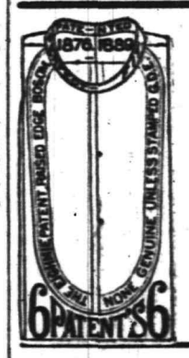

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The scant, square, graceless clothes of the Egyptians were as characteristic as their obelisks and pyramids. The loose, ample robes of the Asiatic, the homeliness of Saxon fashions, the picturesque taste of the Stuarts, the hundred different styles which fashion has tried on the women of the last two centuries, have a far deeper meaning than mere personal pride or vanity. They touch religious, social and even political aspects, and are the mirror of their periods.

The world is growing rich and we are passing from the old to the new, because making money is slowly altering all our opinions. Hardly any one is now content with "the station in which it has pleased God to place them," and they disdain all the signs peculiar to it. Servants wear sham silks and jewels and clerks dress like their employers, and the first thought of every one who makes money is to live and to clothe himself as the class above him lives and dresses.

The philippics against the extravagance of the fashionable woman's dress, coming as they usually do from fashionable men, seem rather funny. For no doubt the tailors' and the dressmakers' bills of any couple in that particular set keep up a very fair average. And if a wife did not dress up to her husband's extravagances, if her dress was laughed at, then she would compel her husband to compare her unfavorably with other women, and what wife would willingly contribute to that comparison? Men compel women to dress up to the last bow and color—they like extravagantly dressed women to illustrate themselves with! Yes, they do!

Their talk is indeed of the home virtues, and they affect to long after good, sensible girls, industrious and patient, whose hearts are in their knitting and sewing and cooking duties, but as a matter of fact they leave such women to the solitary enjoyment of their virtues. Their innocence would bore them; and the majority of fashionable men would rather parade themselves with a woman whose dress began much too late and ended much too early than with the most virtuous of her sex if she was without style or behind the fashions.

Dress also is now a token of financial standing. We have no titles to measure rank, and the dress of a man's wife and daughters is the insignia of the class to which they belong. They cannot pin the certified amount of his bank balance across their breast, but they can indicate it by their expensive trimmings and jewelry; and so long as wealth is our social standard, dress seems to be a very satisfactory token of it.

What is modesty? "It is the tact put before all our perceptions, the instinct which resents whatever is forbidden, the blind discernment, the mute indicator of whatever should be avoided or not known. It is an indescribable fear connected with our sensibility; a marvellous veil between our mind and our eyes; a feeling so positive and yet so delicate that it will hardly bear to be named."

Indelicacy of dress is bad indeed, if it implies a corresponding indelicacy of mind; but this in the case of our present evening gowns is beyond likelihood or supposition. It is thinking makes whatever is either good or evil, and girls to whom very low-necked dresses are everyday affairs attach no moral importance to them.

The truth is that if low dresses were an evil they would long ago have disappeared. But men like and encourage them; they complain of high sleeves, of big hats, of long skirts, etc., but they never complain of low dresses, and the assurance of moralists that they do not marry the sooner for this display of beauty is not warranted by the facts. And if it were, it is offering modesty of appearance a bribe; for if women are to dress modestly, because it pays matrimonially, the reason is in itself more immodest than the dress complained of.

There is an immodest tendency, however, in the dress of women of the present day which cannot be too strongly deprecated—the attempt more and more to assimilate women's dress to that of men. Smoking cigarettes; frequenting risky places; talking doubtfully or slangy, naturally follow this assimilation.

There is no question that to a certain extent the costume of a woman is a type of modesty and that it has a restraining influence upon her manners. Thus, a man can get over a wall, or climb a tree, but a woman has to think of her skirts, and this kind of compelled self-restraint is a strong adjunct to modesty and good manners. Some complaint also might justly be made concerning the bathing toilets of the last decade, for they have gradually dwindled away to a smock, a waistband and a frill—and tights!

Now there may be no intentional seduction in such a toilet, but the appearance of evil is to be avoided, and before international vice there always comes that sort of bravado which makes light of safeguards and so prepares for disaster. For contempt of forms is quickly followed by looseness of manners, and many a woman not naturally vicious is lost on this dangerous road. This may be considered a truism, but it is a truth old as the hills, and, new or old, it is most worthy of constant recognition.

Washington on Wheels.

An illustration of reversion to type may be witnessed in Washington. The miles of asphalt streets rightfully win for the capital the name of the Wheelman's City, and man, woman and child avail themselves of the bicycle. District messenger boys have bicycles, which they manage with the ease and dexterity a Wild West cowboy shows in riding his broncho. What impresses the visitor is the sight of one of these blue-suited Mercurys astride of his wheel pedaling his way along Pennsylvania avenue hands off, contentedly perusing a copy of some work of yellow covered literature.

Realistic.

The recently married editor of a comic weekly now declines all jokes about mothers-in-law on the ground that a mother-in-law is no joke.—Elfin Notes.

TO ROUGE MAY BE A DUTY.

The Point of View from Which a Frank Woman Viewed Colorless Cheeks.

She was a woman perhaps 30 years old, with pretty, soft hair, eyes of no especial color and pink cheeks; in fact, a woman entirely fascinating in manner and appearance. Suddenly she stopped reading and put the book down.

"You will not like this story," she exclaimed. "It's all about a plain woman who made herself beautiful. She did a great many wonderful things to her face, and in her method was included a little judicious rouging."

The speaker was looking in the faces of the other women as she spoke, and the expected look of disapproval appeared in every face. Then she said: "You don't think she was justified in rouging, or that it is ever excusable in any woman?"

"It is repulsive," said a matron of forty-five, embroidering very fast and speaking very decidedly, "and I cannot see how there can be two sides to the question."

"I do not agree with you," answered the young woman who began the discussion. "I am going to tell you a secret now—I do it myself!"

"Horror!" cried three or four voices at once.

"I have always had an idea that your color was not natural," said the matron of forty-five, disapprovingly.

"Now that does not annoy me in the least. I am not at all ashamed of it. You see," continued the young woman who rouged, "it was all a mistake, my being created with nice enough hair, good but colorless eyes and a skin that I must say is faultless in texture, and then to have it all spoiled by a fatal sallowness. It was not artistic. I think if nature makes a mistake we should make an effort to remedy that mistake.

"You, my dear," she said sweetly to the young girl who had called the process of rouging "uncleanly," "it is your misfortune to have hair that does not curl. In your case nature's mistake is very prettily remedied, I must admit," observing the fluffy waves in the hair of the rather discomforted maiden.

"Now, I," went on the champion of color, "do not have to use curling tongs. My hair behaves itself. But the blood that belongs in my cheek does not behave itself, and so I make an effort to do without it."

"Does your husband know that you rouge?" asked the demure maiden.

"Soon after we were married, he found it out, and one morning," she went on, with a contented little laugh, "when I came down to breakfast he looked up from his newspaper and said: 'Janet, you will oblige me by going up stairs and washing that stuff off your face.' 'Certainly,' I said, and I washed off my beautifier and reappeared before my good husband. Again he looked up from his paper. 'Go and put it on again,' he said, crossly. 'Certainly,' I said, and we have never mentioned the subject since. I assure you, it is very exciting to know that people, men especially, are looking at you very closely, and trying to make up their minds whether the color is natural or not. Just because vulgar women plaster their faces with rouge, that is no reason why the whole thing should be called an abomination. The use of strong perfumes is disgusting, but we should not on that account be obliged to refrain from putting orris and sweet scented sachets in our clothes presses. Moreover, I am pleased with myself when I look well, and one cannot be charming unless one is pleased with one's self. With my rouge on I can be sparkling and clever, without it I am as dull as my skin is. It is like the consciousness of being well gowned."

SECRET OF THE MANGO TRICK.

A French Scientist Discovers How the Yoghis Work Their Greatest Wonder.

A French scientist, M. Ragonneau, has just discovered how to make a plant grow from a seed in thirty minutes as much as it would under ordinary circumstances in as many days. Heretofore nature has shared this secret with the Yoghis of India alone, and the methods pursued by these clever magicians in performing this trick have often been described. They plant a seed in the earth and cover it with a cloth. In a few moments the cloth begins to be pushed upward by the growing plant, which in a short time attains the height of several feet. Various theories have been advanced as to the modus operandi of this miracle, one of the latest being that the spectators are all hypnotized by the magician.

During his travels in India M. Ragonneau saw this trick performed frequently and noticed that the Hindoos always imbedded the seed in soil which they brought with them especially for the purpose. At last he learned that they obtained this earth from ant hills. Now as every one knows who has inadvertently eaten one of these industrious insects, ants contain a large proportion of formic acid, with which in time the soil of their habitations become charged. This acid has the power of quickly dissolving the integument surrounding a seed and of greatly stimulating the growth of the germ within.

After a little experimenting with this acid the learned Frenchman was able to duplicate perfectly the Hindoo trick. His further researches have led him to believe that this discovery may be profitably applied to agriculture. By infusing ants in boiling water acid as strong as vinegar can be obtained. M. Ragonneau has achieved the best results and most perfect growth by using earth moistened with a solution of 5,000 parts of water and one of acid.

Figuring It Out.

The journey was long, and the old lady with the plaid shawl thought to beguile the time by a conversation with the tailor-made girl who sat with her.

"Live in the city?" asked the old lady.

"Yes. Work there," answered the girl, and said nothing more.

"Might I ask what you work at?"

"Figures."

This seemed discouraging, but the old lady plucked up her nerve and asked:

"Figures! Livin' picters, or bookkeepin'?"—Washington Evening Star.

Drew the Line.

Mrs. Hicks—Here I am, keeping two girls, and I have to work like a slave myself.

Hicks—Why don't you get another girl?

Mrs. Hicks—Not much; come what may I simply won't work nights.

A Selfish Hope.

A man in Bay City, Mich., has written up poems which are to be published after his death. Here's hoping that he may live to a ripe old age!—Cleveland Press.

THE WEATHER.

Fair Saturday and Sunday; Decidedly Colder Saturday, With a Cold Wave Saturday Night or Sunday Morning; Southwest Shifting to Northwest Winds.

NO LICENSE FOR BOCK.

The Somerset Court Unanimously Decides Against the Application.

North Plainfield was well represented in Court in Somerville today, by those interested in the fate of Charles Bock's application for license to open his new hotel on Somerset street.

Judge Bartine stated that a remonstrance had been received from the Borough Council, and a petition with 70 signers, and he and his associates were unanimously agreed to refuse the application.

Alvah Clark, counsel for Bock, demanded that decision be withheld and a date be set for a hearing. This was refused. He then asked for a rule to show cause why a re-hearing should not be granted.

The Court said it was useless to talk, as the Court had made up its mind and saw no necessity for another bar room in North Plainfield.

Still, it would admit the rule, and set next Friday as the date for hearing Mr. Clark's arguments.

Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., is very sick at home with bronchitis.

O. F. Pierson has bought the house of Wm. Bohl on Astor place.

A birthday party will be given to Harold Beveridge of West Seventh street tonight.

Mrs. Wilson of Central avenue is ill with the grip, but is in the good care of Dr. Hedges.

Many New York friends of the late George H. Burgess attended his funeral this afternoon.

Alford B. Cook of Rahway, ex-Clerk of the Board of Freeholders, was a distinguished caller on The Press yesterday.

George Watson, for several days the the guest of Miss Emma Darling of Netherwood, returned to New York this morning.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

—A St. Bernard dog has strayed into the possession of Coal Baron George O Stevens.

—Vanderbeek & Sattele have sold an elegant baby grand Hazleton piano to Mrs. J. J. Coard.

—Boehm has inaugurated a great 7-cent sale in his basement, also a 25 and 50 cent muslin underwear sale.

—Minnie Lester and company will present "The Little Counterfeiter" tonight, "Ragged Jack" at 10 cents anywhere in the house tomorrow afternoon, and close the engagement with "Jack Sheppard" tomorrow night.

—Jesse Hetfield, a trolley car conductor, was unfortunate enough to break the brake on his car at Front and New streets at 10 this morning, and, not wishing to continue without brakes, waited until the next car came to push him along.

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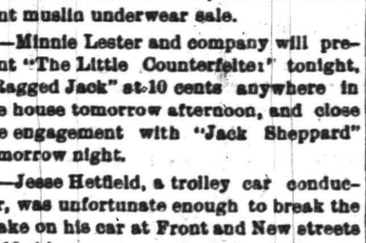

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THE LATEST AIR SHIP.

Professor Langley's Flight of 900 Feet Beats the Record.

Wings have been used for aeroplane flight during several hundred years, as shown by the elaborate researches of Mr. Chanute, and this characteristic can be observed in the various minor successes wherein many decidedly successful short flights have been made with flapping wings. The rigid wing flights have not, however, been so numerous, and for more than half a century it has been an open question as to whether a rigid wing aeroplane could be managed in the air with a motor. It was generally believed that anything with fixed planes propelled by a motor would promptly become unmanageable. Professor Langley's aeroplane is, however, practically rigid so far as flapping wings is concerned.

Langley's machine makes its start from Chespeake Bay in the face of the wind. All such machines are assisted by the sustaining force of an opposing breeze. It was launched from a workshop on a scow, and it was so made that it could not injure itself by alighting on water, upon which it is especially built to enable it to float, and to be rescued by a rowboat in attendance. The principal material used in its construction is aluminum. Since the wings are rigid, its motion through the air, propelled by rapidly revolving screws, is like that of a kite. The wings are not meant to enhance the motion, but are to be used for guidance by means of slight deflections of surface. A very slight change in the slant of the wings will produce a decided change in the direction of any kite aeroplane, as shown by my own experience during hundreds of kite aeroplane ascensions, as well as in the twenty-five years devoted to sailing flight, without a motor, by Lilienthal.

Langley's machine is twelve feet in length and eight feet wide, measured across the front wings. A rear pair of wings is about half the size of the front pair. The wings consist of light frames over which is stretched fine white cloth. Another remarkable feature is that the aluminum body weighs only two pounds. The body alone is about four feet long by two feet wide, and if the machine were placed within a circle it would just about fill it. Its vertical rudder, like that of a ship, causes movements to right or left, while its wings, by their adjustment, cause ascending and descending movements. The propelling power, steam, is generated in a little copper boiler and engine attached to wooden screws within the aluminum body. The propeller blades, attached to the screws, are very thin, and, though only a foot in length, they exert an enormous proportional thrust, owing to the tremendous rapidity of their revolution.

On December 13, 1894, this marvellous little machine made a motor flight of about 900 feet clear, thus beating all records. The record for motor flying machines now stands: A. M. Herring, New York, 300 feet, with an oil motor, in 1891; Hiram S. Maxim, Bexley, England, 220 feet, with a gasoline motor, and three men on board, on July 31, 1894; Lawrence Hargrave, Stanwell Park, N. S. W., made 368 feet in 1894 by means of a motor in which the heat was supplied by spirits of wine; Professor S. P. Langley's machine made 900 feet, with a steam motor, near Quantico, Va., on December 13, 1894. The tremendous import of this success will perhaps be realized better by the people of the twentieth century.

Her Idea of Wealth.

"My idea of great wealth," said the observing girl, "is having money enough to buy candy by the box instead of by the bagfull.

"It just makes me angry," she went on, "to go into a confectioner's store and say, 'Please give me 15 cents' worth of those chocolates,' motioning towards three or four different kinds, you know, and then hear the girl ask, in that superior way that some girls have, if I meant 15 cents worth of each. Of course I have to answer: 'Oh, no! I want 15 cents' worth of them all—mixed.' It makes me feel so small that I want to raise up on my toes and flaunt a $20 bill and say: 'I guess you may do me up a three-pound box of your 80-cent candy.'"—Chicago Record.

No Choice.

"So Scadsby, our cashier, is dead—whom will we have to succeed him?" The millionaire banker looked gravely at the business manager as he spoke.

"We have small choice," replied the business manager. "William and Robert have been filling the post alternately. Robert, as you know, is wild. He drinks, gambles, and leads a fast life. William, on the other hand, is steady and reliable—never drinks, does not play cards, and is a worker in the church."

"Yes; as you say, there is no choice. Notify Robert to assume permanently the duties and the salary of our late cashier," and the great financier assumed his reading of the morning paper.—Puck.

How Men Choose Wives.

One is really sometimes led to wonder what men really do desire and expect of the other sex. Man admires helplessness and declares it ruins him, decries frivolity and shuns intellectuality, is forever lauding his mother, who made such unapproachable pies, and yet continues to marry a pair of white hands that cannot do anything of the kind. He moans over weakness and ridicules strength—though a good deal less than he did a generation ago. He condemns fashion in unsparing terms theoretically and the lack of it practically, longs for a sensible woman and passes her by when he meets her, despises pink and white dolls and marries them if he is permitted. Talk of the inconsistency of women, forsooth!

Time to Practice Economy.

When it comes to buying Mr. Holman's book every individual citizen will be the watchdog of his own treasury.—Kansas City Journal.

Easily Satisfied.

"Your room is preferable to your company," observed the landlady, severely.

"Yes," lightly rejoined the guest, who hadn't paid his board in two weeks: "but I didn't expect to find either very good, you know, and I don't mind a bit."—Puck.

A Logical Conclusion.

Terry—An' phwat med yez quit drinkin', Planxty?

Planxty—It wor this way, Terence: Me wolfe sez to me, sez she. "Planty, yez can't give oop the licker," sez she. I t'ought I could, but wain I thried an' found I couldn't, begorra, I knew it wor toime for me to shtop, an' so I did.—Life.

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NATIONAL LEGISLATION

The House Putting Bills Through with a Rush.

Hawaiian Correspondence Referred to the Foreign Affairs Committee—Work in the Senate—Skirmish Over Urgent Deficiency Bill Items—Mr. Harris Reinstated as President.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The house made a record in the matter of transacting business yesterday that compares favorably with that of any previous day for a long time. The Hawaiian correspondence made public Wednesday, was laid before the house and referred to the committee on foreign affairs for report, upon the recommendation of the president that the request of the Hawaiian government to be permitted to lease Neckar island to a British submarine cable company be favorably acted upon by congress.

Saturday the 2d of February, was set apart for the delivery of eulogies upon the life and services of the late Senator Alfred H. Colquitt, of Georgia.

A resolution was agreed to asking the secretary of the interior to tell congress why the agreement with the Kickapoo Indians for the cession of their lands in Oklahoma, made in 1891, and ratified by congress in 1893, had not been carried into effect.

The following bills were passed:

House bill to define the crimes of murder in the first and second degrees, manslaughter, mutiny and desertion, and to abolish penalty for certain other crimes.

House bill authorizing the erection of life range lights and fog signals on the Kennebec river, Maine, to cost $17,000.

Senate bill to amend the shipping laws so as to abolish the requirement of bonds for the registry of vessels.

Senate bill granting an American registry to the steamer Empress.

House bill authorizing collectors of customs to add to the certificates of inspection of American vessels, the gross and net tonnage as ascertained in conformity with the laws and practices of foreign countries with which the vessels trade.

Thirteen private pension bills were also passed.

Mr. Springer (dem., Ill.) endeavored to secure the passage by unanimous consent of the senate bill granting a pension of $100 a month to Major General John A. McClernand of Illinois, but Mr. Strong (rep., O.) objected.

Most of the afternoon was spent in consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill for the year ending June 30, 1896, the last of the general appropriation bills on the calendar. It carries a total of $5,190,187.97, besides $201,219.28, on account of the water department.

Senate Proceedings.

A preliminary skirmish over the items in the urgent deficiency bill, appropriating $211,800 for 303 additional deputy collectors of internal revenue, and $18,000 for 10 additional revenue agents, in connection with the enforcement of the income tax, took place in the senate. The amendment prepared by Mr. Quay (rep., Pa.), that nothing in any law, to the contrary, shall preclude a court of the United States from considering and determining as to the constitutionality and validity of the income tax, was offered by Mr. Hill (dem., N. Y.), who explained that a certain section of the revised statutes stood in the way of a suit for injunction against the assessment or collection of a tax; and it was that section which the amendment proposed to set aside for the special purpose of testing the constitutionality of the income tax. A motion to lay the amendment on the table was made by Mr. Peffer (pop., Kan.) and was defeated, whereupon the bill and the amendment went over without action, till to-day—Mr. Quay giving notice of other amendments to re-enact the whole of the McKinley law, and to reimpose the wool tax. The Nicaragua canal bill was taken up and an argument was made against it by Mr. Caffery (dem., La.) The Aldrich resolution declaring the sense of the senate to be that one or more ships of the navy should be stationed at Honolulu went over till to-day when the latest correspondence from the Hawaiian islands—to which Mr. Aldrich wished to refer—will be printed. The reinstatement of Mr. Harris (dem., Tenn.) as president of the senate pro tem in place of Mr. Ransom (dem., N. C.), who retired voluntarily from that position, took place with all the necessary formalities.

$8,000,000 INVOLVED.

Demurrer Overruled in the Hocking Valley Case.

Columbus, O., Jan. 11.—Judge Pugh, in the common pleas court, has overruled the demurrer of Judge Stevenson Burke in the Hocking Valley case. The decision is on the demurrer of Judge Burke and his associates to the petition of the New York Central Trust company for a judgment of $8,000,000 under the bonds of the Hocking Valley railroad, issued in 1881.

Expurgated the Living Pictures.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 11.—City Clerk R. F. Grady visited a matinee performance of a ladies burlesque company in the parlor opera house and ordered a large part of the performance expurgated, including living pictures and the dance du ventre, under penalty of revocation of the license. The company has been playing to good business.

Miner Dietzel Rescued.

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 11.—Charles Dietzel, one of the miners who was imprisoned in Richardson colliery by a fall of coal on Tuesday, was rescued last evening alive and uninjured. The dead body of Burke, Dietzel's companion was also taken out.

International Chess Match.

Paris, Jan. 11.—Mieses won the third game of the international chess match at the Cafe de la Regente, against Janowski, yesterday. The score now stands: Janowski 2; Mieses 1.

WHITE HOUSE RECEPTION.

President and Mrs. Cleveland Entertain Diplomats.

Washington, Jan. 11.—President and Mrs. Cleveland, assisted by the ladies of the cabinet circle, received the officers of the diplomatic corps last night from 9 to 11, at the executive mansion. This is an annual event, and is always the occasion for a great turning out of the social set of the capital city. Last evening's levee was no exception to the rule, and from seven o'clock (two hours before the president was ushered into the reception room by the paen, "Hail to the Chief") until 11, a steady stream of humanity was emptied into the historic white building.

The night outside was made dreary by an incessant and depressing rain, but that only served to make the contrast more striking within, where the handsome uniforms of the diplomatists and the rich costumes of the hundreds of ladies made a scene long to be remembered. There were present besides the special guests of honor army and navy officers, senators and representatives, government officials and the leading lights of society here all escorting ladies, and they taxed the capacity of the mansion to its utmost.

The marine band, under the leadership of Prof. Fanciulli, dispensed choice musical gems throughout the affair.

The rooms of the white house were beautifully embellished with palms and plants, and in the great east room the floricultural decorations were models of beauty from an artistic standpoint. The three colossal chandeliers were incased in verdant smilax, and varicolored miniature electric lights heightened the effect. Against the east wall of the room were majestic palms reaching to the ceiling and spreading to a width of twenty feet or more, and from these electric lights of all colors peeped out. The mantels were banked in hyacinths, roses and midget palms.

"A GRAND SHOOTING MATCH!"

Farmer Pawling Invites His Mother-in-Law to Witness Murder.

Lewisburg, Pa., Jan. 11.—White Deer township, this county, was the scene of an awful tragedy yesterday, Wesley Pawling having shot his wife and child and hanged himself. Pawling was a well to do farmer and lived about a mile west of New Columbia. He went to the house of his mother-in-law, a half mile distant and asked her accompany him back home to witness "a grand shooting match." This she did, and upon their arrival at the Pawling homestead, he took from his pocket a revolver and shot his four weeks old child dead, and then shot his wife, but it is thought not fatally. He then went quickly to the barn and hanged himself. Jealously is assigned as the cause of the young man's rash act. Mr. Pawling was a son of the late B. S. Pawling and was married a few years ago to Miss Ella Bohr.

Will Make Their Own Terms.

Pittsburg, Jan. 11.—The district convention of Pittsburg coal miners adjourned finally last evening without taking decisive action on the wage rate question. The miners will make their own terms with the operators. The district leaders will endeavor to secure a committee of investigation and arbitration to establish a satisfactory uniform rate. The miners' officers say that the situation in Pennsylvania and Ohio is worse than for many years and will not be straightened out until there has been another fight, unless the operators consent to better terms.

Anti-Toxine for Diphtheria.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Consul General Mason has sent the state department an exhaustive report describing the manufacture of anti-toxine at Hoechst near Frankfort-on-Maine, which is the only establishment at which the new specific for diphtheria has yet been produced commercially and in quantities adequate to meet the rapidly increasing demand. This factory is now producing over 2,000 doses per day. The report was intended for the use of congress in case that body considered the subject.

Stole 52,000 Stamps.

Washington, Jan. 11.—William Smith, an employe of the bureau of engraving, appointed from New Jersey, was found guilty of stealing 52,000 two-cent postage stamps from the bureau. The jury recommended the prisoner to the mercy of the court. Two other men are yet to be tried for complicity in the robbery. Smith and one of these men went to New York with two women and disposed of a large number of stamps there.

Elkins in the Lead.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 11.—Ex-Secretary Stephen B. Elkins seems to have overcome every obstacle for the nomination as United States senator and his friends will hold a caucus tonight and nominate him on the first ballot. There are fifty-two outspoken Elkin's men and this number will nominate if they so desire on the first ballot.

Killed His Father's Slayer.

Perry, O. T., Jan. 11.—At Purcell, I. T. last night Deputy Marshal John Swain and Tom Vincent had a quarrel as the result of an old grudge. Vincent shot at Swain and missed. The deputy shot Vincent through the heart and Vincent's ten-year-old boy shot and instantly killed his father's slayer. He is in jail.

Russia's Contract for Armor Plate.

Bethlehem, Pa., Jan. 11.—Lieut. Meigs arrived home from Russia last night with the contract for armor plate which the Bethlehem Iron company is to make for Russia's two new battle ships. The contract calls for fifteen hundred tons of un-Harveyized armor plates. The work will begin at once.

Budd Governor of California.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 11.—Both houses of the legislature assembled in joint session yesterday and convassed the state returns. James H. Budd was declared elected governor amid great enthusiasm.

Premier Taillon Critically Ill.

Montreal, Jan. 11.—Premier Taillon, of Quebec, who has been ill for two days, is very low. Three doctors are in constant attendance.

Local Weather Forecast.

Rain; cooler; northwesterly winds.

A SKILLFUL CONSPIRACY

South Dakota Deliberately Held Up.

A Scheme Disclosed Whereby Treasurer Taylor's Bondsmen Would Be Protected and Himself Saved from Punishment — Efforts Are Being Made To Catch Him.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 11.—Developments indicate that there was a conspiracy of large proportions in the flight of State Treasurer Taylor and the loss to the state of $350,000. Facts have come into the possession of the state officials which makes them reasonably certain that Taylor and confederates deliberately went to work, after it became evident that he could not square his accounts, to make the state compromise, by which he should be saved from punishment and his bondsmen protected from loss. The state was in a tight place financially.

If not a cent had been lost there would have been a deficit July 1 next, of fully $100,000 due to excess of appropriations by the last legislature and to the slow payment of taxes on account of the short crops. The limit of taxation has been reached and the limit of indebtedness passed for some time. To extricate the commonwealth has been the subject commanding earnest thought of the state officials for several months. Permanent appropriations are so high that the legislature, no matter what economy is practiced, could hardly bring the expenditures within the revenue. There was due Jan. 5, $220,000 worth of funding warrants held in the east. There was due a considerable sum on the coupon bonds while the sinking fund was preparing to take up the semi-annual interest to the amount of $20,000. The legislature was in session and immediate calls would be made on the treasury for at least $300,000.

Of course the treasurer knew all this. It is believed by the authorities on substantial evidence that realizing he would be short $100,000 when the transfer was to be made Jan. 8, he consulted with some friends and backers and they decided that the best thing to do was to seize all the money in the treasury and put it in a place of hiding where it could be reached when desired. Then, when the default was discovered the state would be found bankrupt. It could not pay its obligations and having exceeded its limit of debt could not borrow. If it sued on the bonds of the treasurer two years more would elapse before any money could be recovered and during that time the credit of South Dakota would sink very low. The parties to the plan concluded rather than come to this pass the state officials would do almost anything within reason. Then the plan was to come forward through an agent and propose to pay back to the state the $250,000 which the treasurer has carried off on condition that the bondsmen should be released and that Taylor should be relieved from prosecution. Had he come to Pierre Tuesday and surrendered he would have been a common felon and would have gone to the penitentiary for ten or fifteen years. His bondsmen would have been bankrupt, since a suit under the bonds at this time would have driven several, if not all of them to the wall. Under the plan adopted both Taylor and his bondsmen would be free from any annoyance and the state would be the loser. Great efforts are being made to apprehend Taylor.

Last night ten men left on the midnight train for various parts of the state and by this time all the property in the state belonging to Taylor or any of his bondsmen has been attached.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS DROWNED.

Dropped Off One by One from an Overturned Rowboat.

Niagara on the Lake, Ont., Jan. 11.—A sad drowning accident occurred near here last evening. Three American soldiers from Fort Niagara being the victims.

The men left the fort intending to cross the river to this town and when within about 200 yards of shore the boat became fast in the moving ice. After drifting for some time a tremendous wave struck the boat upsetting it. They succeeded in climbing on the bottom of the boat calling for help to the crowd of spectators who lined the beach unable to do anything to assist them. After clinging to the boat for an hour the soldiers one by one dropped off. It was impossible to obtain their names.

Ingalls' Friends Indignant.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 11.—Ex-Senator Ingalls' friends are here in large numbers and protesting vigorously against the action of the committee in charge of the inauguration ceremonies next Monday and of the big camp fire to be held Monday night in honor of Gov. Morrill in omitting Ingalls from the programme. His friends are charging that the other senatorial candidates influenced the committee to ignor him for fear a speech from him would create a stampede among members of the legislature who have not expressed a choice for senator.

Ill from Eating Cheese.

Bradford, Pa., Jan. 11.—Several persons in East Bradford were made ill, it is claimed, by eating cheese purchased at a grocery store. None of the cases were serious and the report telegraphed from this place of a wholesale poisoning with probable fatal results was an exaggeration of the facts. The cheese was analyzed later and found to possess nothing more formidable than the usual forms of life disclosed by the microscope.

Committed Suicide in Prison.

Philadelphia, Jan. 11.—Edward F. Vansciver, aged 45 years, committed suicide yesterday in Moyamensing prison with a strap that he borrowed from a fellow prisoner.

Mrs. Banks' Pension Granted.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The president has signed the act granting a pension to Mary Palmer Banks, widow of Major-Gen. Nathaniel P. Banks of Massachusetts.

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For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 24, 5 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 07, 7 20, 7 42, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 42, 9 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 , 10 20, 10 38, 10 49 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 12, , 1 50, 224, 2 40, 2 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 44, 5 , 5 26, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 25 7 39, 9 17, 9 10, 9 50, 10 08 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 46, 2 33, 2 45, 3 45, 4 46 5 24, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30 9 15, 10 18, and 11 46 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—7 07, 8 47, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43, A. M.; 1 09, 1 27, 3 33, 5 06, 6 36 7 46, 8 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 08 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 3 59, 4 38, 5 08, 5 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 09 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days Sundays, 1 43, 10 26, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27, Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 55, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 01, 6 57, 7 19, 7 59 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 36, 7 46, 8 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05 9 36 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2.48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 13 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

For Sea Side Park, Island Heights and Toms River—12 46, p m.

For Boston—9 46 p. m., daily.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 5, 6 30, 6, 6 18, except Saturday, 6 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 14, 10 10, 11 30 P. M. 12 10, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 39, 8 39, 7 36, 7 52, 8, 8 48 9 52, 10 04, 10 37, A. M., 12 06, 1 15, 2 07, 2 50, 3 19, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 59, 8 30, 10 17 11 30 P. M. Sunday—3 07, 5 52, 10 06, 11 20, A. M 12 38, 1 45, 3 30, 5 26, 7 11, 8 32, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 12, 7 52, 8 39, 9 08, 10 09, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 05, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 54, 6 50, 7 30, 7 15, 9 05, 9 45, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 35 A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 35, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 54 2 08, 2 32, 3 45, 4 38, 5 05, 5 14, 5 54, 6 04, 6 19, 8 32, 7 12, 7 34 8 21, 10 26, 11 23 P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—6 45, 7 20 9 04, A. M., 2 08, 3 28, 5 14, 6 26, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 30, 7 00, 7 36, 7 55, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 57, 1 45, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 20, 6 38, 8 17, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 9 05, 9 45P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 3 05, 5 05, 5 14, 6 22, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 9 22 A. M., 3 05, 6 22, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A.M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 20 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M. 6 40, 7 00, P. M

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m, 5 05 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 40 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

7 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 08 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

6 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

7 12 P. M. for Flemington.

8 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

9 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 8, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 9 37, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 6 45, 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 2 08, 5 54 6 45 9 21, 9 37 p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—6 45, 9 48, a. m., 2 08, 5 14, 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 6 45, 8 44, 9 40, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08, 5 54, 6 38, 8 21, 9 37 p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—6 45, 9 54, a. m., 2 08, 5 14 6 38 p. m., 1 12 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 45, a. m., 2 08, 5 54 6 45 p. m. 1 12, night. Sundays—9 49 a. m., 2 08, 5 14 6 45 p.m. 1 12, night.

For Chattanooga, New Orleans and all points south with through vestibule sleeper, via Shenandoah Valley Route at 5 54 p m. Sundays 5 14 p m.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points west, weekdays at 9 54 a m., 8 22 p. m. Sundays 6 38 p. m

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Reading terminal, 4 10, 8 20, 9 50, 11 55 a.m., 1 30 3 50 5 15, 6 04, 8 26, p.m. 12 10, night.

Sundays—4 10, 8 20, 9 50, 12 55 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 25 a. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19, a.m. 2 40, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—8 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 30, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 58, 9 06, 10 25, a.m. 12 15, 2 10, 4 28, 5 54, 9 03 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16, 4 32 6 48, 9 03 p. m.

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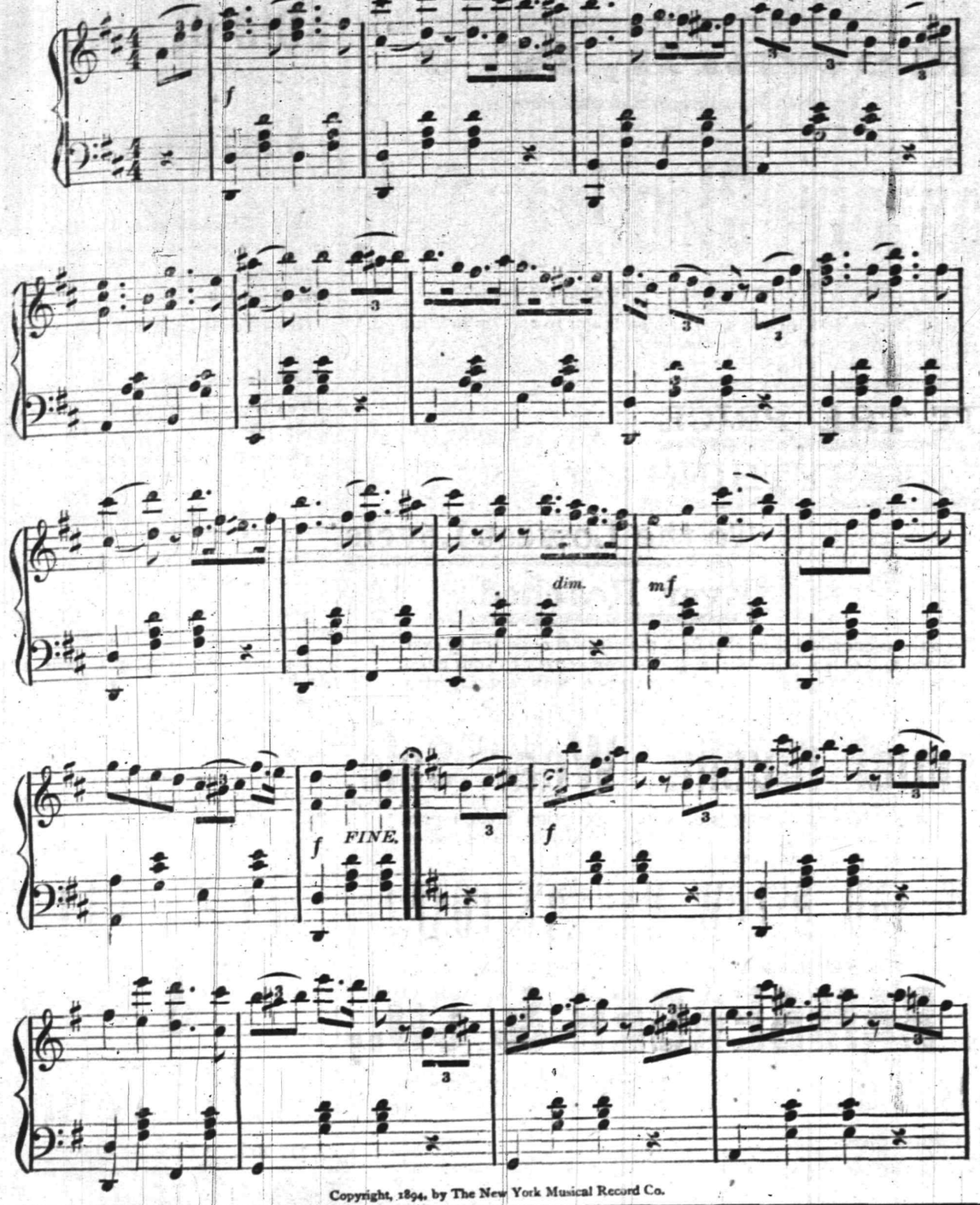

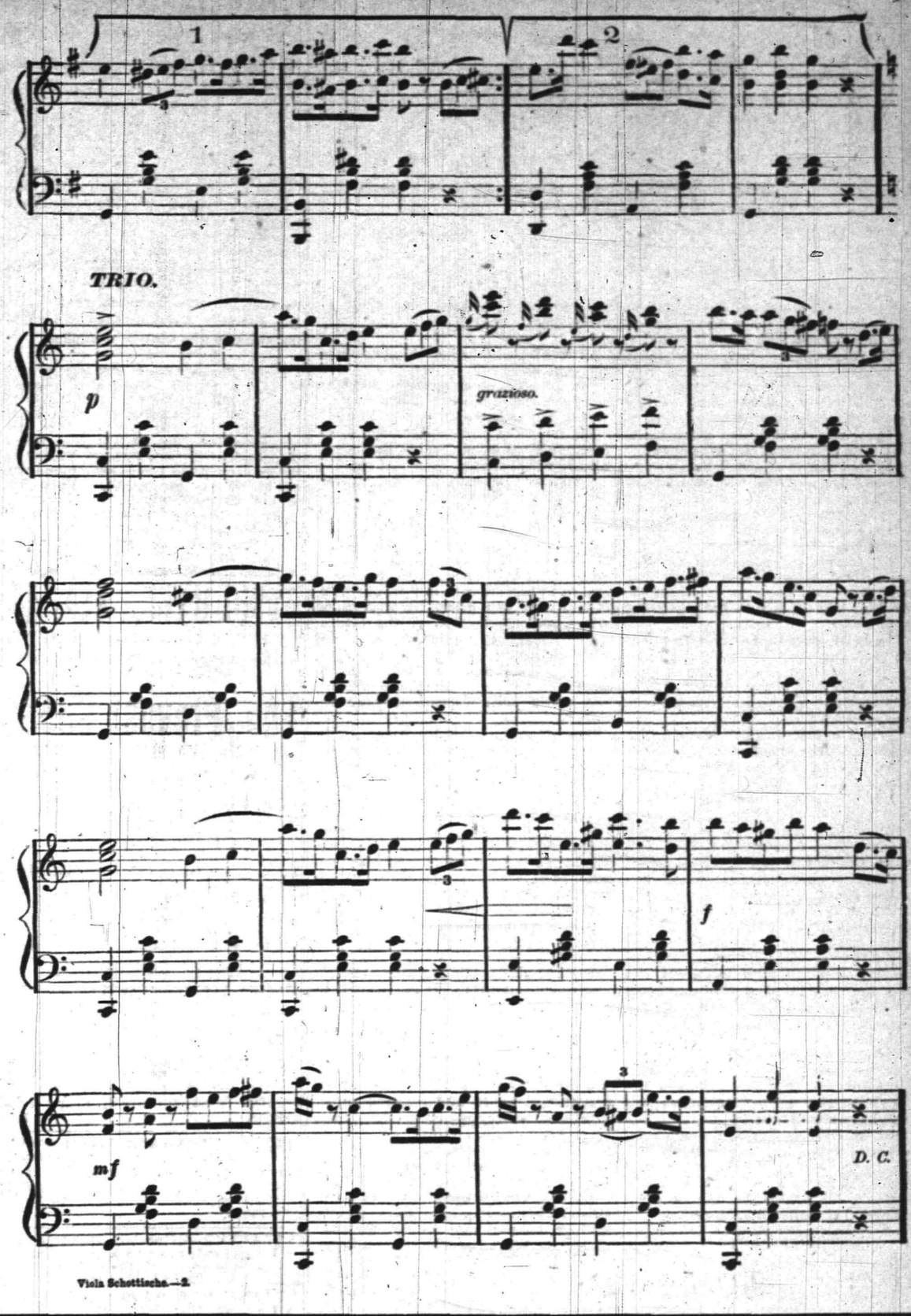

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CHAPTER I—CONTINUED.

They rallied round her that night in all the splendor of their *ancien regime*, and the duchess was herself immeasurably magnificent. But, sooth to say, the gentle lady in the imperial box, with the gruesome man of power beside her, wore her diadem with as fine a grace and was a trifle more magnificent yet—she could not be more beautiful. The duchess herself was not slow to see that charm of distinction, and to acknowledge it with her own lovely graciousness.

It was when they were leaving the house that just as the duchess was passing to her carriage, her cloak slipped from her shoulder, and a young officer of the Imperial guard, standing near, passed an idle jest, only half under his breath, about that dazzling shoulder.

The duke waited upon his wife to her carriage, and then returned; and pausing deliberately to draw off his glove, he slapped the young officer with it across the cheek, and went back to the carriage which was waiting.

"It was a foolishness," the duchess heard M. Etienne saying when he came in shortly after their return. "It was a madness! Why have heard it? Why have flattered the flaneur with notice? At a time, too, when we wish especially for quiet. His friend will be here to-morrow—and of course the duke will waive considerations of rank—"

"What! A duel!"

"The Bois."

"You mock yourself with me!" said her grace.

"Not at all. It is a sous-lieutenant of the Imperial guard—born in some barrack—and although the duke has been an unrivaled swordsman, his hand is less sure than it was, and this M. Leconte is the finest swordsman in France."

"I cannot believe it!"

"As your grace pleases. But it will be all the same if it is pistols, for Leconte's ball—I made inquiries—goes straight as a sunbeam."

"Oh, M. Etienne!" cried the duchess, clasping her hands. "Do you mean—"

"I mean," said M. Etienne, quite heedless in his vexation, "that it is exceedingly doubtful if the duke is alive to-morrow to regret his folly—"

CHAPTER II.

"Eh bien, prophet of evil," said the duke, coming down the room, "with what tales are you frightening the duchess! Come, shall it be billiards?" and sauntered off with him.

And the duchess went to her own apartment where Olympe awaited her; and five minutes afterward, wrapped from head to foot in a vast cache-misere, she had stolen down a private passage to the street, with Olympe beside her. "We must ask the gen-d'arme, Olympe; we may have to go to the prefecture; we must learn where he, Leconte, is to be found." And learn she did; and in less than an hour an angry concierge had been pacified with a handful of gold pieces and had ushered into the room, where the young sous-lieutenant sat busy with a letter, his sister from the country.

The moment that the door closed the duchess dropped her vast wrap into Olympe's hands and stood before him in all her starry beauty, the sheen of her pale satins, the sparkle of her innumerable diamonds, the dazzle of her white shoulders, just as she had come from the opera.

For a moment he was aghast. But he had sprung to his feet. "To what do I owe the honor—" he began.

"Oh, monsieur!" cried the duchess, "I come to you a supplicant! An hour ago my husband insulted you—"

"Bitterly!"

"Oh, monsieur!" clasping her beautiful uplifted hands and raising to his the eyes overflowing with tears. "And it means—"

"Sapristi! It means bloodshed, madame!" he exclaimed.

"Oh, no, no!" she cried. "Not that! Not that! And for such an idle thing—oh, never that! Oh, monsieur, you are successful, you are powerful, the emperor is your friend, you can afford to be magnanimous! I beg, I beg you to let it pass—"

"Let it pass, madame! You know not what you say. Let it pass! Ha! ha!"

"What good, alas, what good will it do you to take his life?"

"It will efface the stain on my honor, the sting of his blow. Behold, my cheek burns with it yet!"

"And mine, too, believe me," she said, lifting again the great innocent eyes to his. "It was hot-headed—it was wrong—oh, if there is any reparation—"

"Sacre! There is no reparation," said the officer, like a hero of tragedy, "but death—his death or mine."

"Oh, do not say so! Life is so precious—death is so dreadful—and, oh, monsieur, forgiveness is so beautiful!"

"Forgiveness of such a humiliation!"

"Is it more of a humiliation than I undergo; I, a woman, who come to you in your apartment, and beg my husband's life of you? I have asked—I have heard—they tell me your ball never fails—"

"And is it monsieur, your husband, who perhaps sends you here?"

"Ciel! It is you who now insult him as grievously! Oh, you cannot, for that momentary burst of foolish vexation be willing to take from him life, from me my husband, from my little sleeping son his father! I implore you—"

"Duchess," said the lieutenant, "you are only wasting time, and compromising yourself here in my apartment."

"I confide in your honor, your silence," she cried.

"It is well," he answered. "But no more. You ask too much."

"Oh, have you no mercy?"

"None. The insult was given in the face of all the world, and in the face of all the world it must be wiped out."

"Monsieur Leconte, you have proved your valor on the battlefield. It is not the first rencontre you have had with pistols and with swords. Your courage is a byword. If you treat this affair as beneath notice, as the action of an exasperated man whom you have reason to pity, it will not injure you. It will give you great friendships, of which you may be glad in the future. Your friend, the emperor, does not wish an added excitement just now. Oh, believe me, you can well afford to send no challenge—to act as if nothing had taken place—to give it your disdain."

The officer gazed at her wonderingly—so young, so beautiful, so resplendent, so sad, so imploring. Perhaps her last arguments gave him cause. And then the statements relative to his courage—they were certainly true—it was well known. And to win the Sarazines Beauxlieux, perhaps, to the empire—it might be worth while. And then a mad, rash humor seized him. "Madame," he said, "I will accede to your wishes on one condition. Your husband's blow still tingles on my cheek. I will repay it—by leaving my kiss upon the cheek of his wife!"

For a moment the duchesse turned, gaspingly, holding both hands to Olympe, and her pallor, where the rose bloomed beneath the ivory, became the pallor of death. But directly she had summoned her resources. What had she come here for but to purchase the life of her boy's father at any cost? She turned again and glanced up at him, and then dropped her lids till the long black lashes swept her marble cheek. "Volontiers, monsieur," she said, and she made a step forward, softly turning her cheek.

But the man did not move. The beautiful creature there, so proud, so chaste, willing to purchase safety for her child's father at the price of this insult to herself, this insult of which in all the years of her life she would be sensible, the color now rising slowly in her cheek, vividly, in a stain, as if to meet the affront. No, he could not!

"Forgive me," he said. "And go. You have saved your husband's life—for my bullet would have pierced his heart. Go. I will keep your secret." And doubting her senses, bewildered, full of joy, the duchess suddenly fell on her knees before him and seized his hand and covered it with kisses. And then Olympe had the *cache-misere* about her, and the officer had gone down with them and put her into the carriage. When the duchess recalled

SHE SEIZED HIS HAND AND COVERED IT WITH KISSES.

that scene and its expressions of her gratitude, she knew it never would have happened so but for that Basque woman, her peasant grandmother.

And so it came about that no challenge arrived at the Hotel Beauxlieux the next day, nor any day thereafter. And when his wonderment had subsided, the contempt that the duke already felt for the new people was a thousand times enhanced by the circumstance. "A court of shopkeepers!" he cried. An imperial guard who kept silence under a slap on the face—they were all part and parcel together—he despised them, and was at no pains to keep his despising quiet. And thus this very action of the duchess was the cause of his making himself more offensive to the imperialists than he had been, so offensive that at last it was open war with Duke des Sarazines Beauxlieux, and he found the old chateau in the Landes, a place better suited to his health than the house in Paris where kings had been his guests.

But after all it was not love, certainly not wifely love, that had made the duchesse interfere on her husband's account in that matter of the challenge. It was a life to save—and she herself the cause of the trouble—it would have been almost as necessary for her to try to avert the evil had the person concerned been St. Malo, or Montaguevert, or a stranger. She had a warm and quiet affection for her husband, an immense belief in him and admiration for him, but that was all.

When the duke died and left her with his son, she wept; she was bereft. But here was the duke, and now all the more the duke, all the more proudly and fondly insisted on since shorn of imperial favor.

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FENNO—In this city, Thursday, Jan. 10, 1895, Edith L., wife of R. F. Fenno. Funeral services from her late residence, 417 East Fifth street, Saturday, Jan. 12, at 10 a. m.

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At a regular meeting of Trustees of the Irving Savings Institution, held Jan 8, 1895, the President David M. Demarest, having withdrawn as a candidate for re-election, the following officers were elected: President, W. H. B. Totten; 1st Vice President, Frederick Meyer; 2d Vice President, James Rogers; Treasurer, Charles H. Fancher; Secretary, G. Byron Latimer.

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NEARING THE CENTURY MARK.

Plainfield Foresters Review Their Successes and Take Hope for Greater Growth.

Court Plainfield, Independent Order of Foresters, at their meeting last night initiated four members in the mysteries of Forestry, and High Chief Ranger Bingham of Elizabeth, assisted by Brothers McIntosh, Hansen and Casey as Supreme Marshal, Supreme Vice-Ranger, and Supreme Secretary, respectively, installed the officers for the ensuing year. James McClinton was appointed Senior Beadle, and Joseph Bird was unanimously chosen to fill the important office of District Deputy Chief Ranger for one year. In good and welfare the officers installed. In a few words each thanked the Court for the various honors conferred upon them, and High Chief Ranger Bingham paid an eloquent tribute to the energy displayed during the past year, when an addition of fifty was made to the membership. He also lauded the officers for the manner in which the ritualistic work was conferred, and had no hesitation in saying that the Court was officered second to none in his jurisdiction. The Court commenced the new year with 78 members and a good treasury, and an effort will be made to reach the century in membership before June.

HINDERED TRAVEL.

A Bent Axle Causes Delay on the Jersey Central.

At 3 yesterday afternoon as engine 400, which was pulling the fast freight from Jersey City to Bound Brook on track No. 2 the axle of one of the cars was bent in such a manner that the train was obliged to stop near Richmond street and leave the crippled car for the wreck train, which was at once ordered from Elizabethport.

When the wrecker arrived it was found necessary to jack up the freight car where it stood, remove the old axle and replace it with a straight one.

Traffic was of course suspended on No. 2 track during the three hours necessary for the job, but very little delay was occasioned as track No. 6 was used temporarily by the express trains.

The car which caused the trouble was picked up by a westbound freight at 6:10 and proceeded on its way.

International Sunday-school Work.

The Executive Committee of the Essex County Sunday-school Association have arranged for a grand rally and mass meeting of the Sunday-school workers of their county and adjoining counties to hear the officers of the International Sunday-school Association speak and tell of the great work that is being done by their association. The meeting is to be held in the First Presbyterian Church, Newark, Friday evening, Jan. 25 at 7:45. William Reynolds of Peoria, Ill., Superintendent of Organization, and B F. Jacobs of Chicago, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the International Convention, are expected to speak. This will be a meeting of unusual interest to the Sunday-school workers, and the only one of this character to be held in northern New Jersey.

Fire in the Burnt District.

Policeman Frederickson found a lively blaze in progress in the old lumberyard of Cook Bros., on Park avenue, at 1 this morning. He signaled for Policeman Cooney, and the two investigated preliminary to sending in an alarm. They found that the boards covering the kiln of the stoneyard occupying a portion of the old lumberyard site had taken fire. By pulling the boards away, and threshing them about, they subdued the flames and saved the firemen from a cold run in sleepy time.

Jack'll Be There.

John H. Carney, Plainfield's popular Dutchman, has accepted a very pressing invitation to be present at the installation of Hopocon Tribe, I. O. R. M., of Port Oram, Thursday, Jan. 17. Mr Carney was present on a similar occasion in Port Oram four years ago and his Dutch specialties gave such great pleasure to his auditors that he has several times been urged to favor with a return visit, but has never found it convenient until the present time.

They Wear a School Pin.

Leal's School have decided on a school pin, and already several of the school are wearing it. The pin consists of a small flag enameled with maroon and old gold, the school colors, with L. S. engraved on it.

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LAMONT DIRECTS THE ANSWER.

No Credence Whatever Accorded to the Statements of "American"—Since "Facts Count", Here Are Some for His Delectation—A Reply That Was Necessarily Belated Because of the Department Investigation.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—I see your paper at odd times, and in the issue of Nov. 20, 1894, I find an article of over a column in length, headed "Reply to Wilbere" and signed "American". Among other things in this would be patriot's letter the following statement appears:

"The official War Records show that during the war the proportion of desertions was as follows: American born, 5 per cent; British (Protestant) 7 per cent; Germans, 16 per cent; Irish Catholic, 72 per cent. Facts count."

I was surprised, first that any man who lays so much stress on the point that facts count would make such a statement, and surprised in the second place that a paper with the standing that the Plainfield Daily Press has would publish a statement which has on its very face all the earmarks of falsehood, on any condition other than over the writer's full name. A plain unvarnished lie put in the public press, should never, in my judgment, be hid behind an assumed name. If a man wishes to make an assertion without data or proof, he should do so in the open day over his own signature, and like a man bear all the consequences, and not sneak like a cur dog behind a nom de plume.

I herewith send you a letter from the War Department, which gives facts, and "facts count"; and I ask you to publish it with my letter in as prominent place and type as you did the lie which "American" wrote with the intent to arouse the bitter passion of prejudice among our people. In the article referred to there are other glaring falsehoods which I will not answer, as I think this letter from the War Department is sufficient to condemn his vaporings as a malicious attempt to stir up strife and discord in a peaceable community, and that it will convince any reasonable man that there is not a scintilla of truth in his whole letter, but that it was written to malign a large and respectable body of American citizens.

The figures given and purporting to show the percentage of desertions of the different nationalities of which the armies was composed are false in every particular. "Facts count"; the letter from Col. Ainsworth, by order of Daniel Lamont, Secretary of War, shows conclusively that no such record has ever been made. "Facts count", and as facts do count the facts given by the War Department show that the story of desertions as given by "American" is a tissue of falsehoods made from whole cloth, and my convictions are that "American" knew he was lying when he wrote that letter; but if he did not he is too ignorant to write for the Plainfield Daily Press, and I care not which horn of the dilemma he may choose.

HARVEY J. TETTEMER.

St. Louis, Jan. 7, 1895.

Address: Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, Washington, D. C.

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Subject: Statistics. 403,597.

RECORD AND PENSION OFFICE, WAR DEPARTMENT.

Washington City, December 27, 1894.

H. J. Tettemer, No. 721 and 726 Lucas avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

SIR:—In reply to your letter of the 24th instant, received today, relative to a statement by certain newspapers that seventy-five per cent. of the deserters of the late war were Irish Catholics, I am directed by the Secretary of War to inform you as follows:

No compilation has ever been made by this Department upon which any statement concerning the matter can be based.

As a matter of fact, the number of soldiers of any given nativity or religious creed in service during the war of the rebellion is not known, and it is not possible, from any data yet prepared, for this or any other Department, or for any individual, official or otherwise, to make even an approximately correct statement of the number or percentage of deserters belonging to any particular creed or nationality.

When it is understood that the War Department is the sole custodian of the records of the armies in service during the war, and that it has made no statement relative to the religious creed of the soldiers in service during the war, or of the number of deserters of any nationality or religious denomination, it will be seen that such statements as have been published on this subject are entitled to no credence whatever.

Very respectfully,

F. C. AINSWORTH,

Colonel U S. Army,

Chief, Record and Pension Office.

THE SEWER QUESTION.

Criticism of a Boroughite's Objections, by a Well-Informed Plainfielder.

A critical reader of The Daily Press desires to call the attention of the "prominent citizen of the borough" to the fact that it was not "intermittent filtration" which East Orange abandoned but "chemical precipitation"—quite another system.

Also that Pullman has been for some eight years a notorious example of how to make a failure of sewage irrigation—by running it solely to make money.

As long ago as 1886, he says, crude sewage was turned for months at a time into Lake Calumet, a sheet of water 3½x1½ miles in extent, and only from one to eight feet deep.

If the prominent citizen, he further says, will agree to give this city a guarantee that a sewer run to the Raritan River below the dam will "settle the matter permanently", he will earn the everlasting gratitude of every Plainfield citizen, and the Dunellenites will make him their patron saint.

By the way, it is asked, why should such constant reference be made to South Framingham? Why not refer once in awhile to other good examples of land disposal—Freehold, for instance, in our own State; or Wayne, Pa., besides a number of others in Massachusetts and many more in the Western States.

The Provost Guard.

The Santa Rosa (Cal.) Democrat has the following to say of Washington Davis's drama, "The Provost Guard", which will be presented at Music Hall, Plainfield, next Thursday evening, January 17:

"The Provost Guard is a realistic militarp drama founded on incidents of the Civil War. The play does not deal with bombastic clap-trap, but is a drama of excellent situations, very bright comedy, clean and witty dialogue and vivid tableaux. The third act deals with the battle of the Cross Roads, Kentucky, and shows the purpose of the Provost Guard, which all well-read people, especially Grand Army men, fully understand and appreciate.

"The material for this play was very carefully gathered by Mr. Davis, and the result is a strong piece different in plot and action from any other military drama that has been produced. All in all it is fully equal to 'Shenandoah', or 'Held by the Enemy'.

"The cast embraces ten of the best professional people in America under the management of W. R. Palmer."

The Third Regiment Cadet Corps of Plainfield, under the command of Capt. George F. Edwards, will participate in the military scenes. The uniforms and everything tributary to the play are perfect. To the present date the play has been the most successful produced this season.

Fun and Prizes at Cards.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Tolles entertained the Whist Club of which they are members, at their home, corner of Orange street and Westervelt avenue, last evening, it being the semi-monthly meeting. Those present were: Mr and Mrs John P Emmons, Mr and Mrs Peter Emmons, Mr and Mrs John Whitenack, Mr and Mrs Fred M Slater, Mr and Mrs Messerschmidt, Mr and Mrs L B Woolston, Mr and Mrs. J F Buckle and Mr and Mrs R I Tolles.

Mr and Mrs Peter A Emmons were awarded first prizes, consisting of a pretty paper cutter and a bronze card receiver; Mrs Tolles won the second prize, a card receiver. The consolation prize was cheerfully given to John P. Emmons; it was a monkey in a box.

It is understood that at the next meeting of the club, which will be held at the home of Mr and Mrs John Whitenack, John P Emmons will wear his new pair of bowling shoes.

North Plainfield School Notes.

Library books were received by the scholars this week.

Miss Shafer, who was the Junior teacher a few years ago is again teaching in the absence of the Junior teacher, Miss Petrie, who is detained at home on account of illness.

Miss Grant of Plainfield is teaching the Third grade in the absence of Miss Dailey, the regular teacher.

Adapted from the Greek.

Thales, the father of Greek philosophy, is accredited with saying "There is nothing more beautiful than the world", and if alive today he would doubtless add that there is nothing much more beautiful in it than the latest attractions in jewelry and silverware on exhibition at Collier's, 103 Park avenue. They are up to date and will amply repay inspection.

Fractured Two Ribs.

A. C. Johnson, brother of J. W. Johnson, residing on Johnston's drive on the mountainside, fell down the cellar stairs at his home last night and fractured two ribs. The cause of his fall was an old hat lying at the head of the stairs, over which he stumbled. He had a lighted lamp in his hand at the time, and it is fortunate a serious fire was not caused.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

The prize essays on the "Use and Abuse of Tobacco" have been handed in, and considerable interest is manifested as to who shall receive the prizes. Almost the entire Senior class entered the contest, while the Third class had the fewest competitors.

Both the beginners and advanced Physics classes have arrived at the study of electricity, in which they are joined by several of the Seniors who wish a more thorough knowledge of the subject. The Zoology class has taken up the study of the smaller animals. The Astronomy class has just begun the study of the individual planets. The Senior English Literature class is studying Spenser and has begun reading "The Faerie Queen".

The Senior class is at present deeply interested in the power plant being constructed at Niagara Falls; short sketches have been written on the subject, and now each pupil is expected to give a two-minute talk on it.

The vote for the school colors will be taken Monday morning; five new selections were handed in yesterday. The voting will be very close.

The Kappa Delta Phi held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon. Owing to the absence of two of the debaters, the debate was postponed. After an earnest discussion a society pin was adopted. The design chosen was a plinth of black enamel with Kappa Delta Phi engraved on it in gold. John V. Beekman, Jr., was appointed to procure the pins. The colors of the society were changed to black and gold in order to avoid complications with the class of '93. Charles B. Morse was appointed a committee to make arrangements relating to the Vincent lectures. The programme committee reported the following programme for Jan. 18. Debate, "From which does the Mind gain the more: Knowledge, Reading, or Observation?" The speakers for the side of Reading will be Lewis Rand, Henry Eggerding and Edgar I. Serrell. Those for the side of Observation will be John V. Beekman, George A. Horne and Chas. B. Morse. At the close of the business session each member spoke for two minutes on any subject that they wished. The speakers and subjects were: John V. Beekman, Jr., Bishop Patterson; A B Crane, The Minds of Great men; C. B. Morse, An Ideal Commonwealth; Lewis Rand, Further Ideas on an Ideal Commonwealth; J H. Craig, Instinct of Pigeons; G. A. Horne, The Power Plant at Niagara Falls; H. B. Drake, The Spartan Institutions; Chas. Noble, The Mind of the Dog.

The regular meeting of the Lyceum was held as usual yesterday afternoon. The programme consisted of a hash debate on the subject "Is this country more indebted to capital than to labor?" J. H Craig, Nathan Lane, Jr., and Chas. B Morse spoke for the affirmative, and H B. Drake and J. V. Rittenhouse for the negative. A committee, composed of Lewis Rand, Chas. Noble and Lambert Fish, decided the debate in favor of the negative. It was proved that capital and labor depended on one another, but that labor had the greatest influence. At the close of the meeting the committee on the St. Valentine's Day meeting met and made a number of the preliminary arrangements. Further details of the meeting will be announced in a few days.

NINETY-FIVE.

Died in the Night.

When Constable W. R. Mattox was going home about 12 last night, is passing Evan Jones's property on Webster place he heard groans which at first led him to believe that a man was in distress.

He went into the yard, and found a horse tied to the fence. The animal was covered with a blanket, but seemed to be suffering.

Mr. Mattox remained some time trying to get the horse on his feet, but did not succeed. This morning he went to the place and found that during the night the horse had died. He asked Mr. Jones about it, and the latter said he did not know to whom the animal belonged.

The Sanitary Code.

The meeting of the Plumbers Association in Odd Fellows Hall last evening was called to order by President John Carney.

The chief topic for discussion was the proposed new sanitary code, but owing to a lack of needful statistics the matter was deferred for one week, when a committee will be appointed.

Choral Rehearsal.

The Choral society will meet for rehearsal Monday evening next, in the Sunday-school room of the First Baptist A full attendance is desired. The music in hand will demand the careful attention of the chorus.

—Double toes and heels are usually considered a monstrosity, but not when they are in Peck's hosiery.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PLAY AFTER MINSTREL.

"Tea After Four o'Clock" to Be Given by Plainfield Amateurs.

Those who have been curious to know whether the season would pass without amateur theatricals of any kind will be glad to hear that the players who have won so many laurels in the past will be seen in at least one short play this Winter. The minstrel show that is to be given at the Casino Feb. 21 in aid of Muhlenberg Hospital will be supplemented by a short comedy by Mrs. Burton Harrison, entitled "Tea at Four o'Clock".

The cast will include such well known amateurs as Mrs. J. Parker Mason, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Saunders, Mrs. Irving Brown, Mrs. L. W. Serrell, W. R. Cock, Fred Walz, James S. Anthony, Geo. Taggart and Richard Colburn.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

W. C. Chamberlain has been granted a patent on a multiple printing press.

Miss Stella Shotwell of Park avenue is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Nathan Lane of Sycamore avenue is confined to his home by an attack of the grip.

J. Shepherd of Griffen's hardware store is slowly recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. S. P. T. Wilbur of East Third street is slowly recovering from an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Brewster of New York are visiting at the home of W. J. Roome of Sycamore avenue.

Miss Anna Boice of Park avenue went to New York this morning to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Aldrich.

Fred Fullerton of Montclair has returned to Plainfield and resumed his studies in the Plainfield Latin School.

Miss Brick of Philadelphia, who has been visiting Miss Minnie Wilson for the past week, returned to her home today.

Col. J. F. Wilson, who has been confined to the house by a severe cold, is much better, and hopes to be out again soon.

Miss Pierce of Boston, after a delightful visit at the hospitable home of Mrs. J. R. Joy on Willow avenue, is visiting friends in New York.

Mr. Williams of Charleston, S. C., arrived by steamship Iroquois of the Clyde Line, this morning, and is visiting Plainfield in the interest of large land sales.

Frank Kesselring, formerly of Heidleberger, Frank & Co., clothers, has accepted a position with James McCreery & Co., Broadway and 11th street, New York.

S. Frank Runyon, for some years in the employ of the local U S. Express office, has been confined to his home on Sycamore street several days with a slight attack of pneumonia.

The home of C. K. Moore of Fanwood has been ornamented by a fine rug made from the big red fox shot by that valiant and mighty hunter, the Judge's son James, up in York State.

Mrs. Arthur G. Kerr and family of College place are spending a week with friends on Long Island, and during their absence the genial A. G. is forced much against his will to keep bachelor's hall.

Miss Kathryn Krymer, who will sing in the Congregational Church Thursday evening, Jan. 17, is the second alto of the Verdi Ladies Quartette of Brooklyn, and sings in the Bloomingdale Reformed Church, one of the large churches of New York. She has a phenomenally deep contralto voice, of great range and power. Her singing of familiar ballads, once heard, is not easily forgotten.

A birthday party was given last evening by Mrs. Charles J. Day of Rockview avenue to her nephew, Master Irving M. Day, son of Mr and Mrs Edwin B. Day of Central avenue, in honor of his seventh anniversary. As the event also celebrated Mrs. Charles J. Day's birthday, the scene was enlivened by a large gathering of friends from this city and Brooklyn. Mrs. Day was very becomingly attired in a costume of 'ye olden time", and both she and Master Irving were the recipients of many beautiful presents.

Game Deferred.

The Institute Bowlers of Newark notified Capt. Hibbits of the C. Y. M. L. bowling team yesterday that it would be impossible for them to play the game scheduled here for last evening, so it was postponed until next Friday night, Jan. 18, on the Lyceum alleys.

—Materials can be had at Swain's on East Front street for oil, water-color, china, pastel painting and crayon work, for draughtsmen, architects, and indeed for all who may use them, either as amateurs or professionals, and the prices are just and reasonable.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Brownie handkerchiefs are a novelty. They are sold by Mrs. L. Adams, whose millinery store supplies the latest styles.

—There will be a Gospel service with the use of stereopticon views and special singing in the Congregational Church tomorrow evening.

—It is expected that the president-elect, Mrs. A. E. Dobbins, of the Women's Relief Corps, will be installed at the next meeting of the Corps.

—A meeting of those interested will be held next week Saturday, to arrange a shooting match between Plainfield and Elizabeth sportsmen at $500 to $1,000 a side.

—Addison S. Clark of Westfield read in The Daily Press last night of the finding of a St. Bernard dog by George O. Stevens, and on investigation found it to be his and recovered it.

—While L. E. Hart was driving on West Front street near Washington avenue this morning his wagon collided with a heavy box wagon and the wheels were locked. There was no damage.

—The Christian Endeavor service held last evening in the First Baptist Church, in connection with the Week of Prayer services, was largely attended, and full of interest. G. F. Brown was the leader.

—A large congregation was in attendance at the service last evening in Vincent Chapel. As two evenings of the present week have been stormy, there will be a special service this evening, conducted by the Drew Quartette. They will sing at the several services tomorrow.

—A special sale is in progress at the retail store of Schepflin, Schultz & Co., 318 West Front street, where overcoats and ulsters are being sold at slaughter prices. Figures are marked lower than ever, and now 10 per cent. discount is allowed on all goods. Do not miss this liberal offer, but fill your needs there now and save money.

—In addition to the big safes for all purposes sold by the Mosler Safe Company through their general agent, S. W. Clark of 118 West Fifth street, is a complete line of secretary safes for the convenient security of jewels and other valuables from housebreakers. The Mosler safes are both fire and burglar proof, and no house, store or office should be without one.

—The Junior League of the M. E. Church, Scotch Plains, will hold an entertainment Jan. 28 in Excelsior Hall. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the church and league. Admission, 20 cents. It is hoped that many will be present, for the children are doing all in their power to please their friends and parents. The programme consists of readings, recitations and tableaux; also singing.

—From its own experience The Daily Press can testify that a great help in manuscript writing and correspondence is the Bar-Lock Typewriter, which has merits above ordinary machines. A high-grade typewriter is an essential part of office equipment nowadays, and the Bar-Lock leads. The local representative is Arthur P. Miller of West Fourth street, who will be pleased to place a machine on trial with any responsible inquirer.

—The Week of Prayer has been so profitable in Trinity Reformed Church that it has been decided to hold the following additional services. Sunday morning, at 10, preceding the regular service; Sunday evening, 6:45; Monday evening, under the direction of the Christian Endeavor Society, to which everybody is invited; and Tuesday evening for men only, to which men of every denomination are invited; Wednesday evening, a meeting for all.

Delightful Social Gathering.

A delightful social gathering took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beveridge at their charming home on West Seventh street last evening, in honor of their sons, Harold and Wallace Beveridge.

The time passed all too quickly. Music for dancing was furnished by A. G. Carpenter. About 9 the happy company enjoyed the excellent supper served by Max Wiertz. Dancing was then continued till 11:30.

Those who participated in the festivities were: the Misses Fish, Lela Howard, Florence Patterson, Grace Day, Ida Stewart, Lela Cruikshank, Holly, Helen Reinhart, Bowen, Gilbert, Marion Dumont, Marion Woodcock, Lillian Richardson, and Miss Postley, Miss Geiston, and James Kingam of New York; Bert Fish, Paul Kimball, Louis Squires, Walter Squires, Charles Squires, Walter Probasco, James Stewart, Clare Stewart, Morris Dumont, John Dumont, Charles Davis, Wells Taylor, J Wells, Howard Wells, B Johnson, H Woltman, J Middledith, Bert Richardson, Rufus Finch, and T Lawrence.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

EXPRESS CARS BURNED.

A Baggagemaster's Careless ness Causes a Big Blaze.

Long Island City, N. Y., Jan. 12.—At 8:30 o'clock last night a fire which destroyed the express and baggage house, the annex ferry house and sheds, the express and record offices and the headquarters of the Long Island Railroad News company, as well as a frame building on Front street, owned by ex-Mayor P. J. Gleason, started in a combination mail, express and baggage car of the Port Jefferson express standing in the express shed. A baggage master at work in the car knocked down a lamp, setting the interior of the car on fire. A switch engine dragged the burning car and an express car attached to it out in the railroad yard, two blocks from the station. When the city firemen answered the alarm they turned their attention to the burning cars, and knew nothing of the fire in the shed which ran out on the pier, in the East river, 350 feet, until it was beyond control. Then a general alarm was turned in, and the entire fire department responded, as did fifteen fire tugs from the East river and Newtown creek. A strong wind from the river drove the flames through the sheds into the three-story building occupied by the Railroad Young Men's Christian association. There were eight express cars in the shed all of which were burned, with as many loads of express matter and incoming baggage. Ex-Mayor Gleason says his loss is $2,000, with insurance. The Long Island Railroad company's loss will reach $50,000, with partial insurance.

DISFIGURED FOR LIFE.

Vitriol Thrown in a Connecticut Editor's Face.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 12.—As Frank B. Steele of Waterbury, editor of the Bridgeport Sunday Herald, was leaving his office at about 6 p. m., last evening an unknown man threw vitriol in his face, from the effects of which he will be scarred for life. Steele had just left his office, in Lilley block, when a man stepped up and walked alongside. Steele noticed the man make a motion and then felt something hot on his face. As he turned the man threw the bottle, striking Steele in the face, cutting him slightly. The man ran, and Steele started to pursue him, but realizing that it was vitriol, he made for an apothecary store nearby, where Drs. Axtelle and Goodenough were summoned.

The vitriol covered most of the left side of his face and ran down the outside of the throat and breast, his clothing about the neck being badly burned. His eyes were uninjured. His assailant is as yet unknown.

AFRAID OF DIPHTHERIA.

Express Companies Refuse To Transport Microbes in Tubes.

Cleveland, Jan. 12.—Health Officer A. W. Nepkins, of Ashtabula, who has been in this city, said the express companies had refused to transport antitoxine culture tubes. There were many genuine cases of diphtheria in Ashtabula and the culture tubes, containing membrane from the throats of diptheretic patients were sent to Cleveland where they were examined by a bacteriologist. The microbes were placed in glass tubes and tightly sealed. Health Officer Leach of this city said there was not the slightest danger of spreading the disease unless the train should be wrecked and the box smashed, and even then there was little danger. The expressmen did not know what they were carrying at first but when they found out they refused to transport more of them.

Wilhelm Sends Bismarck a Present.

Berlin, Jan. 12.—Emperor Wilhelm sent his adjutant, Count von Moltke, to Friedrichsruh recently with a glass cup of exquisite workmanship for Prince Bismarck. In his message of thanks the prince expressed regret that the condition of his health prevented his calling at the old castle on New Year's day. Since New Year's Gen. Count Waldersee, who is still known as the emperor's "coming man," has called upon Bismarck several times. It is reported that the emperor will visit his old chancellor at Schoenhausen in March.

A Hermit Frozen To Death.

Chester Depot, Vt., Jan. 12.—Horace Ruel Tarbell was found dead on the floor of his hut, about a mile from the village, frozen stiff and had been dead several days. He was a well known character, living the life of a hermit for years. He was well educated, being a graduate of Dartmouth college.

Elkins Nominated.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 12.—Ex-Secretary of War Stephen B. Elkins was nominated United States senator last night by the republican caucus. He had no opposition and was put in nomination by State Senator H. E. Whittaker, who has been talked of for United States senator.

A Terrible Gale Raging.

Queenstown, Jan. 12.—A terrible gale is prevailing along the Irish coast. The Cunard line steamer Etruria, Captain Walker, from New York Jan. 5, was unable to enter Queenstown harbor because of the storm, and proceeded with her passengers and mails direct for Liverpool.

Sold for the Benefit of Creditors.

Mount Holly, N. J., Jan. 12.—W. & J. Sloane of New York, bought the mills of the Burlington Carpet company here and at Stanwick at the receiver's sale for $100,000. The mills were sold by the receivers for the benefit of the company's creditors.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR — Firm. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.85.

WHEAT—Firm. No 2 red, 62¾c.

CORN — Firm. No. 53¼c.; steamer, 51¾c.

TROUBLE IN THE HOUSE

Over Gen. John A. McClernand's Pension.

Springer Lectures Southern Members —Representative Waugh Throws a Bombshell Into the Discussion and Stirs Up Others to the Defense of the General.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The night session of the house was tumultuous over the debate which grew out of the attempt of Mr. Springer (dem., Ill.) to pass a bill granting $100 per month to Major General John A. McClernand. Mr. Jones (dem., Va.), insisted upon making the point of no quorum.

Mr. Springer, in a heated speech, lectured those of his southern democratic colleagues, who constantly assumed an attitude of hostility toward the pension of union soldiers. He called attention to the fact that but thirteen democrats had been returned to the next house from the north. He warned them that if their course was persisted in none will be returned to the succeeding congress.

Mr. Pence (populist) of Colorado, in an earnest speech appealing to Mr. Jones to withdraw his point, spoke of the well known distinguished patriotic services of General McClernand, when Mr. Waugh (rep.) of Indiana, threw a bombshell into the discussion by asking if the beneficiary of this bill was not the same man who was relieved from command before Vicksburg by General Grant for unsoldierly conduct and of whom General Halleck said it was premeditated murder to place him in command.

Mr. Marsh (rep., Ill.) and others hastened to the defense. Mr. Marsh declared hotly that General McClernand had never been guilty of unsoldierly conduct, and the history of the transaction would show that he had not been removed by General Grant for that reason.

"Didn't General Grant remove him for causes which he deemed proper?" persisted Mr. Waugh.

"I do not desire to impugn the character of General Grant," replied Mr. Marsh, sharply, "but I desire to say that his action in this case was a mistake."

"What reason did General Grant assign?" interrupted Mr. Cox (dem., Tenn.). "Was it not because he was too quick at Vicksburg?" The discussion was prolonged for more than two hours, and was marked by several sensational scenes, one of which was the hissing of Mr. Jones when he said that the widow of General John A. Logan, who receives a pension of $2,000 a year, was living in social luxury in this city and annually spent more than her pension money for flowers displayed by her at her social functions.

Later on, when he proclaimed his pride in the confederate cause that had gone down in defeat, the republicans in chorus shouted, "We have no doubt of it!" but in the galleries many of the spectators applauded vigorously. Mr. Springer was finally forced to withdraw the bill. But even after the bill had been withdrawn, Mr. Champ Clark (dem., Mo.) got the floor, and, in a characteristic speech, scored Mr. Jones roundly, as he said, on behalf of his democratic colleagues of the north. He began by saying that the democratic party presented a dissolving view and would soon be lost to sight, though to memory dear.

After appealing to Mr. Jones to allow this meritorious bill to go through, he turned to him and said impressively that the democrats of the north were sick and tired of having their southern party associates come to congress and stab their party in the back. "We are through with you," Mr. Clark concluded.

Dissatisfied Steel Workers.

Pittsburg, Jan. 12.—The employes of the Carnegie Steel company's Homestead works seem to be dissatisfied with the new scale of wages that went into effect on January 1, which makes quite a reduction in the wages of many of them compared with last year's rate. Circulars were distributed in Homestead calling upon all steel workers to attend a meeting to be held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. While these circulars do not state the purpose of the meeting, it is well understood by people informed on the subject, that the object of the meeting is to protest against the new scale now in effect in the Homestead mill.

A Workman Attempts Murder.

Wyandotte, Mich., Jan. 12.—R. S. Ewer of Detroit, vice-president and manager of the Michigan Alkali company, whose works are located here, was shot at while driving to the works from the depot, by a discharged employe named Watson. Watson fired twice at Mr. Ewer, neither of which took effect. It is believed that Watson's mind is unbalanced.

A Battle Imminent.

London, Jan. 12.—The Rome correspondent of the Central News says the city has been greatly excited by an official dispatch from Massowah that Gen. Baratieri, with the Italian force, is near Ras Mangascia, with the Mahdists but a short distance off. A river separates the hostile armies. The dispatch says that a battle is imminent.

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MISSIONARIES IN CHINA.

An American Clergyman Says They Are Treated Nicely.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 12.—A letter received in this city from Rev. W. F. Walker, D. D., a former Indiana M. E. clergyman now at Tien-Tsin, China, dated Dec. 3, says there is no danger at that point for the missionaries who are there "The people are very quiet," he says, "and treat us nicely. Our chapel is open five days of every week. The Japanese claimed they would be in Pekin, Nov. 30, but it looks as if they ever do get there they will not reach us before spring.

"The Chinese are in a bad way because they have no disciplined troops and no disciplined generals. It seems not to be generally understood that in all battles up to this time there has been but little more than half as many Chinese soldiers engaged as Japanese; so of course they have been beaten. This is because the Chinese generals are all equal and cannot agree to do anything together. Each general has his own plans and while one may be advancing another is retreating and they are so envious and jealous that when one gets into an engagement the others will stand by and let him fight it out himself. In any event the war will prove to be a much needed lesson for China."

TAYLOR'S DEFALCATION.

Other South Dakota State Officers Implicated.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 12.—The Taylor defalcation now threatens to involve some of the other state officials and there are rumors of revelations to be made which will show a condition little less shocking than the treasurer's defalcation.

It is understood that another official having the custody of very large sums of state money was concerned with Taylor in the beginning of the trouble and that he had misused the funds in an equally illegitimate manner. The officials are now investigating the matter and they expect within a day or two to make important disclosures. The legislature has appointed a committee to make a thorough investigation and it is likely that a condition of rottenness will be discovered which will shake the state as even the story of Taylor's downfall has not done.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 12.—Ex-Treasurer Taylor, of South Dakota, was under arrest here yesterday, but was released, as the officers here could hear nothing from the South Dakota officials.

PRIESTS FIGHT A DUEL.

One of Them Fatally Wounded—The Other in Prison.

Paila, Mex., Jan. 12.—News comes from Parras of a duel with knives between two Catholic priests. Parras has two parishes, one administered to by Father Brioneu and the other by Father Floris. Jealousies have for a long time existed between the two priests over the religious duties. A few days ago they met and fought with knives. Brioneu is dying, and Floris has been arrested and is in prison.

Piling Up the Deficit.

Washington, Jan. 12.—A treasury statement issued yesterday shows that the expenditures so far this month exceed the receipts by $6,213,743, which makes the deficiency for the fiscal year to date $33,778,204. Of the total receipts so far this month $7,297,244 was from customs, $3,017,947 from internal revenue, and $569,111 from miscellaneous sources. The total receipts since June 30 are $170,273,760, and the disbursements $204,051,968.

Swindler Solomon Held.

Williamantic, Conn., Jan. 12.—Emil Solomon, the swindling Odd Fellow, was brought to this city yesterday from Waterbury and pleaded guilty to swindling the local lodge out of $5 and also admitted other similar swindling operations. Justice Meloney held him for trial in the superior court under $300. Solomon was very penitent and claimed that his swindling acts were done to procure food for his wife and five children.

Gov. Waite in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—A committee representing the populists received ex-Gov. Waite at the Union depot when he arrived from Denver and escorted him to the Great Northern hotel. Mr. Waite said he wanted to see the man who could poll the largest vote nominated for the presidency by the populists, and if he was their choice he would do all in his power to be elected. He will lecture here to-night.

Reading's Earnings.

Philadelphia, Jan. 12.—The annual statement of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad company for the fiscal year ending Nov. 30, 1894, shows gross receipts from traffic, $20,344,775.02; gross expenses $11,273,989.05; leaving earnings from traffic $9,065,785.97. To this is added $505,632.40 profit from other sources and thus showing gross earnings $9,571,418.43.

Big Gold Strike.

Crede, Col., Jan. 12.—A big gold strike was made yesterday in the New York and Chance mines at this place. Heretofore the mine has been a rich silver producer and has enriched the owners several thousand dollars and now has developed into a gold producer.

The First Free School.

Dedham, Mass., Jan. 12.—The citizens of Dedham celebrated in Memorial hall with great eclat last night the 250th anniversary of the establishment within its limits of a free public school, which school, it is claimed, was the first one established in the world.

Dined with the President.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Joseph Jefferson the veteran actor with Mr. Francis Wilson, who is now playing an engagement at the New National theatre, in this city, were the guests of President Cleveland at a luncheon at the executive mansion yesterday.

Gen. Alfred W. Ellet Dead.

Washington, Jan. 12.—A telegram announcing the death of Gen. Alfred W. Ellet at Eldorado, Kan., has been received by his niece, Mrs. W. J. Cabell. Gen. Ellet commanded the Mississippi marine brigade during the war under Sherman and Grant.

Local Weather Forecast.

Fair; colder; westerly winds.

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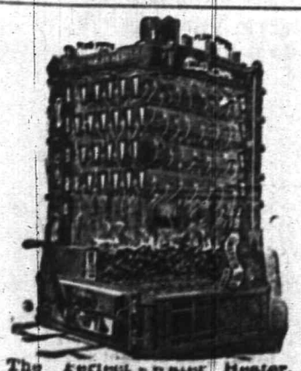

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Lesson For the Week Beginning Jan. 13. The Altar the Topic.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Ex. xxx, 1, 10; Rev. viii, 3.

This small altar of acacia wood covered with plates of gold stood in the holy place of the tabernacle and afterward a similar one in the temple at Jerusalem. Behind it hung the veil which concealed the most holy place, containing the chest of the covenant, with tables of stone inscribed with the ten commands, covered with the mercy seat of gold, where that mysterious Shedimah fire shone, while above were spread the wings of cherubim. In the same apartment with the gold altar were the candelabra and the table of memorial bread. No sacrifices were ever offered on this altar. It was designed for the burning of incense at the time of offering the morning and evening sacrifice on the great altar of brass which stood before the door of the tent or temple. Once a year only did blood touch it, when on the day of atonement the high priest, dipping his finger in the blood held in a golden bowl, touched the pinnacles at the corners, and passing behind the curtain sprinkled some before the mercy seat. The incense offered in golden censers placed on this altar was a special compound which no one was allowed to make for private use. It was sprinkled on coals taken from the altar of sacrifice and placed in the censer. The perfumed clouds of smoke filled the air while the people worshiped. All is typical of the prayers of God's people. The Psalmist prayed, "Let my prayer be set forth before Thee as incense." In Revelation, John sees the angel adding to the prayers of the saints much incense, which may signify the merits and intercession of the Saviour. The lesson taught is that the devotions of God's people are continually to be offered to Him from clean hearts, and though the mercy seat be hidden it is near, and the blood of the offering which cleanses the altar of incense is sprinkled also where God's presence abides in his most holy place.

Charity With Discrimination.

Generosity is too much a matter of impulse with the many rather than the results of conviction and careful thought. A pathetic appeal awakens sudden sympathy and secures a generous gift in too many cases where the applicant is unworthy and the donation an injury to him. To give charity so as to relieve need and not develop the pauper spirit in the one helped and pride in the giver is as necessary as it is difficult. Many persons conscientiously never refuse an appeal for food, fearing that if they should deny such a request they might cause one to suffer hunger. Yet there is no surer method of fostering the tramp danger than this unhesitating and indiscriminate feeding of the idle. There are worse things than hunger. To so lose one's manhood and womanhood as to desire to live without labor and be fed by the work of others is destitution of spirit, compared with which hunger and cold are slight evils. The real need is some one to "lift up" and teach them to "look up."

That Bugle Blast.

Much was spoken and written during the past summer and autumn of the special need of the Missionary society and the Thanksgiving day service and offering in its behalf. In some quarters considerable enthusiasm was developed, and many of the chapters responded nobly to the bugle call for half a dollar per member in aid of this interest. Probably there never was a more critical time in the history of this most important benevolent society of the Methodist Episcopal church. The response to the special appeal for funds to keep the work on its present basis at least and respond so far as possible to urgent calls for advance was both hearty and generous. More valuable than the money contributed by the League was the interest aroused in mission work, the increase of understanding of methods, needs and results and the quickening of the spiritual interest of the people in the evangelization of the world.

International Conference.

It will be a notable body which will gather for this convention next June at Chattanooga. Representatives of young Methodism from all continents and the far islands of the sea will be present. The arrangements will be in charge of a general committee composed of three members from each of the three largest Methodist bodies in America, the Methodist Episcopal church, the Methodist Church of Canada and the Methodist Episcopal Church South. C. E. Piper, R. R. Doherty and Secretary E. A. Schell are the members elected by the board of control to represent the Methodist Episcopal church. It means much that the sacrament of holy communion is to have an appropriate place in the order of service.

Convention Courtesies.

City and district unions in several places have been formed where all the young people's societies—endeavor, league, unions, etc.—of all the various churches participate. This is often a good thing. Whatever promotes acquaintance, sociability, mutual helpfulness toward higher ideals and more practical efficiency in the work is to be welcomed. Though regimental organization may still be essential, there is no reason why brigade, division and army corps formation cannot also be adopted with advantage.

Worth Remembering.

It is not until we have passed through the furnace that we are made to know how much dross was in our composition.—Bacon.

When a man doesn't believe what he says he does, he persecutes the man who contradicts him. When he does believe it, he sits quiet.—Wendell Phillips.

We mount to heaven mostly on the ruins of our cherished schemes, finding our failures were successes.—Alcott.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 13. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Soul hunger and soul food.—Ps. lxxxiv, 1-12.

In this psalm the psalmist pours out the longing of his soul for the communion of the sanctuary and points out the blessedness of those who dwell therein. He says, "My soul longeth—yea, even fainteth—for the courts of the Lord; my heart and my flesh cry out for the living God."

This is only an expression of a universal feeling possessed by mankind. Men the world over have soul hunger. Their hearts and their flesh cry out for the living God. There is indelibly stamped upon the heart of man the belief in a supreme Being above and beyond himself, and there is an earnest longing in every soul to come into the proper relation to this Being. This is evidenced by the fact that all nations have believed in a God and have had some way by which they thought they could approach their God.

This soul hunger is an evidence that there must be such a Being. If not, whence came this universal belief in God, and this universal longing after God, and this universal attempt to worship God in some way? We can only explain it in one way, and that is that there must be a God that meets this idea and want. To perform its work in life the eye must have rays of light, and we have the rays of light; the ear must have waves of sound, and we have sound waves. The human soul craves and demands a supreme Being over and above it, and is it possible that while the eyes have light and the ears sound there is nothing to satisfy this intense craving of the human soul for God? Such a thing is not possible. There must be something to satisfy this need and want of the highest and noblest part of man's nature.

And there is something, and that something is Jesus Christ, the bread of life, of whom, if we eat, we shall never hunger, and of whom, if we drink, we shall never thirst. There is a God to satisfy this longing of the soul, and Christ, the Son of God, points us to Him. We may not understand just how Christ satisfies this soul hunger, but this should not worry us. We do not know just how and just when bread becomes life to the body, and yet we know it and eat it. So we know Christ can satisfy this soul hunger; that He is the only true soul food, and therefore we should "taste and see that He is good," for He Himself has said: "I am the living bread, which came down from heaven. If any man eat of this bread, he shall live forever" (John vi, 51).

Bible Readings.—Ps. xlii, 1, 2; lxiii, 1; lxxiii, 26; cxix, 20; cxxxvii, 5, 6; Isa. lv, 1, 3; lxv, 13; Math. v, 6; Mark viii, 37; Luke xxiv, 13-27; John iv, 14; vi, 35; vii, 37; Rev. xxi, 6; xxii, 17.

Home Missions and Christian Endeavor.

In the report of the executive committee of the American Missionary association mention is made in several places of the work of Congregational Christian Endeavorers in connection with home missions. In the work of the Congregationalists with the poor people of the mountains of eastern Tennessee and Kentucky a large portion of the time and strength has been spent in systematic Christian Endeavor work. Many societies have been established, and great good will be accomplished, as these societies will doubtless develop the possibilities of their neighborhood until a church is the result.

Many Christian Endeavor societies have been organized by the Indians who have gone out from the Indian schools under the control of the Congregationalists, and in this work the Indians are exceedingly zealous. The committee also makes grateful acknowledgment of the notable increase in the contributions of Congregational Endeavorers to home missionary work and declares that the spread of these societies in the various departments of that work is a mark and means of great progress.—Golden Rule

Under Heaven's Captaincy.

Are not all true men that live or that ever lived soldiers of the same army, enlisted under heaven's captaincy, to do battle against the same enemy, the empire of Darkness and Wrong? Why should we misknow one another, fight not against the enemy, but against ourselves, from mere difference of uniforms?—Carlyle.

A Beautiful Day.

"I want to do as Jesus would do
If he lived at our house today
With mother and father and brother Will,"
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From rising to setting of sun
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What more could the maiden have done?
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Christian Endeavor Notes.

The Christian Endeavor society is left handed and right handed, but never behind hand.—Dr. Rondthaler.

Sixteen members of one York Junior society united with the church in a single month.

Christian Endeavor is the common denominator of all denominations.—Rev. E. Talmadge Root.

"One hundred new societies this year." Pennsylvania's motto has been more than realized, for the 12 months show an increase of 1,118 societies. The total membership of Christian Endeavor in Pennsylvania is now 132,282, 24,718 of whom are Juniors.

The Delaware secretary reports 61 societies, 4,000 members, 20 Junior societies, 450 members, an increase of 33⅓ per cent in the former and 500 per cent in the latter over the preceding year.

A good theme for the Endeavor prayer meeting is, "The Exemplary Endeavor." In some societies the discussion of this subject will bring to light a difference of opinion among the active members.

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"For years I only ate one slice of bread in one day, and drank one or two cups of tea, which was all I could eat, and I sometimes suffered from that.

"I was about as bad a used up man as ever lived for a long time, and I expected to die anytime; but thanks to Dr. Greene's wonderful medicine, I am greatly improved

"Now all my bloat is gone, and I am as well of that as ever. My rheumatism is practically gone, and my stomach is sound and digests my food perfectly, and I sleep soundly. The doctor who treated me did me no good, and he said I would not live six months I was in such bad order. Other doctors said it was the most remarkable case they had ever known, to have me come up the way I did My case is widely known.

"I can recommend Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy as the best medicine I ever saw or heard of, and I will cheerfully answer any inquiries about my case, but for seven years I could not write my name I was so trembly."

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

THE WEATHER.

For Tomorrow: Fair and Decidedly Colder, with a Cold Wave; Westerly Winds.

Charging the Lines at Fort Hindman.

On Jan. 11, 1863, the Union army of the Mississippi, led by General John A. McClernand, carried the works at Arkansas Post (Fort Hindman) by storm. McClernand's forces outnumbered the garrison, and the work was easily surrounded by the army and navy. After a bombardment of half an hour from the gunboats and land batteries the infantry charged upon the rifle pits protecting the flanks of the fort. The brunt of the struggle fell to Thayer's Iowa brigade and Hovey and Burbridge's mixed commands. Hovey and Thayer charged through a heavy fire of musketry and artillery to within rifle range of the main parapet. The bombardment had silenced all but one of the guns in the works, but the commandant, General Churchill, resolved to hold out with his 5,000 infantry.

A final assault was made at 3:15 p. m. Burbridge's men dashed across the open marshes in full range of the enemy's bullets to the intrenchments. The garrison ceased firing, white flags appeared on the parapets, and Burbridge demanded surrender. Churchill accused his men of treachery, but consented to a truce, which ended in surrender.

The heaviest regimental loss in the battle fell upon the Twenty-sixth Iowa. The colonel, eight of his officers and 108 soldiers, were shot down.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

A handsome and valuable souvenir, representing faithfully the wealth and beauty of Plainfield, will soon be issed from the office of The Daily Press. Work on this book, "Plainfield, N. J., Illustrated", has been in careful and steady progress, and is now nearing completion It will add substantially to Plainfield's glory; and its foreign circulation, already largely provided for, will bring material profit to Plainfield interests.

The letters of Mr. Tetterman and Col Ainsworth in this issue are important additions to the controversy which was started in these columns as a result of the complete publication therein of the speech of Judge Wilbere in this city. The reply to "American" loses none of its strength by being late, and on the contrary is the more convincing because it proceeds from such careful investigation. Aside from the issue at stake, the correspondence gives additional proof of the widespread circulation and national high regard enjoyed by The Daily Press, which is respected everywhere for being a newspaper whose columns are open to all the people without fear or favor

—The Junior Christian Endeavor society of Trinity Reformed Church will hold a sociable next Friday evening.

—The Park Club members should not fail to attend the delightful entertainment to be given in the club-house tonight.

—Wednesday evening Jan. 16, the C. Y. M. L. Bowlers will try conclusions with the T. A. B's on the Montgomery alleys in Newark.

—Friday evening the P. B. C. will try to defeat the Y. M. C. L. A. bowlers in the Journal League tournament on the Trade Temple alleys.

—White is a hustler. He is making a lightning change, and already has a portion of his new store in shape and will throw it open to the public tonight.

—W. C. Smith, the mason and builder of North Plainfield, has commenced the erection of two houses on Watchung avenue. The contract has been given to Utzinger & Kline for the carpenter work.

—Those in need of the services of an auctioneer should call on H. Hand, whose experience and ability to make a good sale are widely known. He receives orders at Terrill & Cole's, 200 West Second street.

—Mark Sullivan, the artistic, refined comedian and dancer, is one of the leading features with the new musical farce comedy, "A Baggage Check", which appears in Music Hall next Wednesday evening, Jan. 16.

—The last of the Week of Prayer services of the Congregational Church was held last night. The special music consisted of a solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought", by Miss Amy Green, and the hymn, "Coming Home Tonight" by Horace J. Martin, the congregation joining in the chorus.

Change of Firm.

Thorpe & Ivins today signed papers dissolving partnership. Mr. Thorpe retires. The name of the new firm will be D. C. Ivins & Co. Capt. Ostrom is the Co. Mr. Thorpe is being urged to engage in Y. M. C. A. work, for which he has proved his fitness.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Official Announcements for Worship in Plainfield Tomorrow.

[Matter intended for this department must be supplied fresh every week, not later than 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion.]

Y. M. C. A. Building—4:15 p. m. meeting conducted by A. C. LaBoyteaux.

St. Joseph's Church—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3, and Vespers at 8 p. m.

St. Mary's Church—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; Vespers, 8 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Morning prayer and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.

St. Peter's German Lutheran Church—Services, 10 a.m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday-school, 9 a. m.; Rev. Ed Klonka, pastor.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Preaching, 10:30 a. m., by pastor; 7:45 p. m., preaching by the pastor.

Grace M. E. Church—Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. unday-school, 2:30; Epworth League service, 7 p. m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor. Preaching by the pastor, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school, 2:30. Prayer-meetings at 10 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service, 10:30. Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m. Devotional and Gospel service, stereopticon and special singing, 7:45 p. m.

W. C. T. U.—Consecration meetings 9 a. m., at the rooms, Watchung avenue and Fourth street. Gospel service, 4:15 p. m. at Music Hall, when Mrs. Whittemore of New York will speak.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; evening prayer, 4:30. Free stages from station at 10:30.

Park Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Theme, "Evidences of Fatherly Love". Evening, 7:30, "Fatherly Love Rejected". Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church—Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerker, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by pastor. Evening, 7:30, Mrs. Whittemore of New York will speak of her work in that city. Sunday-school and Bible classes, 2:30 p. m.

First M. E. Church—Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes, pastor. 10:30 a. m., Lord's Supper and reception of members; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League prayer meeting; 7:30 p. m., preaching and revival service.

Grace Church—Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector. Early Celebration of Holy Communion, 7:30; morning prayer and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening service, 7:45. Rev. E. H. Cleveland of Ridgewood will officiate.

Church of the Redeemer, Protestant Episcopal—Rev. Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, rector. Morning service, 11:15; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening service, 4:30. The sermon in the evening will be on "The opening of the eyes of one born blind".

All Souls Church—Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. with preaching by Rev. Chas. H. Eaton, D. D., of the Church of the Divine Paternity, New York, will preach. Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m. Evening service discontinued until further notice.

Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church Fourth and Liberty streets.—Rev. T. A. V. Henry, pastor. Quarterly meeting, Lovefeast, 10 a. m.; Preaching, 11 a. m. and 3 p. m., Rev. W. W. Dyett, P. E.; Lord's Supper, 3:30 p. m.; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; preaching by pastor, 7:45 p. m., theme, "The Prodigal Son Returning Home".

First Presbyterian Church—Morning, Prelude—Meditation, Capocci; Anthem—"God that Madest", Shelley; Offertory—"O pray for the peace of Jerusalem", Smallwood; Postlude—Allegro Moderato in D, Smart; Evening, Prelude—Evening Rest, Loeschorn; Canon in A, Salorne; Anthem—"O Lord thou art my God", Buck; Offertory—Selected; Postlude—Grand Choeur, MacMaster.

East Side Free Library.

A free public library will be opened in the East Third Street Mission Tuesday evening, at which time a choice programme of vocal and instrumental music will be furnished. There will also be an address by Superintendent L. W. Randolph, and a collation will be served to all present.

A committee from the Christian Endeavor Society of First Baptist Church, consisting of G. H. Batchelor, U. B. Crane and Robert Barnes will have charge of the work and see that someone is present every evening to welcome all that come. There will be a special effort made to provide good wholesome reading matter, and such that will interest mechanics. The Plainfield daily papers and a few of the best New York dailies will be placed there every day. A cordial welcome is extended to everybody to attend the rooms. It will be opened every day and evening.

A Wanderer Killed.

Passengers on a Jersey Central train from New York yesterday afternoon were startled to see the body of a man whirling through the air near the Singer Works. The train had struck the man, who was walking on the track. He proved to be a wanderer of the name of Donato Demeo. The body, when picked up, was terribly crushed.

—Mrs. Whittemore will talk in Reform Hall tonight, in Music Hall tomorrow

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly: they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
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I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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SCHAGHTICOKE, N. Y.—It is ignorance rather than anything else that makes life miserable, but ignorance of the value of Dr David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy does not exist in Schaghticoke today, as a blood medicine and nerve tonic it stands supreme. One of the principal reasons for its popularity comes from the great benefit our fellow townsman, Andrew Sipperley derived from its use. Mr. Sipperley has suffered for years past with a chronic kidney trouble, frequent bilious attack, and, at intervals with violent neuralgia in the head and face. Up to last fall he rarely knew a well day. At that time his wife who had learned of the good of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy had accomplished, determined to have him use it In writing about his sickness, Mr. Sipperley said.

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Three Wayfarers Struck.

Three Catholic Poles from Elizabethport, tramping along the Hudson River Railroad tracks at Riverdale last night, returning from a vain search for work in the ice harvest, were overtaken by a train and struck down. Two of them were killed and the third was fatally injured.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

George P. Dupee's infant son is slowly recovering from the grip.

Lewis G. Timpson, after an attack of grip is able to attend his office today.

Miss Harriet Loomis of New York is visiting Miss Morse of Frankin place.

J. P. Emmons has broken ground for a new house on Duer street, near Greenbrook road.

Miss May Mulford of East Fifth street has for several days been confined to the house by illness.

James Kingan of New York will be the guest of Mrs. Beveridge of West Seventh street over Sunday.

Thomas J. Hughes of East Second street is quite ill with the grip. Dr. Boone is attending him.

Miss Nora Rockwell of East Front street is confined to her home with a severe attack of the grip.

L Cole of 78 Duer street returned yesterday from White House, where he has been for a week visiting friends.

Lewis J. Coombs and Wm. F. Trust attended the session of the Elizabeth Lodge of Elks last evening and were very pleasantly entertained.

George Steiner, who has been living with the Craig boys on their ranch in Texas for several years, returned to his home in North Plainfield today and surprised his friends.

—Minnie Lester and Company conclude their Music Hall engagement tonight with the play "Jack Sheppard". The house will be packed.

—W. J. Buttfield has acquired from the Emmons Bros. the Washington Park tract which The Press recently said was sold to the Emmonses, and the improvements will proceed as already stated.

Richmond, Ky., Jan. 12.—William Taylor, the negro who assassinated Squire David G. Doty, December 7, 1894, was hanged here yesterday. His neck was broken. Before the trap was sprung he confessed his crime, in a fifteen minutes' speech stating that whiskey caused it.

Cuban Cigarmakers Strike.

New York, Jan. 12.—Strikes of Cuban cigarmakers took place in several cigar factories against a reduction of wages and the introduction of mould work. The present rates for hand work range between $18 and $42 per 1,000 cigars, according to the quality.

Widest Ever Rolled

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EVANGELIST WRIGHT ILL.

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News was received today that Evangelist Wright's visit to Plainfield is deferred. He was to begin evangelistic services in the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow night, but has been seized with a slight hemorrhage necessitating rest. He hopes to come to Plainfield at the end of next week.

New Officers Raised Up.

Last evening District Deputy Westlake of Elizabeth and his staff raised up the newly elected officers of Miantonomah, a full list of whom has previously appeared in The Press.

After Deputy Westlake has performed the ceremonies, the retiring Sachem, Joseph E. Wyckoff, was presented with a beautiful Past Sachem's regalia. Mr. Wyckoff in his usual happy manner thanked his friends and brothers who had so nobly stood by him during his term of office and expressed his appreciation of the elegant regalia which adorned his manly figure for the first time last night. Visiting brothers offered interesting remarks and a collation followed.

—The sale of the Frazee property yesterday was adjourned for one week.

—The Marshall P. Wilder entertainment Tuesday evening will afford a chance of rare enjoyment to Plainfielders.

—The paper to be read by Rev. G. Kennedy Newell before the ministers next Monday has been wrongly announced by another paper. The correct title is "Municipal Outdoor Relief".

WOMAN'S TRIALS.

SOME LIGHT ON THE SUBJECT.

So Many Suffer Without Knowing Why. Much Can Be Avoided.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

So many feel the very life crushed out of them, wake up cheerful and happy, determined to do so much before the day ends, and yet:

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DEATHS

NO EXTRA CHARGE—Notices under this head will be repeated in The Weekly Constitutionalist without extra cost.

CLARKE—In this city, Jan. 11, 1895, Rebecca, wife of Thomas Clarke.

Funeral services, 130 North avenue, Monday afternoon, Jan. 14, at 3 o'clock and 3.30 from Grace P. E. Church, Seventh street. 3

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In prescribing Paine's celery compound for a patient the other day a Plainfield physician, who is a specialist in nervous difficulties, declared that there were thousands of such women who were literally killing themselves by too rapid movements.

"They are not satisfied," said he, "with going about doing things in a quiet, ordinary way but rush, through with their work and ruin their health as fast as they can. So firmly fixed is this habit that they run up and down stairs when there is no need for hurry.

"They not only rush but hurry, and between these two, subject their nervous systems to more wear and tear than anything short of wrought steel could endure."

Whatever the cause, our women, our young girls and even business men are rapidly growing more and more nervous. Prof. Phelps, the great Dartmouth scientist, saw this alarming state of things and concentrated all his energy to remedying it. It was from the formula of this eminent student and thinker that Paine's celery compound was prepared.

Its success in restoring nerve strength and building up the worn out body repaid the years of study and investigation that Prof. Phelps conscientiously devoted to the diseases of the stomach and the kidneys, the result of impure blood and impoverished nerves. The astonishing results that have come from its careful use have been the subject of discussion in all the prominent newspaper and magazines in this country, Canada and throughout Great Britain.

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WANT AND PRIVATION

Hocking Valley Mine Workers Starving.

Once Prosperous Villages Now in Need of Aid—Suggestions That Permanent Relief Stations Be Provided—Gov. McKinley Will Be Appealed To for Help.

Columbus, O., Jan. 12.—The disclosures of the destitute condition of the miners in and about Nelsonville, made first by the United Press last Thursday morning, may have the effect of measures being taken to establish permanent relief stations.

Many plans have already been suggested looking to that end and precedents are pointed to for the purpose of providing the feasibility of the plans suggested.

Operators freely admit that they lose at least five cents on every ton of coal shipped out of the Hocking Valley, and for this they blame the excessive freight rates, the miners and the Pennsylvania operators.

Just how this deplorable condition of affairs is to be remedied cannot be foretold, but some definite action will probably be taken at the annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America which will convene here on Feb. 12.

The suggestion which seems to meet with most approval, however, and which is most generally discussed, and especially among the miners, is the co-operative scheme which has been adopted by the Shawnee miners. It is generally conceded that the co-operative system on the terms the Shawnee miners have adopted bodes evil for the miners in the Pittsburg district, but at present the Hocking Valley miners seem to be looking out only for themselves, and to do that successfully they have a big job on their hands. The circumstances which brought about the present condition of affairs—the disregard of the Pennsylvania operators of the differential of nine cents—are almost wholly ignored, and when the question is asked why the miners do not accept a reduction and thus enable the Hocking Valley operators to operate their mines and compete with Pennsylvania in the lake trade, many of the operators answer by saying it is too late to think of that now as all the big contracts for the year have been made, and none of them came to the Hocking Valley.

Another statement which is unhesitatingly made is that even if the miners were willing to go into the mines for 40 cents a ton, no more could be used than is being mined at present at 60 cents. They claim that the competitive field is entirely closed to them.

There is no material difference between th condition of affairs existing in the Hocking Valley and those in the Sunday Creek Valley. In the latter all the mines are practically idle—only a few miners being at work—and a mass meeting has been called at Gloucester to-day for the purpose of formulating plans to relieve the needy. While the destitution in the Hocking Valley has absorbed the attention of the general public the conditions in the case of the Sunday Creek Valley have been ignored probably because they were not generally known. If possible the privations in this valley exceed in severity those in the Hocking Valley especially in the Buckingham district, where the greatest suffering seems to exist and where scenes of destitution are almost indescribable and also incredible. A committee will be appointed and sent to Columbus to ask the governor for aid, and Glouster will be made the distributing point.

At Corning, a large meeting of business men, miners and other laborers was held yesterday to make a united appeal to the governor for aid. At this meeting Mr. Coleman, president of the Miners' union at Nelsonville, said:

"The condition is deplorable, and hundreds of men, women and children are on the verge of starvation. The miners demand labor in preference to charity and they petitioned the operators for a division of even the half loaf, but were refused."

Proper steps were taken for securing relief.

The vicinity of Jacksonville, a year ago was a prosperous district, but now a majority of the people are starving.

Gov. McKinley late last night received a telegram from Attorney Coultrap of McArthur, Vinton county, who had been requested to ascertain the extent of suffering among miners in the Hocking Valley.

Mr. Coultrap stated that he had been unable to ascertain the full extent of the destitution, but he had learned enough to warrant the sending of another carload of shoes, clothing and provisions into the valley at once. This will be sent to-day.

A gentleman who arrived here from the destitute district says he made a pretty extensive tour of the district and that the published accounts have not been exaggerated. He says in many families there was not a shoe in the house, and hardly enough clothing to cover nakedness.

Will Not Remove Headquarters.

New York, Jan. 12.—Vice-President Baldwin, of the Southern railway, says that the reports that the headquarters of the company were to be removed from Knoxville to Atlanta were untrue. The company will, however, make some additions to its shops in Atlanta and will establish a big storehouse there for the distribution of supplies.

Champion De Oro Beaten.

New York, Jan. 12.—Alfredo De Oro, the champion of the world at continuous pool, was defeated badly last night in a match of 200 points up, with Grant Eby of Springfield, O. The score was 200 to 95. Eby winning in faultless style. De Oro was in bad form.

Treasurer of the L. N. F. of A.

New York, Jan. 12.—John D. Crimmins was elected treasurer of the Irish National Federation of America, to succeed the late Eugene Kelly, at a special meeting of the trustees and officers at the residence of Dr. Emmet last Monday.

IN THE TRADE WORLD

Prospects for the Near Future Fairly Good.

Weather Conditions in the East Interfere with Business—Production of Iron and Steel in Excess of Demand—Favorable Showing in the Prices of Staples.

New York, Jan. 12.—Bradstreet's in a review of the state of trade says: The second week of the new year brings few reports of an increasing volume of orders for seasonable goods. Weather conditions in the east have been unfavorable, those west and south the reverse.

Chicago, St. Louis, Boston, New York and Philadelphia report relatively great improvement, with increased orders for dry goods, clothing, rubbers, shoes, hardware and woolen dress goods. At some centers it is too early to judge of the outlook for trade. Travelers in many instances have not all gone out. Western furniture manufacturers are stocking up, which has had an influence on the hardware trade, and western dealers in iron and steel expect increased orders by February 1. Production of iron and steel is going on in excess of demand, but manufacturers expect that necessary repairs, renewals and additions to plants by railroad companies, car manufacturers and other industrial enterprises will have a stimulating influence in the near future.

A feature among jobbers in Philadelphia and Boston has been the extent to which sales of dry goods and shoes have been pushed. Prints and ginghams have been opened and new orders are freely received. Foreign woolen dress goods are active, going to all parts of the country. Not a few orders are already received. This has had a quieting effect on demand for domestic dress woolens. Woolen mills, while fairly busy on first orders, are in the market for wool only to cover contracts.

On the Pacific coast trade at most larger cities is quiet. At San Francisco almost constant rains have intensified dullness, and the certainty of a large crop of wheat depresses quotations for that cereal. At Portland, Ore., merchants announce an improvement in business, due to a revival in demand from the interior.

Total bank clearings throughout the United States for six business days ended with January 10, amount to $1,039,000,000, an increase of 9.4 per cent over the total for the previous week in January, 1894. When compared with the corresponding week in the panic year 1893, four months before the panic appeared, the past week's total shows a decrease of 24 per cent., and contrasted with the like total in 1892, a falling off of 26 per cent. This comparatively favorable showing is reinforced by the course of prices of staples, as quotations for hides have been working higher, while those for wheat, Indian corn, pork, lard, coffee, cotton, and plate glass have all been marked up. Prices for shoes, leather, coal, lumber, naval stores, rice, sugar, tobacco, and live cattle have been held firmly. Cruder forms of iron and steel are no lower, but are weak. Neither is wool lower, but it is flat at the lowest quotation known, while prices for oats and for live hogs have declined. There are 405 business failures reported throughout the United States this week, compared with 373 last week, 484 in the week a year ago, 301 two years ago and 379 three years ago.

DIRTY STREETS THE CAUSE.

Prevalence of Grip in New York Attributed To Their Condition.

New York, Jan. 12.—Health Commissioner Dr. Cyrus Edson, said that he considered the prevalence of grip to the filthy condition of the streets and tenements.

"If these conditions continue," he said, "and the temperature rises above sixty degrees as it frequently does in January, why the result will be disastrous. I don't mean to attribute the original presence of grip to dirty streets; the disease exists all over the country. But the filthy condition of things is largely responsible for the manner in which it is spreading."

Say Their Dismissals Were Unjust.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Three of the discharged employes of the New York city postoffice have complained to the civil service commission that their dismissals were unjust and was done without cause. They claim to have been efficient and faithful clerks but do not assign political reasons for their discharges. The civil service commission has forwarded their complaints to the first assistant postmaster general for consideration.

Gave the Bank People a Scare.

Kansas City, Kan., Jan. 12.—There was consternation in the Kansas State bank yesterday when August Elisner, an avowed anarchist, pulled three pieces of bar iron from his pocket and threw them through the plate glass windows from the sidewalk in front of the bank. The bars were mistaken for dynamite. At the police station Elisner said he sought that method to get arrested for shelter and food.

"Founder's Day" at Cornell.

Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 12.—"Founder's Day" was celebrated at Cornell university yesterday. The principal event in the exercises attending the observance of the day was an address by Charles A. Dana of the New York Sun. The exercises were held in the armory before an audience of 2,000 people.

Defaulter Carter Serving His Time.

New York, Jan. 12.—Edward C. Carter, the defaulting cashier of the Bank of Commerce who was Thursday sentenced to six years and one month in the Kings county penitentiary, was taken from Ludlow street jail yesterday to begin his term in the penitentiary.

Wind and Snow Create Havoc.

Naples, Jan. 12.—A violent wind and snow storm swept over Foggia, on the great plain of Apulia, yesterday. Six houses collapsed. Eight persons were killed and many others were injured.

FIGHTING INCOME TAX

Senator Hill Assails It in a Long Speech.

Supported in the Main by Mr. Sherman—Senator Quay's Motion to Postpone Further Consideration Defeated—Court of Claims Bills Discussed in the House.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The debate in the senate on the subject of the income tax occupied the better part of five hours. Most of that time was used by Mr. Hill (dem., N. Y.) in advocacy of the amendment offered by him, the preceding day, giving courts of the United States jurisdiction to hear and determine suits to test the constitutionality and validity of the tax. He assailed the tax as unequal, ununiform, and unjust, and expressed his conviction that the senate would agree with him that the provision as it now stood was unconstitutional, unwieldy and unworkable, and that it ought not to be inflicted on the tax payers, the executive officer, or congress.

Mr. Sherman (rep., O.) said that, in the main, he agreed with the senator in regard to the tax; but he held that a refusal by the senate to appropriate money to carry it out would tend to overthrow the principles on which the government is established, and would be particularly wrong in regard to a revenue which the senate had no power to originate.

Speeches were also made by Mr. Dubois (rep., Ida.), Mr. Quay (rep., Pa.) and Mr. Mitchell (rep., Ore.)

A motion by Mr. Quay to postpone the further consideration of the bill and amendment till the first Monday in February received one vote, (his own) in its favor, and 43 against it. A point of order was made against the Hill amendment, (that it was general legislation on a general appropriation bill) and was sustained by the presiding officer (Mr. Faulkner, (dem., W. Va.) An appeal from this ruling was taken by Mr. Hill, and at that stage of the proceedings, the whole matter went over until to-day. Two financial bills were introduced, one by Mr. Vest (dem., Mo.), to substitute for the treasury notes and gold and silver certificates, notes of equal amount payable "in gold and silver coin of the United States" and one by Mr. McPherson (dem., N. J.), authorizing the issue and sale of bonds. The senate at 5:20 adjourned until to-day.

House Proceedings.

Under the rules of the house the day was private bill day, and three hours were spent in an unavailing consideration, in committee of the whole, of a bill that enjoyed the attention of the body on the day last devoted to the *private calendar in July, 1894. It was* for the payment of $13,000 for stores and supplies from a loyal Tennesseean in the war, as adjudged by the court of claims. The bill elicited a discussion of the general policy of congress with respect of these bills and Mr. Boatner (dem., La.,) said that if it was the intention to pay none of them, the sooner that fact was known the better it would be for the peace of mind of the representatives from the southern states.

Mr. Cockrell (dem., Tex.) said he had no request to make of the conquerers on account of claim advanced by men who estblished their loyalty to the government thirty years after the war ended.

Mr. Dockery (dem., Mo.) said hat for himself, he would repeal the Bowman and Tucker acts; abolish the committee on war claims and declare the war closed.

No action was had upon the bill. Upon recommendation of the committee of the whole the house laid on the table the bill to remit to the contractors for building the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius the penalties imposed for delay in her construction.

Under unanimous consent a number of important bills were passed.

Mr. Dingley's substitute for the bill reported by the committee on merchant marine and fisheries,, relating to the appointment and duties of shipping commissioners was passed; also the committee's bill increasing from $100 to $1,000 a day the penalty for the violation of the law for the protection of the salmon fisheries for Alaska, and directing the appointment of inspectors to see that the law is enforced.

Moonshiner and Officer Killed.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 12.—A special from Walhalla, S. C., says: Robert Moore, a revenue officer and Robert T. Thrift, a moonshiner, shot and killed each other. Thrift was arrested last night by Moore for running an illicit distillery and was being taken to Walhalla to be placed in jail. Thrift tried to escape by shooting Moore, who returned the fire. Each shot struck a vital part, and both men died in a few minutes.

Prominent Railroad Man Dead.

Detroit, Jan. 12.—E. J. Pierce, one of the most widely known and poular railroad men in the country, died at his residence here from a complication of diseases after an illness of two months. Mr. Pierce was 53 years old. For thirty years he has been connected with the Grand Trunk Railway company, and for the past twenty years he has acted as city ticket agent at this point.

A Delaware Murderer Respited.

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 12.—Michael Faino, who in October last, was sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Carlo Ruva, on April 20, 1893, has been respited by Governor Reynolds for 55 years. Faino was to have been executed on January 25.

Shoe Workers' Strike.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 12.—Two weeks have passed since the great shoe workers strike commenced, and, so far as any indication of surrender of the manufacturers to the demand of the strikers is concerned, the end is as far off as ever.

Reducing Treasury Gold.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The treasury lost in gold withdrawals Thursday and yesterday $3,625,000 reducing the treasury gold reserve to $77,343,409, at the close of business yesterday.

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8.24 p m—SOUTHWESTERN EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping car, daily, to Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, and Memphis Dining car Altoona to Richmond

8 42 p. m.—PACIFIC EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, daily, for Pittsburg, Columbus, Chicago and Toledo, daily, except Saturday for Cleveland.

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For Baltimore only 1 37 p. m., week-days

For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 24, 5 45, 6 17, 6 45, 7 07, 7 20, 7 40, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 32, 9 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 51, 10 20, 10 38, 10 46, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 13, 1 38, 1, 1 56, 224, 2 40, 3 45, 3 57, 4 47, 4 44, 5 1 , 5 36, 5 45, 6 06, 6 27, 6 45, 8 08, 7 07, 7 20 7 39, 9 1 , 9 10, 9 50, 10 08 11 03 and 11 58 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 36, 1 48, 2 33, 2 48, 3 45, 4 45 5 36, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 26, 7 56, 8 30 9 15, 10 16, and 11 46 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 01, 5 37, 7 10, 9 06, 9 36, 11 43, a. m., 1 06, 1 37, 3 33, 5 06, 6 36 7 06, 8 47 9 29 p. m. Sundays at 1 00, 8 37, 9 06, 9 36, 10 43 a. m., 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 p. m.

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For Rahway—1, 3 43 daily ex. Monday, 6 06, 6 44, 7 10, 7 59, 8 54, 9 46, 9 50, 10 39, 11 43 a. m., 12 46, 1 18 1 37, 2 48 3 20, 3 29, 3 59, 4 38, 4 53, 5 20, 5 40, 6 06 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 46, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 46, 8 14 9 55, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1, 1 43, 6 30, 7 43, 9 49, 10 29 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 2 47, 3 29, 4 50, 5 20, 5 40 7 21, 7 27, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 06 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 1 06, 1 37, 2 48, 3 59, 4 38, 5 06, 5 40, 6 06, 6 46, 7 46, 9 09 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 06, 9 36 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 39 a. m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 39, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27, Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 55, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 01, 5 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 06, 9 36, 11 43 A. M., 1 06, 1 37, 2 48, 5 06, 6 36, 7 46, 9 49, 9 29 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 19, 9 06 9 36 10 43 A. M., 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 6 36 p. m., and 5 40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m, 4 38, 5 06 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 06 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 19 5 44 p. m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 9 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 10, 11 00 P. M., 12 15 night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 56, 7 26, 7 50, 8, 8 45 9 23, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 04, 5 54, 7 02, 8 30, 10 17 11 30 P. M. Sunday, 9 01, 9 52, 10 06, 11 20, A. M 12 30, 1 45, 3 50, 5 05, 7 11, 8 29, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 30, 9 06, 10 01, 11 35 A. M., 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 50, 5 05, 6 05, 6 40, 8 04, 8 56, 9 30, 9 50, 10 06, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 45, 9 55, 11 35 A. M., 1 10, 3 00, 6 10, 8 40, 7 30, 9 30, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 9 16, 9 56, 11 a.m., 12 05, 2 00, 2 22, 3 45, 4 30, 5 05, 5 14, 5 54, 6 04, 6 19, 6 35, 7 12 38 8 21, 10 36, 11 22 P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—8 45, 9 38 9 54, A. M., 3 00, 3 30, 5 14, 6 55, 10 16, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 35, 7 55, 8 45, 9 20, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 57, 1 45, 3 05, 3 25, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 6 25, 6 55, 8 17, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 35, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 05, 9 05 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 9 16, 9 56, A. M., 12 45, 2 05, 5 14, 6 55, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 38 A. M., 2 05, 6 55, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A. M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 38 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 00, P. M

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m, 5 05 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 56 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 05 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 P. M., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

6 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

8 10 P. M. for Flemington.

6 55 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 29 a.m. Sundays for Easton.

2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5.55 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 8, 10 27, a. m 1 18, 3 51, 6 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.,

For Perth Amboy, 9 37, 8 52, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 6 50, 8 54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 8, 10 27 a. m., 1 18 3 51, 6 50 p.m.

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For Trenton 6 45, 8 44, 9 45*, 10 45, a. m., 12 45, 2 09*, 5 56*, 6 21, 9 37* p.m., 12 night. Sundays—6 45, 9 45, a. m., 2 09*, 5 14* 6 45 p. m. 12 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19, a m. 3 40, 6 19, 9 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—8 54, 7 55, 12 19 p m, 3 55, 6 19, 6 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 58, 9 06, 10 26, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 29*, 5 54, 9 08 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16*, 4 32 6 45*, 9 08 p. m.

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CHAPTER II—CONTINUED

For before the duke died, after he had refused the friendship of the emperor and had confronted his hostility, and had returned with his wife and child and the people of his court to the old residence on the Atlantic shores, it was with fortunes sadly impoverished by the reckless expenditure with which he had promoted the legitimist issues while relying on success and ultimate repayment. During the duke's subsequent illness innumerable wrongs were done his estates, winked at by authority, and never reported to the central powers. Undertakings into which the duke had allowed himself to be drawn, in the fever of adventure belonging to the era, came to nothing—perhaps at an imperial frown. Banking houses failed, factors retained funds, government seized here, landslides destroyed vineyards there; and in the time of the first seclusion of the duchess, after her widowhood, robberies right and left, public and private, dispossessed her of vast resources. When she attempted to look into matters for herself, she was little wiser than before; but she discovered that she must dismiss her ladies and the gentlemen of her household and live as she understood lesser nobles, or even quite plain people, lived. Her one faithful friend remained with her, her adviser and the boy's tutor. That he was a physician of note she thought fortunate, for the boy's sake; she did not know of how much note, sent for and consulted with by the greatest. She never knew the sacrifice of station and income he made by remaining with her. But it was necessary, even had it been contrary to his inclination, for M. Etienne was also to some extent a man of affairs, and even the little that was left had been rescued by him. The greater part of the chateau was closed, to go slowly to decay. What did she and her boy want more than few rooms and simple fare? With only the servants that were indispensable and in ways she knew as a girl at home with her father she took up life again, at once too proud and too humiliated to expose her condition to old friends—one by one those old friends, themselves in grief or seclusion, or exiled with one or the other of the unacknowledged kings to whom they gave allegiance, disappearing from the face of the earth.

But none the less was she a duchess of the Sarazines Beauxlieux. None the less was her son the duke. And apart from her absorbing love as his mother, she had an adoring veneration for him as the last of the Sarazines Beauxlieux.

"You will remember," she said to the child, holding his hand as she sat beside his bed at night—she had not been able to delegate this delight even when service was abundant, and formality triumphant, although she half feared it was a survival of that peasant strain in her again. "You will not forget, Beauxlieux, even in your sleep you will not forget who you are."

"How is i tthat I can forget?" asked the child. "Do not all children remember themselves?"

"All children!" said the mother. "There is only one Beauxlieux! And it is that which you must recall. All that it means, all that the Beauxlieux have been since the beginning of the world."

"Were we there then?"

The question gave her pause. "The strongest, the bravest, the best, came early to their own, Beauxlieux," she said then. "And in that, it signifies to you that in your veins flows the last best drop of their blood, and you can never be anything but as strong, as brave, as best, as they."

"Well, mamma, it is that I will try," said the child dreamily, and contentedly folding both little hands over hers, as he fell asleep.

"You will not try," she said. "You will *be*."

At another time, after she had seen him conduct himself too masterfully

"I AM NOT A KING, MOTHER."

towards two little lads he had come across in the forest, she reminded him that he was not the Duke des Sarazines Beauxlieux for his own pleasure. "It would be an injustice on the part of Heaven," she said, as they sat in the firelight, "if a king were a king for his own happiness. He is a king because he is fit to rule, because he can care for his subjects better than they can care for themselves, because he is great and generous, and the good God trusts to him the lives and happiness and honor of his people. A great trust, Beauxlieux, a vast responsibility."

"I am not a king, mamma."

"No? But you are a duke, a leader."

"Then, my mother," said Beauxlieux, "although they may not be my people, yet there are Jean and Pierre—and there are my books and M. Etienne—if they shared with me."

"In your instruction? I do not know," said the duchess, retreating into her fortress of haughtiness. "I will think of it. Still they are two souls—to let in the light on them—I will speak of it with monsieur."

And thus through confiscation and wrong and ruin the duchess kept the idea of greatness, and moved with a dignity becoming it.

And let come what privation would the Beauxlieux diamonds remained in her possession. If anyone in the outside world thought of them at all, it was supposed they had gone with the rest of the vast properties. But they reposed still in their cases within the iron strong box, in a secret place of her own apartments. And every few years, on the evening of some birthday of the young duke, she opened their receptacle and saw the great live things shining at her, and they seemed to her the embodiment and expression of all the old and rightful Beauxlieux splendor.

The poor duchess had no new dresses; but her faithful Olympe kept her clothed from the almost boundless resources of her former wardrobe, according to the rumor of the modes that reached them. And she would have some garment put on, the shimmer of whose luster was softened by the cobwebs of the ancient lace belonging to the ladies of Beauxlieux, and with the largest of the diamonds around her throat and on her hair, would sail down the grand staircase to the salon, where the young duke, and monsieur, his tutor, awaited her, as resplendent, as stately, as beautiful as a goddess. At least so it seemed not only to Jean and Pierre, who, according to Beauxlieux' request, and on monsieur's advice, had been admitted to share the young duke's studies, Pierre's eyes opening as if the riches of the earth suddenly blazed upon him, but Jean feeling as if a queen of Heaven were no lovelier or no more fittingly adorned, but to her son also who felt, in her presence, scarcely the need of Heaven, and to M. Etienne who never, by so much as a glance, said what he felt.

CHAPTER III

Life went on then at the chateau in a still and peaceful manner, and, living only like a gentlewoman of most restricted means, perhaps the duchess did not really know how happy she was. Frequently M. Etienne went away for a brief while to Bordeaux, to London, to Paris and back, sometimes to assist at an operation, sometimes on consultation. The poor duchess, who had once only to express a wish and it seemed as if the forces of nature fell in line to grant it, did not know that practically the greater part of the money spent in the household was that brought home by M. Etienne, and after those journeys—M. Etienne, who could have commanded fortunes had he not chosen rather to remain the protector of her and of her child. Seldom anything broke the tranquil monotony. Once Beauxlieux was nearly drowned, and the joy of his revival was more than joy could have been at the restoration of power and wealth. Once Jean broke his leg and the monsieur set it, and the duchess tended him, the little fair-haired fellow with his appealing face, as if he had been her own, and he loved them as a dog might love them, or rather as a slave who had still the memory of his own tribe and cabins. As for little Pierre, nothing ever happened to him; he kept himself out of every trouble; he was always brought in innocent from every scrape; you might suspect him, but you could never bring the mischief home to him. Victorine, the half niece of Olympe, who had been brought to the chateau at the wish of madame, when the child's parents died, was Pierre's able abettor; and many a time did Jean suffer in silence a reprimand for the fault of those two impish things. But Victorine was very pretty and little and tender, and if Pierre could connect her with his misdemeanors, he knew he was safe from betrayal from Beauxlieux and from Jean. The duchess liked to see Victorine's pretty youth and brightness about her, thinking of no possible consequences, and had her taught by Olympe to rip and sew and dress hair; and then, in the motherliness of her nature, and because there were no daughters of neighboring seigneurs, as in old times, to be taught the fine arts of home, she would have her an hour or two a day with herself in the morning, leading her into the mysteries of lacemaking and embroidery, of water-color painting, reading history and poems, greatly to Olympe's ill-concealed joy. Sometimes Duchesse des Sarazines Beauxlieux smiled to herself, a little bitterly, to think that the niece of her serving-woman, and the children of a charcoal burner and of a fisherman should be the half of her household.

But while her son grew and increased in stature and strength and in all the finer and nobler aspects of his being, the duchess asked no more. Under M. Etienne's care his scholarship was all that could be wished; and in the matter of physical accomplishment the tall, lithe stripling fenced and boxed and rode and shot with the best; and his mother thought with fond pride how well he would take his place and part when he should be called to it.

Occasionally now the monsieur took Beauxlieux with him on his journeys to Paris or elsewhere, and his mother was satisfied that he should first see the world, and perhaps what is called life, with M. Etienne beside him. They made no use of his title, however, then. "It would be absurd," said Beauxlieux, "without a sou, so to say, in one's pocket." But he was aware that that was something not to dwell on before the duchess. When he came home he had much to relate to her, and much to tell Jean and Pierre. On one occasion M. Etienne had taken him, as if he were his assistant, to a grand house, where a famous surgeon had requested the monsieur's help, and where Beauxlieux had at first been dazzled by wealth and then dazed with wonder. They had gone afterward in haste across Austria, on another occasion for M. Etienne's services, to a half savage Roumanian prince, where, owing to his incognito, Beauxlieux saw much of the life beneath the barbaric splendor, the Parisian surgeon leaving the case with M. Etienne, so that for several weeks Beauxlieux, among conditions of life of which he had had no conception, found himself, unaware, in his leisure as M. Etienne's superfluous attendant, studying them, getting a close interest in the people of the forest, on the mountain, in the cabins clustered in the midst of the vast farms. "It is right," said M. Etienne, when he spoke to him of his observations and his wonder, "that your grace should know what goes on in the world, how the greater part of our fellow creatures live and suffer. For it may some day be the part of the Duke des Sarazines Beauxlieux to bring them relief."

When the patient in his care could be left, M. Etienne took Beauxlieux with him farther east, and he was approaching his twenty-first year when he returned, a traveled man, to the old chateau.

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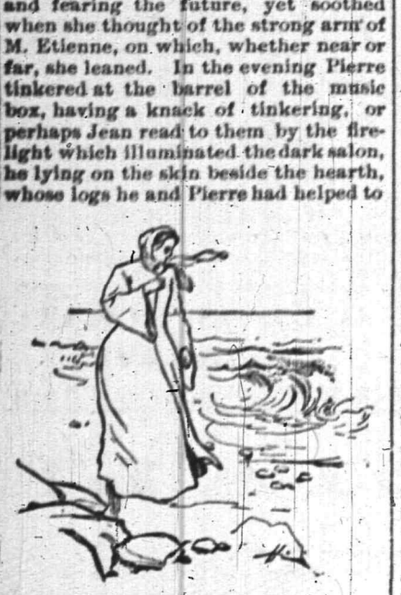
CHAPTER III—CONTINUED.

The days were long to the duchess while her son and the monsieur were away. She busied herself and Victorine at their embroidery, at their books. She walked beside the sea in the latter part of the day, a slight, swift figure wrapped in a long cloak, looking over the gray and melancholy waste, restless herself as those dreamy waters were—longing for her boy, distrusting and fearing the future, yet soothed when she thought of the strong arm of M. Etienne, on which, whether near or far, she leaned. In the evening Pierre tinkered at the barrel of the music box, having a knack of tinkering, or perhaps Jean read to them by the firelight which illuminated the dark salon, he lying on the skin beside the hearth, whose logs he and Pierre had helped to



SHE WALKED BESIDE THE SEA IN THE LATER PART OF THE DAY.

bring in from the forest, or reading, not by any means the news of the day—madame would have none of that now—more frequently old romances of derring-doe.

When Beauxlieux came home with the story of his adventures it was Pierre's eyes that opened at the mention of palaces and great houses, and he demanded even more particulars than had struck Beauxlieux' sight. It was Jean who asked about the people upholding the structure of the great households on their shoulders. Jean himself had been away on foot, more than once now—no one knew where. But even the duchess had seen the light on his face sometimes when coming back.

"I shall have a dwelling such as one of those," said Pierre. "I shall house my wife in a palace. I go to Paris to make my fortune."

"You like then this rotten splendor," cried the deep voice of Beauxlieux, from the shadow where he sat by the duchess on the other side of the wide hearth. "Alas! It is only the scum on a sea of filth and iniquity. That laughter of the people who float over it—I hear through it only the groan of the people who produce it!"

"I shall not search too deeply," said Pierre. "One man cannot reform the world. Let me take the best of it while it is going—money, jewels, houses, horses—"

"And you call that the best? Money wrung out of sweat? Idle glitter of jewels while others have scarcely rags? Houses that are gilded seraglios, while there are men and women sleeping on wattles of straw"—

"It will not be my fault," said Pierre, "that they sleep on straw. Pshaw! When I am rich I shall not keep it all to myself. I shall take pleasure in giving—"

"He has read of Alnaschar," said Jean.

"In giving!" cried Beauxlieux. "There is no giving! It is theirs! It is their labor, their lives, their deprivation, their want, their suffering, that made all this money; no matter how you come by it. It is theirs! You can give them nothing. You can only restore in part."

"What puzzles me," said Jean, "is how these others can think that they love the good God, and, knowing that He loves all men, be willing to wrong any man. No, no, when I recollect the story of Jesus, that He died for men, I have felt myself unwilling to accept the sacrifice. I have felt that I, too, must surrender myself, if not to die, then to live for men. Never for myself, only for them."

"Oh, Jean!" cried Beauxlieux, clasping his hand. "And I shall live with you!"

"I suppose Jean is going to be a priest?" said the pretty Victorine, with a little insolent shrug.

"Not of any church, Victorine," said Jean. "I shall not need to be blessed of the apostolic succession in order to carry hope into dungeons."

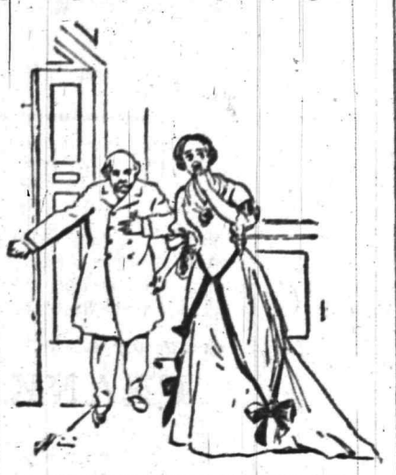
"Oh, you make me cold at the heart of me!" cried Victorine.

Beauxlieux had now set himself seriously at work to learn the profession in which M. Etienne was so accomplished. He was not one under any circumstances to be idle. His mother had not wished this study, however; she would have him wait, even if it were in poverty, preserving his nobility, till the government should give him his own again. But the hated empire had fallen, and it had been replaced by the even more hated republic. That had not signified greatly to her; it was never "France" to her, it was always "My son." But now even Henry V. was dead. "There is no more hope," M. Etienne had declared. "Let his grace do as he will." And it was M. Etienne who found the means for Beauxlieux to go to Paris and finish his undertaking. His mother had some dim idea that all things were open to him as his father's son, as the last of his exalted name; she had no idea whatever that the name now was remembered only as a matter of history, nor that in Paris the young duke was known simply as Beauxlieux, a student of promise from a southwestern department.

It was on his twenty-first birthday that his mother formally made over to him his possessions. He was a little sad about it—not that the chateau was a ruin, the forest so thin, the fields so few and bare, but that his mother should break her heart over these affairs. For himself, he was full of strength and hope, and nothing mattered since he was well and was alive, since he had M. Etienne and Jean; since, above all, he had his mother.

His mother, not yet in her fortieth year, was still beautiful, her hair black as the raven's wing, her dark clear skin as smooth as a girl's, her eyes glowing as the midnight stars, her smile heartwarming. As she stood in the warm light, for Olympe had candles in every sconce, wearing that pale primrose satin of more than twenty years ago, covered now with black lace of a far greater age, almost wrapped in the glow of the Beauxlieux diamonds, as in a cloud of brightness, preserving all the sweet and stately grace of her first youth, she was still a sight to make a man's heart tremble. She seemed to beam and sparkle as she walked, her every movement shedding a stream of light; and Jean himself did not find it possible to envy her in his heart that night the possession of the diamonds, that they might be sold and their price given to the poor. As for her, it would as soon have occurred to her to sell herself as those stones, which were a part of the insignia of the family magnificence.

She put off the air of gentle melancholy which she usually wore, but which was a remnant of old manner rather than an indication of present feeling, and made them gay with her gayety. She talked with Jean of Beauxlieux, her son, and his future, with M. Etienne of his great cases, with Pierre of his hopes—Pierre had had a year in Paris now. She danced with Beauxlieux to tunes of the music box. She even danced down the long room with M. Etienne, once, but no more, a sort of shiver making her fall on the cushions of the bench in the big window there, and she closed the evening by singing at the piano, which Jean kept in tune, a little chanson, that was as proper to her voice as fragrance is to the rose. When she embraced her son, and bade them all good-night, and swept through the



AND SWEPT THROUGH THE DOOR.

door that M. Etienne held open for her, they felt as if after all in her grace and majesty there were the traits of a divine right to power, that something like a superior being had been with them.

And later, as she sat under Olympe's hands, the pretty Victorine taking the jewels as they were unclasped, the duchess thought, with a sort of sacred joy, of the time when she should give these jewels to Beauxlieux' wife—an Orleans princess, it might be; who knew? That family had the wealth required, but the Sarazines Beauxlieux name and blood was the older and the nobler. And she smiled unconsciously and sweetly on the girl whose forwardness had of late needed repression, and had made the duchess doubt her wisdom in taking the three low-born children into her life, through pity for Beauxlieux' solitude at a time when the safety of what was left to them lay in being forgotten. And taking from her jewel box a thread of gold holding a heart of pearls, she hung it on the girl's neck, so that no one might fail of happiness on the day that Beauxlieux, even though it were but fanciful vision, with no tangible reality, came to his rights as the first peer of France.

CHAPTER IV.

Beauxlieux was walking late that night on the stone terrace flooded with moonlight. On one side the sea, not far away, swelled like the curve of some silver shield and cast its own luster back upon the sky and filled the night with the soft music of its murmur. On the other side he saw the old chateau, covered with vines, full of deep-set shadows.

"Voyez vous pendre au flanc de la colline
Ces murs, ces tours, cette vaste ruine?"

he repeated as he walked.

"Aux temps passes une bruyante cour
Retentissait douce ce muet sejour,
Il fut peuple de heroes et de belles,
Il entendit aux nobles demoiselles,
Les chevaliers chanter des lois d'amour."

And just then he saw two shadows hurrying down the arcade of the long disused chapel cloister, disused, since, when she had reorganized her household on the basis of comparative poverty, the duchess had suffered the abbe to go, accepting in his stead the offices of the village priest. "Ah, well," Beauxlieux said, a gentle smile following the shadows, "the love of the noble demoiselle and the chevalier is no better worth than the love of Pierre and Victorine. And this may help to strike the balance with all that other, the loves, the luxury of that *bruyante cour*. Can it take less than the life time of centuries of Beauxlieux to restore to the people all of which that *bruyante cour*, and such as that, has robbed them?"

For he had already another point of view than that of his mother, who, believing it the duty of nobles to hold their people in charge and provide for their happiness, was confident that the Beauxlieux could never have done otherwise. And he went back to his thoughts, which were now full of somber feeling and now of joyous hope.

While at his studies in Paris Beauxlieux had penetrated the hidden side of life; he had seen sights that made him shudder again as he spoke of them to Jean. And in recalling these journeys with M. Etienne as far as the Caucasus, he forgot the palaces, the galeries, the lovely women, the stupendous fortifications, the grim soldiery, all he had seen, except the squalor, the crime, the poverty. He was going back to Paris now to finish his medical studies; he would write every day to Jean, he would see Pierre frequently enough—but Pierre's outlook on life was already totally at variance with his and Jean's. Moreover, Pierre meant to be a money maker; and their contention was to destroy money. "It is the first evil," he said, as he walked, looking across the lawn, that long ago had been filled in where once the moat gathered its waters, and, into the edge of the overgrown park, where a hare bounded across the open space. And suddenly something smote his vision like a blaze of glory and was gone again, shining, shapeless, a moonbeam cleaving the foam wreath of a cascade, an apparition of glittering mist, a white ghost of the old magnificences come back to look upon the scene with him. For a

"AND IT WAS WE WHO MADE THEM SO."

moment the thought flashed on him that it was some masquerading play of Victorine's, and then it had vanished so instantly, that it knew it for an illusion of his eyes, of his brain, tired with thinking and raring and sorrowing for sorrows he could not heal. And so he left the night and moonlight, and the cold unquiet sea, and went to his slumbers.

There had been a brief season of gayety in the first year after Beauxlieux' majority, when Pierre, who reported himself as doing finely, came home to marry Victorine, whose hand he had asked of the duchess, a wedding which took a great load off the mind of Olympe, since she knew the wiles of Victorine, and the charm of being Duchess des Sarazines Beauxlieux, even in a republic, where it might be little more than being a duchess of rag fair. She had not chanced to hear Pierre say to Victorine that night in the wood: "I will make you Duchess des Beaulieux yet!"

More than once in the two years' time, Beauxlieux had run down to the chateau for a sight of his mother, for a fresh trip with Jean, no one knew where, but from which he came back with an air, one could not declare were it more of sadness or of proud determination. "I have been eating black bread," he would say in answer to his mother's inquiry. "I have been among my brothers. There is so much to do. They have not only to be helped, they have first to be taught that they need the help. They are in the dark; they do not even grope; they do not know that there is any light. They suffer so. They are so patient. Some of them, my mother, seem like beasts of the field. And it is we who have made them so!" he cried, springing to his feet. "It is the weight of our splendor that has crushed them into earth."

"Our splendor!" said his mother, bitterly.

"The splendor," with a wild gesture, "that, thank God, is ours no more!"

"My child! Beauxlieux!"

"Sometimes," he said, "when I am with them, my heart swells as if it would burst. I feel the very singing of the poor blood in their veins. It would not be so poor had mine not been too rich! We have trodden them down so long, they have been so herded, so outraged, so cowed, so starved, their souls impoverished as their bodies—my God! We have lived on their labor, our wealth is their sweat, our thrones are planted on their slaughter! Often when I have seen the great carriages driven along the Bois, the high stepping horses in their golden harnesses, the women, rosy, round, their silks overflowing like petals of great flowers, the sight of them has made me tremble, I have felt the wheels of those carriages rolling through blood!"

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The Civil Service Commission at Washington has ordered that an examination be held in this city on Saturday, February 2 1895 commencing at 9 o'clock a. m., for the grades of clerk and carrier in the city postoffice. Only citizens of the United States can be examined. The age limitations are as follows: For carrier, not under 21 nor over 40; for all other positions not under 18 years. No application will be accepted for this examination unless filed with the undersigned in complete form, on the proper blanks, before the hour of closing business on January 28, 1895

The Civil Service Commission takes this opportunity of stating that these examinations are open to all reputable citizens who may desire to enter the postal service, with regard to their political affiliations. All such citizens, whether Democrats or Republicans, or neither, are invited to apply. They shall be examined, graded, and certified with entire impartiality, and wholly without regard to their political views or to any consideration save their efficiency, as shown by the grades they obtain in the examination.

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AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Concerning Dogs."

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Sec. 1. That section 2 and section 3 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Concerning Dogs," approved July 6, 1887, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council Dec. 28, 1894.

Approved by the Mayor Jan 3, 1895.

A. GILBERT, Mayor.

Attest—J. T. MacMurray, City Clerk.

THE DAILY PRESS

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A BRILLIANT SOCIAL.

THE PARK CLUB PROVIDE ENTERTAINMENT FOR THEMSELVES AND FRIENDS.

Miss Jackson and Mr. Conde's Symphony Orchestra Enthusiastically Received — Club Events in the Immediate Future.

The Park Club Saturday evening entertainment and social, than which no affair given by this lively organization has been more pleasing or successful, called together fully two hundred members and friends, who thoroughly enjoyed the literary and musical feast offered by Miss Addie Parker Jackson and P. Ludwig Conde's Young Men's Symphony Orchestra.

Counselor Charles A. Reed was master of ceremonies, and after a pleasant word of welcome announced a dramatic overture by the orchestra which was received with so hearty an encore that they were forced to respond with "The Musical Dream".

Miss Jackson was next introduced, and rendered "Home, Sweet Home", a serio-comic selection which gave full scope to the sweetly modulated voice and finished gesture of the fair artist, who was greeted at the close with round upon round of well merited applause, auricular evidence of the pleasure depicted on the smiling features of the assembly. Miss Jackson graciously responded with a dramatic rendition of "The Deed", which describes a stern visaged man who stands with keen-edged knife in upraised hand near his little children and steps forward to cut them two pieces—of bread. In this selection Miss Jackson also had ample chance to test her ability, and most enjoyably did she improve the opportunity, receiving as she closed a heartier ovation even than before. A Concert Gavotte was then given in a most excellent manner by the orchestra, which, bye-the-bye, consisted of Messrs. Davis, Mills and Lovell, first violin, Messrs. Hillman and MacKillop, second violin, Mr. Ferrer, 'cello, Mr. Serrell, flute, Mr. McGee, cornet, accompanied by Mr. Raynolds on the piano, not forgetting the genial Mr. Conde himself, who played and directed at the same time.

Counselor Reed's announcement that Miss Jackson would again favor was received with loud applause by the audience, and she recited "The Little Cupid", a happy combination of picnic, green trees, country lover, polished city chap, and pretty girl, before whom appears just at the proper moment the prattling, rosy-cheeked child of the party who innocently acts as Cupid's messenger.

To the encore which followed this pleasing effort, Miss Jackson responded with the laughable "Serenade", given by special request, nor was she allowed to take her seat until she had again favored with a humorous account of a young woman's ignorance of the French language, which caused her to turn her cherry lips toward her vis-a-vis and say "Billet doux"—"and William did".

As the laughter subsided, the orchestra rendered the beautiful "Egyptian Midnight Parade", which difficult selection was most excellently and artistically executed by the young men, who, in response to the generous and merited applause, gave a still more difficult march, which fittingly closed that part of the evening's entertainment, although the audience were anticipating a solo from the modest Mr. Conde.

The assembly broke up to gather round the tables in pursuance of Counselor Reed's suggestion, "To watch President McCutchen try to play billiards", which attempt, by the way, was a brilliant and almost invariably successful "trial"; to assemble at the alleys and watch the athletic ball-twirlers mow down the pins; to partake of the delicious coffee; or, standing in groups on the ball-room floor, to engage in pleasant chat for a moment before joining in the mazy dance which followed to the excellent piano music of William Runyon, who afterward sang for the happy party.

Throughout the evening that freedom from restraint which is one of the secrets of the great popularity of the Park Club socials, was everywhere remarked, member and guest alike going on the good old principle of having a good time.

On the bulletin is the whist game of next Saturday afternoon between the Parks and the Montgomerys of Jersey City, in the card rooms of the home club. The Parks have won three games and lost one, while the Montgomery Club hold a record of four straight victories, and it is confidently hoped that this game will result in a 4-1 score for both clubs. Every Tuesday evening is "whist night" at the club, and "Ladies nights" occur every other week. At the next "Ladies night" compass whist, which was so much enjoyed on a former occasion at the club, will again be introduced.

Among the bowling enthusiasts the game of next Thursday evening between the Parks and the Oritanis of Hackensack on the Hackensack alleys, is looked forward to with much interest.

Equally successful as entertainers, whist players, on the alleys, or the billiard tables, the popular and jolly Parks are indeed hard to beat.

A STAG SURPRISE.

Under-Sheriff Miller Receives a Distinguished Visitation, and Is Given Means to Make His Light Shine.

At his residence in Scotch Plains, Under-Sheriff L. W. Miller was completely surprised by being greeted on his return home about 8 Saturday evening.

Mrs. Miller, recollecting that day as being the bridegroom's birthday, quietly informed a few of his friends, in consequence of which Mr. Miller was detained by the Sheriff until the appointed hour.

Those present to greet and congratulate him were Sheriff Kyte, Freeholder F. W. Westcott, Mayor Abner P. Downer, Town Committeeman Wm. Terry, Assessor John Robison, Township Clerk Edward Hand and George Carter, who duly presented him with a magnificent parlor lamp, each in turn making an appropriate presentation speech. After the bounteous repast to which all were welcomed by Mrs. Miller, the gentlemen were left to their repast of reminiscences which were humorous and pathetic as the events of their long time acquaintanceship were launched forth. Each guest was the recipient of a beautifully decorated card as a memento of the happy occasion.

Mr. Miller, upon entering the house and being informed of the cause of the assemblage, quietly remarked, "Well! I remembered it, but I forgot it."

HYMENEAL.

Fairbairn—Stewart.

Wm. T. Kirk of Plainfield was best man at the marriage of Robert Ashley Fairbairn, formerly of this city, Saturday The bride was Miss Mary Frances Stewart, daughter of the late Robert Stewart, and the wedding took place in St. Andrew's Church, Fifth avenue and 127th street, New York. Rev. Dr. George R Van de Water and Rev. R. B. Fairbairn, of St. Stephen's College, were the officiating clergymen.

The bride, who wore a gown of white merolr silk, was given away by her brother-in-law, Edwin Fitch Raynor. Miss Edith Stewart was maid of honor. The bridemaids were Miss A. Fairbairn Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Miss Aline B Chaffee and Miss Caroline B. Hart.

The ushers were Messrs. C. K. Stewart, brother of the bride; J. Allan Worth, W. F. Daniels, Kingsly Martin, Dwight Platt and Fred Walz. There was no reception.

Dead Pictures in "A Baggage Check".

The laughable farce-comedy, "A Baggage Check", will be the attraction in Music Hall Wednesday night. The play contains many original ideas, with bright new music, catchy songs, and dances. The company is made up of well-known farce-comedy artists, principally among them the popular comedian, Mark Sullivan. Miss Sylvester Cornish, who lately has been singing contralto roles with the DeWolf Hopper Opera Company, is the prima donna. The balance of the cast contains clever people, who, with the author's many new ideas and funny situations, make up an excellent evening's entertainment, especially as there is a real novelty promised in the "Penier Family" in their marvelous presentation, "The Dead Pictures".

Midnight Fireworks.

At 1:12 yesterday morning the electric lights in The Daily Press office suddenly went out, and a loud report at the same moment prompted the base-ball editor to rush to the street in time to see a ball of fire playing between the broken ends of two wires which lay in the mud at the junction of Park and North avenues. Policeman Cooney stood guard over the wires to warn night owls, while Policeman Frederickson went to notify the engineer at the power station. The house circuit was immediately cut out, and a lineman despatched to clear the street of the dangerous wires.

Wind and rain had doubtless brought two wires together, causing a short circuit, which burned them through.

About 5:30 the damage was repaired, and the circuit again turned on.

The New Organist.

Frank J. Smith, the new organist of the Crescent Avenue Church, presided at the organ yesterday for the first time.

It was announced that Mr. Smith would form a chorus choir at once, meeting next Saturday afternoon to organize.

The choir which disbanded last year had the phenomenal record of a fifteen-year term of service, the leader during the entire period being Israel C. Pierson, and the solo soprano during nearly all the time was Mrs. J. Kirtland Myers.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

MAYOR GILBERT TALKS.

THE DAILY PRESS ASKS HIM ABOUT LOCAL MATTERS.

Recommends Vitrified Brick Pavement for the Business Streets—Gives His Views on Rapid Transit and Police Force.

Referring to the wisdom of adopting a more durable pavement for Plainfield's business streets, in a recent interview kindly granted by Mayor Gilbert to a Daily Press representative, His Honor read section 17 of the original city charter granted in 1869, which permitted the Common Council to raise, in addition to the amount necessary for the maintenance of the poor, a sum not to exceed $10 000 for all other municipal expenditures, which of course prevented any attention being given to the turnpikes other than grading and rolling them. In 1874, however, an amendment to the charter increased the tax to 40 cents on each $100 assessed valuation, in lieu of all other tax levied or contemplated, and it was soon after possible to expend a portion of the additional city capital toward improving the condition of the roads. The MacAdam system was introduced, and has been in use until the present time wherever paving has been done in the city. Though forming an excellent roadbed, wherever light vehicles only are used, experience has demonstrated that it is a most expensive form of pavement for our business streets, where the constant heavy trucking leaves it in frequent need of repair. Realizing that the tearing up of the streets incident to the completion of the new sewerage system would be a most propitious time to agitate the needed improvement in paving, His Honor has given much time and thought to the matter during the past year, making in many instances personal investigation as to the merits of the various systems in practical use in various municipalities throughout the country. Believing that the Belgian block system is beyond the means as well as the requirements of our city, he is strongly impressed with the practicability and comparative cheapness in cost of the vitrified brick system now used extensively and laid by Engineer F. A. Dunham in cities of the South and West, as well as many cities throughout New York State.

"A very conservative estimate places its life at forty years,"—said the Mayor—"while many practical engineers place its life at a much higher figure. It is not apt to chip nor crack, as is the Belgian block; will wear more evenly, does not glaze with frost as readily; is not affected by changes of temperature as is asphalt; and can be laid in our streets at the aproximate cost of $1 50 per running foot, which is a figure much below the estimate of certain other systems."

While mathematical calculation would demonstrate the fact that it would be ultimately more economical to bond the indebtedness incurred by doing a large amount of this work at once, it is not and has never been the policy of Plainfield citizens to run into debt for municipal improvements, and it is therefore deemed advisable by His Honor that the work, when begun, should be carried on as was the macadamizing, section by section, using as large a portion as practicable of the present appropriation (which must not exceed one half of one per cent. assessed valuation), annually set aside.

As the $11,990 71 expended on our streets during 1894 was almost entirely for repairs, it will readily be seen that our present system involves a great drain on the city's resources, and brings but little lasting benefit.

With regard to the police force, Mayor Gilbert emphasized the great and immediate need of our city that the force should be increased, as the present department, comprising but eight regulars (besides the Chief) and three specials, who, however, are doing regular duty, is entirely too small to protect properly a city so extensive in area as is Plainfield.

Two officers are on duty during the day, and nine at night, and, though it speaks well for the morals of the community when so small a force can do as efficient work as has been done in the past, yet the urgent necessity remains of immediately augmenting the department by the addition of at least five to the present list of the city's guardians.

Questioned as to the accommodations of the present station house, His Honor expressed the belief that the suggestions embodied in his recent message touching the subject, would receive attention in the near future. Touching on the subject of the proposed much-needed extension of our rapid-transit system, the Mayor stated that while several parties had, at various times, appeared in the interests of surface railroad corporations, No effort had as yet been made towards securing a franchise, and it would seem probable that its present holders are not more anxious in view of the possible fact that they might eventually merge their road into the proposed electric system which, if completed, will extend from New York to Philadelphia.

Notwithstanding these possibilities, concluded Mayor Gilbert, there is no question that an extension of our local system would be of great benefit to the city.

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Charles Maire spent Sunday in New York city.

One or two grip victims are residents of Dunellen.

The independent borough movement is being pushed.

Miss Mamie Voorhis is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. Cole of Phillipsburg is attending Mrs. Neal Taylor.

The skating on the pond at New Market is excellent today.

Mrs. A. V. Hart of Brooklyn is visiting friends in New Market.

Miss Carrie Fisher is very ill at her home with pneumonia.

Mrs. W. Hetfield and Mrs. A. E. Baldwin spent Friday in New York.

Miss May Gise was an object of especial admiration Sunday in a new wrap.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Day entertained out-of-town company Sunday.

Miss Maud Smith is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bennett.

H. H. Webb anticipates moving into Mrs. Stryker's house on Church street.

A new gun club was formed Saturday night. This makes three for Dunellen.

Miss Cora Robinson and Miss Sturgis are visiting Mrs. Sturgis of High street

Mr. Ball of George street delighted his children Saturday evening by bringing George W. Day, who has purchased The Call, will publish it as an independent paper.

The cold weather last night caused the congregations of the churches to be very light.

The Methodists will give Rev. W. C. Kinsey a donation visit at the parsonage Jan. 21.

Rev. Mr. Peterson occupied the pulpit in the Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening.

C. A. Meeker is contemplating putting in groceries in connection with his flour and feed business.

Rev. Frank Fletcher spent Sunday at Sing Sing, where he occupied the pulpit in the Baptist Church.

An entertainment is being rehearsed to be given under the auspices of the Foresters some time in February.

Bert Fletcher, who was severely injured in a game of football Christmas, is much better, and will soon be able to contest in another game.

Neal Taylor is the proud father of a young daughter. She is the very picture of her dad, and weighs just nine pounds Mother and child are doing nicely.

Elmer Giddis has left his position with E. A. Giddis of Bound Brook, where he was employed during the holiday season. from Brooklyn a very pretty coach dog. The animal is very neatly marked, and will be a good playmate for the little Balls.

Subscriptions for heat at the Presbyterian Church have come in fast. The cold weather yesterday was a gentle reminder to nearly everyone that heat is a very necessary article at the present time.

At the M. E. Church Sunday morning the following members were received on probation: Mrs. Christopher Huff, Mrs. William Shiveley, Mrs. Charles Tilden, Miss Mabel Lewis, Miss Nellie Brown, Miss Amy Case. Mrs. Edward Ayers was received in full membership, also Mrs. Mattis by letter.

The challenge to shoot live birds, which appeared in the columns of The Daily Press a few days ago above the names of T. W. Sisty and W. H. Carman, has been accepted by C. Lindzey and Chas. Giles. The shoot will take place Wednesday afternoon under Long Island rules. The live birds which are to be used have been secured. Much speculation is going on, and more than one dollar will change hands.

Active Temple Builders.

The Temple Builders of the First Baptist Church will have charge of the morning and evening services next Sunday, and have secured Rev. Dr. Moore of New York, who will preach in the morning on Home Missions and in the evening will give a lecture illustrated by stereopticon. Those who have heard Dr. Moore will be pleased at having the opportunity of hearing him again in Plainfield.

—The members of Grace M. E. Church will unite with the Front Street M. E Church each night this week except Wednesday, in the special services.

—An "Evening with Longfellow" will be held under the auspices of the Epworth League of Grace M. E. Church Friday night. All friends of the league are invited.

—Swift and stylish turnouts are supplied at short notice and at reasonable rates by the Metropolitan stables, 147-151 North avenue. Horses are also boarded, and given the best of care. Messrs. Blair and Day are experienced, courteous and reliable, and deserve liberal patronage.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

13 PRIZE-WINNERS.

PLAINFIELD'S TRAP-SHOOTING RECORDS OF THE YEAR.

Growth of the Sport in Popularity —Climax Gun Club to the Front.

The uninitiated have very little idea of the popularity of trap shooting in this county as a recreative pastime. In former years only large cities could boast of a gun club, but today there is hardly a village but what has a regularly organized club. It is safe to say there is more wealth among the fraternity, more capital invested, and more money spent annually by the sportsmen of America, than by any society that can be mentioned. The growth of the sport in the last few years, is phenomenal, and can be credited to the advent of the artifical target; these are discs, of a composition of clay and pitch, and are thrown from traps, thus taking the place of the living target, and as they can be thrown at a cost of a few cents they make an economical target.

Plainfield in former years held the honor of having, in the Middlesex Gun Club, the largest and most progressive gun club in America, and their tournaments did much to create a new interest in the sport that has been taken up all over the country. The Climax Gun Club is a worthy successor, and is fast coming to the front.

The tournament given here last Thursday and Friday was an evidence of the popularity of Plainfield among the trap shooting sportsmen. Over fifty notable marksmen from all over the country participated in the events of the meeting, notwithstanding that on the opening day a cold rain storm prevailed.

Among the crack shots present were: Rolla O Heicks of Dayton, Ohio, who holds the championship of artificial targets; J A R Elliot of Kansas City, America's live bird champion; O R Dickey of Boston, who is the recognized champion of New England; H G Wheeler of Marlborough and B Le Roy Woodward of Campello, Mass.; V D Kenerson and John T Mascroft of Worcester, Mass.; Bennett Bros., the famous pistol shots of Boston; W F Leadsley, the manufacturer of the famous Smokeless Wood Powder; W Fred Quimby, the distributor of the Empire target which is so universally used, and many others. That such an array of talent could be induced to attend, was extremely gratifying to the members of the Climax Club, and in the near future it is intended to give another tournament. The Climax Club hold regular monthly club competitions, the records of the members for the past year being given below. The great success of the club shoots is due to the fact that the weaker shooters are given liberal handicaps, which puts them on an equal footing with the cracks. The handicap used is known as the "Climax Handicap", and many gun clubs throughout the country have adopted it. At the first shoot of the new year which is to be held on Wednesday, the distribution of the prizes for 1894 will take place, and an election of officers. Those who have served for the past year, have been R. B. Manning, president; C. Smith, vice-president; D. H. Terry, secretary and treasurer.

The records of the year.

	Handicap	Targets shot at	Broke	Percentage	Points scored
Joseph Zegilo	8	316	276	70	45
W. C. Squires	5	300	235	78½	41
R. B. Manning	4	348	269	77½	40
V. Srode	10	315	211	67	34
D. H. Terry	2	324	263	81½	36
Wm. Terry	5	330	246	74½	36
"Scott"	3	308	244	75	28
C. Smith	0	250	216	86½	26
D. L. Darby	5	270	194	72	25
Thos. Brantingham	0	300	247	82½	24
J. L. Darby	8	330	205	62	21
W. "Williams"	4	280	200	71 2-5	23
James E. Goodwin	5	360	243	67½	20
P. "Jay"	4	232	160	69	17
T. H. Keller	0	200	165	81½	10
Aug. Trust	5	90	74	72 2-5	16
H. Campbell	3	112	100	89½	16

The first thirteen are prize-winners, as they have attended a majority of the shoots of the year. Several members who did not attend three shoots are not included in the above total.

The Local Cure.

Physical strength, cheerful spirits and the ability to enjoy life fully come only with a healthy body. The young man who suffers from nervous debility, insomnia, irritable temper, and the thousand and one derangements of the body, does not enjoy life as he ought. He feels tired, spiritless, and unfit for the work of life. To reach, reclaim and restore such to health and happiness is the aim of the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium, on the corner of East Front street and Watchung avenue.

—The Camera Club will hold an adjourned meeting tomorrow evening to elect officers.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FIRE IN SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Destruction of the Home of Murray Smith.

Murray W. Smith's pretty residence in South Plainfield is this morning a mass of smouldering ruins, nothing being saved from the wreck. The fire started at 1 this morning and was undoubtedly of incendiary origin as Mrs. Smith and the family have been absent on a visit for two weeks and Mr. Smith spent the night at the house of a friend. The fire was well under way when discovered, and little could be done but to confine it to the building in which it originated. The loss will approximate $4,000.

Great Work on the Alleys.

If anyone doubts for a moment that popular B. A. Hegeman, Jr., is a star of first magnitude at the bowling alleys, he should have seen the practice game on the Park Club alleys between Mr Hegeman and a well known athletic club member who "wears no moustache to deceive the eye", and who for obvious reasons shall be nameless.

The genial B. A. Jr., started at a gallop with two spares, and settling back in the harness at the quarter-pole rolled up eight strikes in quick succession never breaking once, and leading at the wire by one hundred pins. His score reached the comfortable total of 265, a record which is hard to beat.

Death of Michael Hurley.

The sad death of Michael, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hurley, occurred Saturday at the home of his parents in North Plainfield. For the past four years he had been studying for the priesthood and last summer when he returned from college he was not feeling very well, and did not go back in the Fall, thinking a rest would be beneficial.

Since that time his health had steadily declined until death relieved him of his suffering.

The funeral services will be held from his late home tomorrow morning at 8:30 and from St. Joseph's Church at 9:15. Father Miller will officiate. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

BY THE WAY.

—Important changes are made today in the time-tables of the Central and the Pennsylvania railroads.

—The members of the First Church of Christ are preparing to give an entertainment the last of this month.

—Sewer contractors are busily engaged in connecting the flush tank with the Woodland avenue end of the sewer pipe. It is thought that they will complete the work today.

—Joseph Blatz will soon break ground on the lot belonging to him adjoining the Arlington Hotel on Somerset street. Mr. Blatz's prospective house is to be completed by April 1.

—Marshal Pangborn of the borough has disposed of his 38-pound Century Columbia bicycle, and will appear on the borough streets in the Spring in all his glory in a new light Columbia.

—A prayer meeting will be held tonight at 8 in the Trinity Reformed Church, under the leadership of the Y. P. S. C. E. Tomorrow evening a meeting for men only will be held. Everybody is welcome.

—The appearance of the familiar Spring "to rent" signs again reminds Plainfield landlords of their annual hustle to get desirable tenants into their houses by April 1. There will be a great deal of moving this Spring.

—Early Sunday morning Edward White had a fire started in the furnace of his new store, and its smoke caused passers to suppose fire and send word to Chief Doane. The latter visited the place, and found his services were not needed.

—Following are preaching services at the Park Avenue Baptist Church Chapel, to which the public is invited: Monday evening, "What do you call your conversion?" Tuesday, "Do you understand?" Wednesday, "A perilous thing for anybody to do." Thursday, "The highest price."

—Westfield papers continue to laugh at Plainfield for burying thousands of dollars of pipe in the sewer trenches before providing an outlet and disposal plant so that the sewers can be put into service as fast as completed. Westfield is going ahead with her disposal plant and will then lay her pipes.

—Mrs. L. Cole, one of Plainfield's leading dressmakers, consenting to satisfy the wishes of her patrons, has leased a large room on the second floor of the Babcock Building, where she will soon be ready to receive orders and execute work in the most fashionable style and at prices to suit all.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

MAY HELP SILVER MEN

Senator Jones' New Financial Scheme.

Claimed That the President Will Give It His Sanction—All Notes Under $20 To Be Silver Certificates—Gold Men Properly Looked After—To Be Introduced To-Day.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Another financial scheme is to be presented to-day by Senator Jones. The senate and not the house is to be made the battle ground.

The proposed bill, it is said, gives what the gold standard men insist shall be given them, and gives the silver men, in a degree, at least, what they have been asking.

It is claimed that Mr. Jones has secured some assurances that the measure will have the sanction of the treasury department and of the president himself.

An increase of the use of silver is created in two sections which provide that all notes under the denomination of $20 shall be silver certificates. These sections will provide that no national bank notes shall be issued of a denomination less than $20, and all notes of national banks now outstanding, of a denomination less than $20 shall, as rapidly as possible, be taken up, redeemed and cancelled, and notes of $20 or higher denominations issued in their stead.

The secretary of the treasury will be authorized and directed out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds authorized, to cancel and destroy all greenbacks and treasury notes issued under the Sherman act of denominations less than $20, and to issue silver certificates in their stead, but not to a greater aggregate amount than the greenbacks and treasury notes and national bank notes, the withdrawal and cancellation of which are authorized; these silver certificates to be in denominations of $1, $2, $5, and $10, and to be payable in silver.

It is the intention under this proposed act that neither the treasury nor the national banks shall issue or keep in circulation any notes other than silver certificates of a less denomination than $20.

The secretary of the treasury is authorized, at the request of any holder of treasury notes or greenbacks, to issue in lieu thereof silver certificates for the same in certificates of a less denomination than $20.

The unlimited coinage of silver is provided for in a section which will read practically as follows:

The secretary of the treasury is authorized and directed to receive at any mint from any citizen of the United States silver bullion, the product of the mines of the United States, of standard weight, &c., and coin the same into standard silver dollars, and the seigniorage for the said coinage shall be the difference between the coinage value and the bullion value in London on the day of deposit, and the secretary of the treasury shall deliver to the owner of said bullion the silver dollars so coined, and the amount received from the seigniorage of said coinage shall be covered into the treasury.

THE DEFICIENCY BILL.

It May Be Disposed of During the Week.

Washington, Jan. 14. — It is confidentially expected here that the urgent deficiency bill be out of the way before the end of the week that opens in Congress to-day. There will be a number of speeches on the income tax from various republicans, but there will be no effort at undue delay nor will the republicans countenance filibustering. Despite the opposition of Mr. Quay, which has necessitated several roll calls, and the fight that Mr. Hill is making, as soon as the republicans have made the speeches arranged for, they will have a vote on the bill and will largely support the appropriation. Mr. Cockrell expects to see the vote taken by Wednesday, the bill will have at least fifty votes out of the total vote of eighty-five as the senate now stands.

The Nicaragua canal bill is still the unfinished business, the pension, military academy and the fortifications appropriation bills have been reported to the senate, and Mr. Cockrell expects to call them up as fast as possible. The canal bill, while retaining its right of way, will probably yield to the appropriation bills, when they are called up. The interest in the Senate this week will centre about the room of the finance committee rather than upon the proceedings of the floor with one exception. Mr. Gorman's promised speech on the financial question, which was to have been delivered on Saturday, but will probably come off to-day.

The programme of business to be considered in the house this week will probably be arranged at a meeting of the committee on rules to be held to-morrow. Two days are already appropriated—Monday, under the rules is devoted to the consideration of business relating to the District of Columbia, and Tuesday will be at least partly occupied with the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill. In the first morning hour devoted to committee business the Grout bill to make oleomargarine, butterine and other substitutes for and imitations of dairy product subject to the laws of the state into which they may be transported will come up and inevitably precipitate parliamentary contact. There remains but one hour for its consideration under the present call of committees, and opponents of the bill profess their ability to prevent its passage within that period. Should the bill fail to reach a final vote at this stage, Mr. Hatch will doubtless appeal to the committee on rules for a special assignment.

There is already a tremendous pressure being brought to bear upon the committee on rules for orders for the disposition of bills. Requests have been preferred on behalf of enough measures to take up all the remaining time of the session, save that which will be required for disposing of the appropriation bills and the bills called up in the morning hour by the several committees. Among those measures which according to a member of the committee on rules are likely to become the subject of favorable action by the committee on rules are the bills to provide payment of the French spoliation claims; to provide for the readjustment and refunding of the Pacific railroad indebtedness; to erect public buildings in accordance with the recommendations of the committee on buildings and grounds; to provide for the more speedy settlement of claims arising under the Bowman act; the free ship bill; and the bill providing for the reclassification and rearranging the salaries of postal clerks.

PANIC IN A CHURCH.

The Floor Gives Way at the Services Over a Murdered Man's Body.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 14.—There was a panic in the Italian Catholic church at Brewery and Wooster streets, this city, yesterday, during the funeral services over the body of Rafaele Del Grego, who was murdered on Thursday evening last. The church was crowded and Father Beccherini had just arisen to perform the office for the dead, when there was a great break and a crushing noise—the floor of the church was giving way. Immediately there was a rush on the part of the people, and the scene was turned from one of solemnity to one of tumultuous activity. Women shrieked and some fainted, and the men, if anything, were less heroic.

There were four windows in the rear of the church, and through these, regardless of glass or sash, affrighted men, women and childrern went tumbling in a mad effort to escape. The doors, very small in size, were for a time blocked and finally were burst from their fastenings. During the excitement the priest shouted from the sanctuary to his people, telling them there was no danger, but his flock was deaf to his entreaties, thinking only of escape. It was something short of a miracle that in a place where there were so many packed that the injuries resulting from the panic are so few.

BRADFORD'S FIRE.

People Injured and Firemen Suffer from the Intense Cold.

Bradford, Pa., Jan. 14.—The fire that visited this city yesterday was a very destructive one. A blizzard was blowing and the weather was intensely cold. The firemen were greatly handicapped in fighting the flames. Miss Mary Callahan leaped from the second story of the Sheehan house and escaped with a broken ankle and arm. Mary Dorine had a similar experience, barring the broken bones. Mrs. McQuiston, residing over Smith's grocery, rushed down the stairs to Main street with her clothing on fire. The flames were quickly extinguished. She will recover. Many firemen had their hands and ears frozen. Robert Sisco had his hands and feet so badly frozen that he is in a serious condition. The fire started in the Sheehan house.

For a time the business portion of the town was threatened with destruction, but good work on the part of the fire department stopped further loss, which amounted to $150,000.

COLFAX'S GRAVE.

Only an Humble Slab Marks the Ex-Vice President's Resting Place.

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 14.—The grave of the late Schuyler Colfax in the city cemetery is unmarked, save by an humble slab bearing his initials. Yesterday was the tenth anniversary of his death. It is now proposed to pay further tribute to his memory by the erection of a public statute to mark his last resting place. The proposition has been advanced to raise the monument fund by public subscriptions, it being estimated that $10,000 will be required to erect an enduring monument. Mr. Colfax in his lifetime was prominent in the work of organization of Odd Fellows and their generous cooperation will be asked.

Aid for Nebraska.

Baltimore, Jan. 14.—Mr. R. H. Edmonds, who was the first to propose that the south should contribute a train load or more of provisions to suffering Nebraska, is advised that nearly a full train of rice, sugar, molasses and other state produce has been made up in Louisiana. Five or six New Orleans firms have each contributed a full car load from their wares. The train will leave this week. A train load of grain and meat, contributed by the people of Georgia, will leave Atlanta to-morrow.

Frozen on the Mountains.

Altoona, Pa., Jan. 14.—Mary Geesey, a demented woman, who was formerly an inmate of the Blair county almshouse but who had lately made her home with Seth Campwell, a farmer at the foot of Brush mountain, about four miles from this city, wandered away from her home during the storm and when found on the mountains was frozen to death.

To Purify Trenton.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 14.—The agitation of the purification of Trenton has extended to nearly all the churches of the city. In the course of a few days a mass meeting of citizens will be held and steps taken to suppress the social evil and Sunday liquor selling.

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WIDESPREAD POVERTY

Distressing State of Affairs in the Hocking Valley.

Miners' Officials Do Not Seem to Comprehend the Real Truth of the Reports—Gov. McKinley Calls Upon the People of Ohio to Come to Their Assistance.

Columbus, O., Jan. 14.—A gentleman who resides in the Hocking Valley, and is pretty familiar with the condition of the miners there, was here yesterday.

He says the miners have been in destitute circumstances for some time and that the matter was reported to the officials of the United Mine Workers, but they practically ignored the matter, probably because they did not comprehend the real truth.

When they failed to take action, the miners themselves appointed committees who for the last two months have been going quietly about the country soliciting aid, which they claimed was for Hocking Valley men who had lost their situations by reason of the strike on that road last summer.

This, the gentleman claimed, was done in order that the public might not know that the miners were in impoverished circumstances. The gentleman said he had heard it charged that the United Mine Workers of Illinois had advised that the matter be kept from the public, but he doubted the truth of this.

However, those officials are now being criticised for not taking an active interest in the matter since the condition of affairs has been made public.

So far as known they have not attempted to do anything for the benefit of the sufferers. He further says the destitution in the Sunday Creek Valley completely overshadows that in the Hocking Valley or in and about Nelsonville where the first appeal came from. He thinks the destitute there will have to be cared for till spring at least.

A newspaper man who has just returned from the scene says the destitution is widespread, and that no writer could draw a picture horrible enough to do the matter justice. He says it is impossible to conceive how such conditions could exist in a civilized country, and that it is a disgrace to the state of Ohio, which will not soon be blotted out.

In view of this fact, he thinks it is well the real conditions cannot be presented to the public. When he asked the miners how they would guard against such circumstances in the future, they almost invariably answered that they would work more and strike less.

The well-to-do citizens in the impoverished district charge that much of the suffering there can be traced to the drinking habit.

They say that many of the miners in prosperous times seem to have no other desire than to enrich the saloonkeepers, and make no attempt to prepare for adversity.

The better class of miners admit this is true in a great many instances, but the wives and children of such men—who are the real sufferers—are not responsible for this condition. But while these charges are made, those making them proclaim that this is not a time to inquire after cause. The effect alone must be considered.

Last night Gov. McKinley received a telegram from Chairman Coultrap of the relief committee at Nelsonville, urging that supplies be sent to Shawnee and Glouster at once, as well as to Nelsonville. Immediately the governor sent Mayor Blue, of Cleveland, the following telegram:

"There is much suffering for provisions and clothing among the miners of the Hocking Valley and Sunday Creek Valley of this state. It is of such a character that I feel constrained to call upon the generous people of Ohio to render assistance. The carload of supplies sent last week has been already exhausted. Columbus will send a carload to-night and Cincinnati will commence shipping her contributions to-morrow. Contributions can be either money, provisions or clothing. Can Cleveland be ready to ship supplies by Wednesday or otherwise contribute as it may deem best by that time? I will later indicate to what points the shipments should be made."

BROOKLYN'S RAILROAD STRIKE.

Probably Every Line in the City Will Be Tied-Up.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 14.—District Assembly 75 held a meeting last night behind closed doors. After the meeting Master Workman Connolly said that the tie-up would be called between four and five o'clock this morning. All the roads in Brooklyn will be tied-up with the exception of the Jay and Smith streets line. The master workman said that the executive committee had decided by a vote to allow Mr. Slocum, the president of the last named road until 9 o'clock to-day to accede to their demands. If he then refused a strike would also be ordered on his road.

Reforms for Armenia.

London, Jan. 14.—The Daily News correspondent in Constantinople says it is rumored that the porte is considering administrative reforms to be introduced in Armenia. Among these reforms would be the recruiting of the gendarmerie from the Christian as well as the Mussulman population, the appointment of a Mussulman governor for the first three-year term and Christian governors for all subsequent terms.

Bill Cook Captured.

Muskogee, I. T., Jan. 14.—A telegram was received here saying that Bill Cook had been captured at Fort Stanton, N. M. Although Cook was supposed to be with that part of his gang which has been camping in the neighborhood of Fort Gibson recently.

Will Support Her Claims.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14.—The Novoe Vremya says in a leader on the eastern war: "If the friendly and peaceful representations of Russia's diplomacy be not considered, she will be compelled to support her claims on Corea with force of arms."

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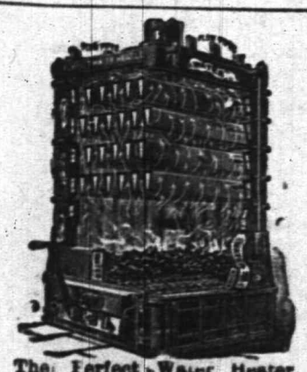

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Comparing the season of 1894 with that of 1893, there is found to be a loss of tonnage amounting to 449,403 tons. The past season's tonnage is the smallest that has been transported upon the canals any year since 1859, and is the result, the superintendent says, of various causes, the principal ones being the general stagnation of business which occurred during the past year and the inadequacy of the canals to successfully compete with the railroads for this carrying trade. The superintendent says:

"The time is fast approaching when operation of the canals in a practical manner must cease unless the canals are improved, for practical operation cannot continue unless the business done thereon can be done at a profit to the boatmen. That the people favor canal improvement was abundantly demonstrated at the recent election. It is clearly evident that the duty of the Legislature will be to provide the measures for construction of largest possible canals, intended for the navigation for boats of such construction as will be able to navigate the inland waters of this State, discharging and receiving their cargoes at Buffalo and New York or other intermediate points, bearing always in mind the necessity for a full and free supply of water for the navigation thereon, a careful research for the damages that may possibly occur to adjacent property in consequence of such enlargement, and with a view to the most economical method by which such a waterway may be constructed."

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Soon it could be seen that it was on a string and was being lowered by an elderly woman. When it dangled over the portico there was a sudden—bur—r—r—r—r—ring, and the young man and young woman parted like an overstrained hawser. The young man seized the round and bright object which was still ringing and held its face to the electric light. The hands on the alarm clock were clasped at midnight. He raised his hat to the young woman, murmured two words in a low tone and disappeared. The alarm clock was hoisted up quickly, but the young woman was up stairs before it finally reached the open window.

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What Gave Him Courage.

She (tenderly)—Tell me, dearest, what emboldened you to propose? How did you guess that I loved you, darling?

He—To be frank with you, love, your papa intimated that if I didn't mean to do business after coming to see you for two years I had better clear out and let some other fellow have a chance.—London Judy.

Why Didn't He Care.

First Boy—Teacher is goin' to keep you in after school, ain't she?

Second Boy—Yes, but I don't care.

First Boy—Why not?

Second Boy—Mother said I'd got to come straight home quick as I got out.—Good News.

Great Scott.

"Parker uses a great deal of cologne, it seems to me. Awful bad form," said Hawkins.

"It would be in you," said Hicks, "but it's family pride with Parker. He comes of old colonial stock.—Pick-Me-Up.

No Object in Going.

First Fair One—And are we to understand, Charley, that there is nothing objectionable in the play?

Charley—Nothing at all.

First Fair One—Then I for one shall not go.

A SLAP AT BURNS.

SOME HOMELY TRUTHS CONCERNING OUR FOREIGN CRITICS.

Millionaire Rend of Chicago Objects to Coddling Foreigners Who Mingle their Flattery of this Country with Malignant Criticism, and then Sell the Product.

John Burns, the English labor leader, was invited to attend the joint convention of the coal miners and mine owners at Pittsburg. When Burns appeared on the floor of the Common Council Chamber, where the convention was held, Col. W. P. Rend, the millionaire coal operator, of Chicago, said:

"Mr. Chairman, I object to the courtesies of this convention being extended to Mr. Burns, who is here for the double purpose of discussing labor matters and also of slandering and vilifying American institutions. Mr. Burns is a stranger in America. It is therefore befitting that he shall observe the decencies and proprieties of the position he occupies. These proprieties he is constantly violating by his malignant attacks upon our institutions. I would advise Mr. Burns to return to the country from which he came and criticise the customs, manners and institutions of his own land, which he will find infinitely more deserving of his criticism and abuse than anything he can find here.

"I know it is the custom of the 'blarsted Britishers' to indulge in improprieties similar to those against which I protest in the case of Mr. Burns. These people indulge in a certain amount of praise, but mix with it abuse, a proceeding which is the meanest and worst form of vilification. It is about time for American manhood to resent the offensive conduct of these men. I have no objection whatever to listening to the views of Mr. Burns upon labor matters or sociology. My protest is simply directed against a glaring abuse that has become in this country intolerable. When Mr. Stead came to Chicago he was taken by the hand by many of our leading citizens. He also abused the hospitality of our city and the proprieties of good breeding by indulging in criticism of American matters, in which he mingled much of flattery but more of hostile criticism. At that time I predicted that he would return to England and imitate the example of other foreign adventurers by writing slanderous books about our country. It is time to stop lionizing characters of this kind."

The speech fell like a bomb shell in the convention. It was not the kind of reception Burns had expected and he seemed stunned. As he was not a delegate he could not reply.

HE WAS HIS OWN PHRENOLOGIST.

It Cost Him Nothing Except Some Good-Natured Guying.

A man stood in front of a window on Sixth avenue a few evenings ago with his hat off. The crowd passing by noticed that he was intently studying something in the window, and at the same time feeling and rubbing his head. Some of the pedestrians stopped and watched the man and the object of his study. Pasted on the plate-grass was a phrenological chart, the various bumps being plainly outlined and labelled. The head in the chart was supplied with every bump and indentation conceivable to the most imaginative phrenologist.

Regardless of the crowd he was attracting, the man gazed bareheaded at the chart, now and then leaning over to study more closely the lines and figures, all the while testing his own skull. At a low estimate fifty persons watched the amateur phrenologist acquiring a cheap knowledge of his cranium by electric light.

"Wonder what he is?" remarked a bystander. "Say, partner, hit it yet?" put in another. "Get a plaster cast." "Go get your head shaved first, you'll feel better." "Oh, pay the man 50 cents and get a certificate," and many other similar quips were hurled at the man, but he never heard. At last some one asked him what office he was running for. He turned, saw the crowd of amused people, jammed his hat on his head and stole sheepishly away.—N. Y. Advertiser.

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Frank C. Ives, in answer to Schaefer's reply to his challenge, makes the following statement:

"Schaefer wanted me to go on an exhibition trip with him, and although I was not anxious to do it, I agreed to go. However, if he thinks I am going on a long, fatiguing trip to California and play a match game for the world's championship at the end of it, he is mistaken.

FRANK C. IVES.

"If he wants to play a cushion carrom game, or any other kind of a game, I will accommodate him, although I do not think there is any good reason why I should. My game is the fourteen-inch balk line, and I do not see why I should be expected to meet all comers in any other game, any more than Jim Corbett should be expected to accept a challenge to wrestle. Just the same, I am willing to meet Schaefer in any game he may propose, provided it is for not less than $5,000 a side. I will bet $250 that Schafer won't put up $5,000.

Matrimonial Item.

Mother—Now that you are about to get married, I want to give you a few pointers that will be useful to you.

Daughter—Yes, mamma.

Mother—Of course, you and your husband will fight, but remember, when you throw anything at him, to choose something that will not break and is cheap. You must learn to be economical.—Texas Siftings.

LIKE A BEAVER'S RETREAT.

A Moonshiner's Den that Could be Entered Only by Diving.

There is a small island in the Pee Dee River, in Richmond county, North Carolina, about the size of a ten acre field. The ground is studded with large cypress trees, and the undergrowth of bushes and briars is almost impenetrable. None of the land has ever been cultivated, because it is very difficult to get to the island, and wild hogs and wild cattle, coons and "varmints" of various kinds alone inhabit it. Ever since the making of corn into whiskey was forbidden during the war there has been a moonshine distillery on this island. It has been raided many times by the revenue officers without discovering the "blockade plant."

The festive moonshiner has been seen to land on the island, but his retreat has never been discovered, and the officers have probed the earth for a cave or underground retreat without success.

Last week Deputy Collector E. E. Moffitt and several raiders occupied this island in the night time and picketed themselves so that no one could arrive or leave without being seen.

About daylight a canoe occupied by two men and containing several five-gallon kegs was seen approaching the island from the Richmond County shore. Deputy Moffitt gave orders for them to be allowed to land and to observe their movements. As soon as the landing was made, J. R. McRae, who has been suspected of running the still on the island, sunk the kegs in the river near where the canoe landed.

This movement was not understood by Moffitt, but his surprise was unbounded when McRae and his companions began to disrobe themselves. After they had stripped off all their clothes and placed them in the hollow trunk of a cypress tree, McRae plunged headforemost in the river and disappeared from view. His companion performed the same feat. The revenue officer and his force waited all day for the reappearance of McRae and companion.

About sundown McRae and four men suddenly rose up out of the water at the lower landing.

Clothes were found for all of them in a tree near the river bank, and they dressed in less than four minutes. A long pole with an iron hook on the end was then carried from among the underbrush and leaves, and with this a dozen five-gallon kegs of whiskey were soon brought out of the water and placed in the canoes. As soon as they were loaded they paddled across to the Richmond side.

Moffitt from the rendezvous had seen all this. That the moonshiners' still was under the ground was certain. The moonshiners had been in and out of it, but how did they get in and out of it? This was the question. Finally one of the men, of the name of Oxendine, said he would try to solve the mystery if Moffitt would agree. Consent was given, and Oxendine soon denuded himself of his clothing and jumped into the river headforemost at the same place where he had seen McRae go in and come out. The raiders waited for the return of their fellow raider, and had grown very uneasy at his prolonged absence, as he had been told to return in half an hour.

An hour passed without his reappearance, and they were discussing what next to do, when Oxendine popped up out of the water blowing like a porpoise. He was quickly reinvested with his clothes, and then sat down by the camp fire and gave an explanation of the mystery.

When he plunged into the water he made his way toward the bank, keeping his eyes open while under the water. He is an expert swimmer and diver, and after going about twenty feet under water and toward the bank he rose upward and found his head out of water and in an opening.

He stopped swimming and felt for the bottom, and found that he was in water about five feet deep. He walked on, and was soon out of the water but in total darkness. He crawled along some distance until he discovered the live coals of a fire. He made his way to this fire, and had not seen any person nor heard any noise. He waited and listened, but everything was perfectly still. He then made up a light with wood found near the fire, and found himself in a well-appointed moonshine distillery.

The cave or tunnel was twenty feet wide and twelve feet high. Overhead the earth was held up by large cypress logs and the side was planked up. The water for the still was brought from the river through a rubber hose. Oxendine followed the tunnel to the other end and found it similar in arrangements to the place where he had entered. He then made his way back with a light, and when he got to the water he waded until he came to a log across the tunnel, which was embedded on both sides of the bank and which touched the water. Oxendine dived under the log and immediately rose up and found himself in the river in front of his companions.

Great was the astonishment when Oxendine had concluded his narrative. He also stated that there were several hundred gallons of whiskey in the tunnel, and that smoke from the fire appeared to pass up into a hollow cypress tree, but the officers could not see any smoke.—Philadelphia Press.

The Master Passion Strong O'er Death.

Kirke La Shelle told me a story a few weeks ago which pleased Henry Clay Barnabee so much that he proposes to tell it as his very own.

It is a story illustrative of the undying master passion of the actor. An actor who plays juvenile roles met a leading man on Broadway. The leading man was dressed in deep black. There was a wide band of crape on his hat, and he had discarded the patent leather shoes an actor loves for shoes with a subdued polish that spoke of grief.

"What is the matter?" asked the juvenile.

"My father is dead," answered the leading man in a heartbroken voice.

The juvenile expressed his sympathy.

"When did he die?" he asked.

"Last week. We buried him to day—a nice funeral," answered the heartbroken voice.

"Large attendance?" asked the juvenile.

A smile of enthusiastic delight flashed over the mourner's face.

"Large attendance!" he cried. "My boy, we turned them away."—Washington Post.

He'd a dreamy, far-off look in his eyes,
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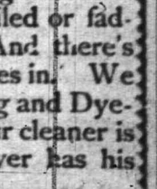

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

Shot at His Post In the Bayou Teche.

The battle of the Bayou Teche, Jan. 14, 1863, was the beginning of a series of encounters in the Red river country. A gunboat fleet under Lieutenant Thomas McKean Buchanan, having on board a detachment of infantry led by General Wetzel, advancing up the bayou from Brashear City, was met on the 14th by obstructions in the channel formed from a demolished bridge, a sunken steamboat and submarine torpedoes. Above the obstruction the Confederate gunboat Cotton kept guard, supported by the guns of Fort Bisland and riflemen on shore.

Buchanan steamed up to the obstructions and opened fire, disregarding the torpedoes, of which he had been warned by a negro. The Cotton, an ironclad with a powerful battery of guns in casemates, and the Confederate sharpshooters on shore maintained a rapid fire upon the vessels, but the gallant young commander kept his place on the bridge of the flagship until he was shot dead by a marksman in the rifle pits.

Meanwhile Wetzel's troops had landed and opened from along shore upon the Cotton. A handful of volunteers of the Seventy-fifth New York dashed forward in the face of the fire from the enemy's pits, and gaining shelter on the banks cut down every man in sight upon the Confederate, completely silencing her guns. To avoid their deadly marksmanship the Cotton steamed out of range for a time, but returned to the attack and was again silenced by the intrepid New Yorkers, re-enforced by volunteers from the Eighth Vermont. She again retired, repeating the maneuver with the same result. At the third retreat of the gunboat the Confederate land forces abandoned their works. The Cotton was then deserted and set on fire.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

The short serials copyrighted from the pens of the best authors to the service of The Daily Press continue to delight lovers of good stories and the best literature.

The World is already scenting gubernatorial news of the next November campaign. In its Union County gossip it says:

"Ex-Congressman John Kean, Jr., will make a bold bid again this Fall for the Governorship despite all the talk about Senator Foster M. Voorhees for the place Senator Voorhees would undoubtedly like to be the Gubernatorial candidate, and a very popular one he would make. Those who know Senator Voorhees best declare he will not be an obstacle to Mr. Kean's ambition, and the latter makes no secret of the fact that he would like once more to test the temper of the people of New Jersey at the ballot-box.

"The ex Congressman thinks the election this year will be a walkover for whoever gets the Republican nomination. It is rumored that in the event of Mr. Kean's nomination and election Senator Voorhees, who was his righthand man in the former campaign and will in all probability occupy the same place as his trusty lieutenant if he again heads the Republican ticket, will be well taken care of by his chief.

The recent appointment by President Cleveland of Herbert Wolcott Bowen as Consul-General of Barcelona, Spain, has been confirmed by the Senate. Mr. Bowen was for some years a resident of Netherwood, and has many warm friends in this city. He is a younger brother of Henry E. Bowen of Watchung avenue. The Brooklyn Eagle, referring to his appointment, says:

"The appointment of Herbert Wolcott Bower, now the Consul of Barcelona, Spain, to be Consul-General at that point, will give to him supervision of all the consulates of the United States in that country, and is a promotion which carries merit as well as distinction, propriety as well as power with it. Mr. Bowen is the son of Henry C. Bowen of this city, the owner and editor of the New York Independent. The Consul-General was born in Brooklyn some forty years ago, and followed a graduation from Yale University with an extended study of languages and of international regulations. He is a fine French, German and Spanish scholar, as well as a master of English style. His entrance into the service of his country was effected by President Harrison, who made him Consul at Barcelona, where President Cleveland has continued him and where his excellent discharge of his duties has brought this promotion to him. He is in no sense a politician, but in the best sense of the word a public servant who has the confidence of all business men, being himself a business man, and who has won the esteem of Americans abroad by his effective and hearty endeavors for their comfort, as well as the confidence and approbation of the State Department by the interesting and accurate character of his reports. His popularity, both official and personal alike with Democrats and Republicans and with all classes of political opinion, is an incident which commends his appointment and causes it to give satisfaction to not a small number of personal friends. Aside from this, however, the reform principle which his appointment and promotion express is an extremely agreeable and hopeful fact to those who would raise the consular and diplomatic service above and out of the capricious and leveling play of partisan politics."

The argument started in The Daily that the printing of the Common Council should be done in Plainfield by the newspaper establishments which pay Plainfield taxes and Plainfield labor and which are working every day for Plainfield's good, has attracted the attention and approval of the State. The Elizabeth Journal champions the cause in the following manner:

"The Plainfield papers and members of the Republican City Council are at odds about the city printing. The Councilmen want to print certain reports in pamphlet for general distribution, and want to have the Plainfield printers compete with New York printers for the work. The Councilmen are in the wrong. The New York printers do nothing for Plainfield, while the Plainfield printers do everything they can for that city, and are entitled to the work at reasonable rates. But the pamphlet form nonsense is the worst feature of the whole controversy Whenever an official gets a spasm of economy or wants to get square with some newspaper he proposes to print the official minutes in pamphlet form. It is the most extravagant way possible of wasting public money. The newspapers are the people's own chosen sources of information on all current topics, and especially on public matters and official proceedings, and the best way, the proper way, the economical way, and the only reasonable and common sense way to make public the official doings, is to publish them in the newspapers and pay for them at fair rates. Pamphlets are read by very few, and it is a waste to print them; papers are read by everybody. The sooner the Plainfield Councilmen conclude that Plainfield business should be transacted wholly in Plainfield, and not in New York, the sooner they will return to that wisdom which, as Republicans, they are so generally credited with possessing."

Scriptural Stereopticon.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational Church held a special service last evening which was thoroughly enjoyed by all who were present.

Rev. C. L. Goodrich read selections from the Scriptures following the life of Christ while appropriate pictures were thrown on the screen with a stereopticon. During the service Miss M G. Morse and Miss E. A. Whiting sang the familiar hymn "The Ninety-and-Nine." At the close a series of pictures representing the "Rock of Ages" were displayed while Miss Morse and Miss Whiting sang the hymn of that name very effectively.

—Ten were received on probation in the First M. E. Church yesterday morning.

—The Local C. E. Union meet in Trinity Reformed Church next Monday night. There will be special music.

—Councilman Charles J. Fisk has presented the Fire Department Headquarters a fine lot of books, which are greatly appreciated by the men.

—"American" promises for The Daily Press of tomorrow a reply to the letters of Mr. Tettemer and Col. Ainsworth published in The Press of Saturday.

—Despatches report 47 lost at sea, including 4 drowned in the wreck of a barge off Fire Island, 15 on the Pacific Coast, and 28 in storms off the coast of Europe.

—Edward White, always progressive and up to date, will open a postal-supply department for the sale of stamps, envelopes, etc., to save his patrons from the long walk to the new postoffice.

—Mrs. Whittemore, better known as Sister Charlotte, of New York, addressed large audiences in Reform Hall, Music Hall, and the First Baptist Church, Saturday and Sunday, telling of her wonderful work.

—The Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company commenced cutting ice today at noon at Washingtonville and will work day and night until their houses are filled. The ice averages about 9 inches in thickness.

—When in need of skilful and quick work at honest prices, try Utzinger & Kline, carpenters and builders, who advertise in this issue.

In Justice Newcorn's Court the following summonses have been issued: Hand against Freeman, on contract; Hand against Freeman, landlord and tenant; returnable Jan. 16 Cole against K ne, in tort, returnable Jan 18

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BLACK AND BLUE.

They Are Given Preference by the High School Students—Other Notes.

Miss Grace E Overton of the Junior class and a pupil of Miss Addie Parker Jackson, recited a selection from Mark Twain's "Tom Sawyer" in Assembly Hall this morning It was of a humorous nature and so skilfully and realistically rendered that the undivided attention of her audience was held throughout. Miss Overton shows herself an adept at elocution, and promises, under the careful training of Miss Jackson, to become one of the shining lights of the art.

The vote on the school colors took place this morning after opening exercises. As no one color secured a majority of the votes, the three highest will be voted upon Wednesday morning. The vote was as follows: Light blue and black 62; red and dark blue 32; purple and white 15; brown and yellow 8; brown and light blue 7; brown and white 7; green and pink 2; maroon and steel gray 1.

The principal objections against light blue and black are the using of black bunting for decorating the High School building its use on the athletic field. The contest will certainly be very close.

The Senior class held a newspaper report as usual this morning.

The Astronomy class is planning an excursion to Bound Brook to examine the heavens through a large telescope which has been kindly offered to them by a friend of the class in Bound Brook.

Mrs. Elias Bird of Elm place is confined to the house with the grip.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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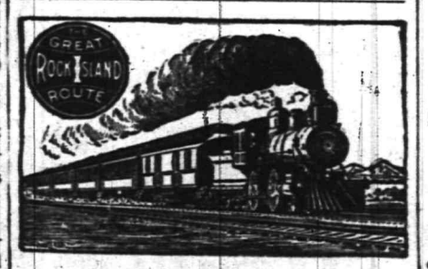

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Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

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(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z. Grigg, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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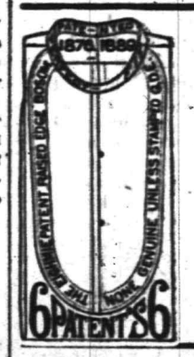

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. Wiechers is home from the South.

Miss Edith VanWinkle of Elm place is ill with the grip.

Miss Grace Rowland spent Sunday at Hampton Junction.

City Clerk and Mrs. J. T. MacMurray spent Sunday with relatives in Perth Amboy.

Gustave Sutterlin of Greenbrook road is confined to his home suffering with the grip.

Charles Hall of Reynolds's pharmacy enjoyed a Sunday visit among Amboy friends.

E. H. Cleveley of North avenue returned Saturday evening from a trip to Washington.

A little boy brightens the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hinkson of Princeton since January 2.

Charles Terrill of Newark, brother of Moses Terrill of this city, is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

Thursday evening of this week, Mrs. F. O. Herring of Park avenue will give a progressive euchre party.

Rev. A. W. Cabwell of Lynchburg, Va., addressed the Mt. Olive Baptist Sunday-school yesterday afternoon.

Max Wiertz has received a cablegram announcing the sad news of the death of his mother in Belgium, aged 75.

Miss Mame Groendyke of Finderne was the guest yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Dunham of East Fifth street.

Mrs. John Bicknell has returned to her home on South avenue after spending a few days with friends in Newark.

Mrs. Clark Dillenbeck of Philadelphia is stopping with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Morrison of North Plainfield.

Adon Smith, of Putnam avenue, who is spending the Winter in New York, is visiting in Plainfield for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Saums of Somerville were the guests yesterday of Mr. and G. Q. Dolliver of Manning avenue.

Dorsey W. Hyde, the master of harmony and composition, has issued a beautiful piono solo, Souvenir de Netherwood.

J. B. Bovey of Somerset street is unable to attend to his business in New York city owing to a severe attack of the grip.

Charles Van Middlesworth, who has been working at Pearl River, N. Y., spent Sunday at his home on Liberty street.

John Wedemeyer of New York city spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother Henry, proprietor of the Arlington Hotel.

Jacob Marx, who has been a prisoner for the last ten days at his home on East Front street, suffering with the grip, is now able to be out.

Initiations, installations, and a good time, are promised at the meeting of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, this evening.

Mrs. C. H. Abbott of Central avenue will entertain the members of the Central Avenue Progressive Euchre Club at her beautiful residence, Tuesday evening.

Charles C. McBride, editor of the Elizabeth Journal, who has been chosen private secretary of Speaker Cross, is cousin of J. C. VanDyke of East Front street.

J. Van Herwarden and family of Flushing have rented the cottage belonging to Edward Willis of South avenue, Netherwood, and will take possession Jan. 15.

Mabel Louise Potter, daughter of Charles Potter of West Seventh street, will be quietly married tomorrow evening to William C. Hubbard, at the home of the bride.

Walter L. Hetfield is very much concerned about his son Walter, who lies very ill with pneumonia. Mr. Hetfield has been constantly at his bedside for three days and nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Bowne of Wheeling, W. Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Smith of Westervelt avenue. Mr. Bowne brought with him his valuable registered mastiff, Beau Brummel.

Mr. J. C. VanDyke of East Front street sang very acceptably in the choir of Trinity Reformed Church yesterday, for Miss Krymer, the regular soprano, who is ill with a heavy cold, bordering on the grip.

Lillian Rebecca, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Townley, died at the home of her parents 202 West Second street this morning, of bronchitis. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

Anna Margaretta Sandersfield, wife of Mr. Koch of Washingtonville, died this morning aged 68. The funeral arrangements are not yet complete, but the interment will be in the Lutheran Cemetery, New York.

W. C. Strong of Fanwood has been grievously afflicted by the loss of his wife, Florence L., who died Saturday in her twenty-ninth year. The funeral takes place from the residence of the afflicted husband on South avenue tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

The death occurred Friday in Irvington of Mary E. Hayes, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hayes of Samptown. The funeral services were held yesterday in Samptown, where decedent had lived for many years and was well-known.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c, and $1. Sold by all druggists.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c Sold by all druggists.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Plainfield Common Council meets tonight.

—The new communicants received into Hope Chapel yesterday numbered eight on confession and one by letter.

—James E. Martine, the farmer orator is exercising his muscle thinning out trees in front of his Watchung avenue property.

—Renus Allen is improving his property at the corner of Somerset street and Fairview avenue, by laying a bluestone walk.

—The loss of a mink cuff was brought before the readers of The Press Saturday, and this morning the article was restored to the owner.

—The officers-elect of Queen City Lodge, No. 226 I. O. O. F., will be installed this evening by Deputy Stamitz of Westfield.

—Charles D. Wheeler has purchased from Miss Margaret McLaughlin a lot on Stone street, where he intends erecting a home in the early Spring.

—The Minnie Lester company played to 1,700 people in Music Hall Saturday afternoon, and 1 200 at night. The paid admissions of the week numbered 6,517.

—Unknown miscreants broke all the front window glass of an unoccupied house on Netherwood avenue, belonging to Howard A. Randolph of West Front street.

—The first regular meeting this year of John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, will be held tomorrow evening at 8. Every officer and member is urged to be present.

—John Howard of Easton, a painter in search of work, has been living in a flat over W. J. Stephenson's on North avenue, with his alleged wife. Saturday another woman, also claiming to be his wife, visited the flat and after an angry scene took him away. The woman left behind says he will return.

Closing Railroad Shops.

Connellsville, Pa., Jan. 14.—Orders were received from the general manager's office of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad to close the company's shops at this place until Feb. 1. The cause for the suspension is a general curtailing of epenses all along the Baltimore & Ohio system. Five hundred men are affected by the order.

Giv n Up for Lost.

Halifax, Jan. 14.—The New Foundland schooner N. P. Christian has been given up for lost. The vessel was bound from Bay Roberts to Nova Scotia for coal in ballast and probably capsized in a gale just after leaving port. The vessel had a crew of six, all but two of whom leave families. The vessel was insured.

A Bad Break.

Braddock, Pa., Jan. 14.—By the breaking of the billet shears in the Bloom mill of the Edgar Thomson steel works, 2,000 men were thrown idle until the break can be repaired. The shears cut billets 8 by 8 in size and is a very costly piece of machinery.

French Ministers Resigning.

Paris, Jan. 14.—M. Barthou, minister of public works, has resigned, and it it rumored that other resignations are probable.

Instinct and Reason.

The Cincinnati Enquirer tells this story to prove that the instinct of self-preservation is stronger than reason: A man on a Lake Huron steamer had the only specimen of black rattlesnake I have ever met with. It was about the size of an ordinary garter snake and as vicious as Satan. It was confined in a strong box covered with thick plate glass. When anyone would touch the glass with his finger the snake would strike the underside opposite the finger as quickly as a stroke of lightning. The experimenter would always jerk away as suddenly. There was not a man on board, however muscular and free from nervousness, who could keep his finger to the glass when the snake would strike, although knowing that it could not possibly touch him. Strong men would try it again and again, certain of their ability to endure the test, but with the same result.

Not Insured.

Mrs. De Style—Mariel Is the dog chained?

Servant—Yes'm.

"And the cat put out?"

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THE WEATHER.

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Jacob Lane, who formerly kept the grocery store at Mt. Bethel, has been seriously ill for some time, and is not expected to live.

—P. L. Conde's Symphony orchestra, which was so thoroughly appreciated at the Park Club Saturday evening, will assist at the entertainment to be given by jolly little Marshall P. Wilder in Music Hall tomorrow night under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

—334 excise arrests were made in New York between Saturday midnight and 6 this morning.

—6,000 men went out on the Brooklyn trolley strike this morning. The tracks are obstructed, and the police reserves out.

Buster Than the Bee.

How doth the little busy ad
Improve each shining minute,
And gather dollars, dimes and cents
For the merchant who is in it.
A man one time a good thing had
Which people would have prized,
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DEATHS.

CLARKE—In this city, Jan. 11, 1895, Rebecca, wife of Thomas Clarke. Funeral services, 130 North avenue, Monday afternoon, Jan. 14, at 3 o'clock and 3.30 from Grace P. E. Church, Seventh street. 3

HURLEY—In North Plainfield Jan. 12, 1895, Michael J. Hurley, aged 23 years, 5 months 1 day. Funeral from his parents residence, North Plainfield, Tuesday morning, Jan 15, at 8:30 at house and 9:15 at St. Joseph's Church. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

TOWNLEY—In this city Jan. 14, 1895, Lillian Rebecca, youngest daughter of Wm and Mary E. Townley, aged 1 month and 27 days. Funeral from her parents residence, 202 West 2d street, Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 15, at 2:30 p m.

STRONG—At Fanwood Saturday, Jan. 12 1895, Florence L., wife of W. C. Strong, in her 29th year. Funeral services from her late residence, Fanwood, Tuesday, Jan. 15, at 2:30 p. m

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Inspection of Emigrants at German Ports.

Possible Tariff War Between That Country and the United States—What Germany Would Do if We Took an Unfriendly Course—Do Not Want American Grain.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—A Washington dispatch reported last week that Germany had refused to allow the independent inspection of emigrants at German ports. According to officials here the dispatch referred to an incident two years old. Two United States hospitalmen came to Hamburg during the epidemic to prevent the embarkation of cholera infected persons. As they did not have what the authorities deemed the proper credentials from the Washington government, they were not permitted to supervise the emigration to the United States. They also got into trouble with the United States consuls and, after communication between the foreign office and American legation, were recalled. No question concerning them has arisen since then in any form. There are no United States inspectors at present at any German port, but Germany has not taken a step to discourage independent inspection.

The United Press correspondent has made repeated inquiries this week as to the possibility of a tariff war between the United States and Germany, but he has found everybody in official circles absolutely dumb on the subject, although two or three weeks ago the matter was discussed with little constraint. Freiherr von Hammerstein, the agrarian leader, was asked what Germany would do if the United States took an unfriendly course. He answered:

"We should retaliate by shutting out American cereals and wools and should look up new outlets for our merchandise. Doubtless for a time German industries would suffer. Anyhow, we cannot submit to bullying, especially when we have the absolute right on our side."

Deputy Aichbechler, vice chairman of the clerical party and the owner of a large estate in Bavaria, said decidedly:

"We do not want any American grain anyhow. If the United States insist upon violating their treaty with us, we shall protect ourselves by shutting out American cereals. We have too much Russian and Romanian grain now. The German farmer cannot raise stock and grow wheat with profit under the present circumstances."

The municipal council of Cologne approved unanimously the proposal to give a grand Bismarck birthday celebration. This decision evoked numerous protests from Catholics who have not forgotten the Kulturkampf. The Koelnische Volkszeitung, organ of the Rhineland clericals, replied on Friday that Catholics ought to recognize the greatness of Bismarck's statesmanship and should remember that Leo XIII. bestowed upon him the high distinction of the Order of Christ.

Twelve non-commissioned officers, who were convicted in Magdeburg of mutiny in the artillery school in the Invaliden Strasse, passed through the city yesterday on their way to the Spandau fortress. The gold lace was torn from their coats to show that they had been degraded.

Ambassador Runyon's daughter, Mrs. Hoskins, will be presented at court at the Schleppencour on Jan. 23.

Gustave Niederlem, a commissioner from the new museum in Philadelphia, will open an office here to receive donations with which to buy commercial, technical and ethnographic specimens.

Chancellor Prince Hohenlohe, his son Alexander, M. R., and Count Herbert Bismarck left Berlin for Friedrichsruh yesterday.

HOPE FOR A SETTLEMENT.

Striking Miners Trying to Avoid Hardships.

Dubois, Pa., Jan. 14.—The Bell, Lewis & Yates striking miners at Dubois and Reynoldsville, had a conference with Mr. Bell on Friday and as a result they are hopeful of an early settlement of the strike. Mr. Bell has returned to Buffalo, accompanied by General Manager Elliott, for the purpose of holding a consultation with his firm, and Mr. Elliott is expected to return here to-day when the company's response will be received. The miners ask that all discharged men be taken back, being willing to do with less work in order to give the discharged miners employment. Great hardships will undoubtedly ensue unless the strike is settled this week.

A Doctor Charged with a Crime.

Hornellsville, N. Y., Jan. 14.—Dr. J. Maston Ryder is under arrest here and will be taken to Rochester, Windsor county, Vermont, to-day by Sheriff Tinkham of that county. He is charged with having delivered a child from a young unmarried woman, then killing it and burrying the body in the cellar of the house. It is claimed that the father of the child paid Ryder $20 to put it out of the way.

An Actress Nearly Asphyxiated.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 14.—Miss Ethel Barrymore, daughter of Maurice Barrymore, the well known actor, was found unconscious in her room at the Davidson hotel yesterday from partial asphyxiation. The room was filled with gas which had escaped from an open burner. Physicians were summoned and the young lady restored to consciousness.

Johnson Beats the Record.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 14.—The match skating race, one mile, between Johnson, champion of the United States, and Ostlund, champion of Norway, resulted in a victory for Johnson, who won by twenty yards in two minutes 45 seconds, beating his own record of a year ago by a fraction of a second.

His Legs Frozen Black.

Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 14.—Thomas Moss, a middle aged man, was found lying on a country road near the outskirts of the city almost frozen to death. Both of his legs were frozen black, and will have to be amputated.

TRAGEDY IN NEW JERSEY.

Two Brothers Engage in a Deadly Quarrel.

New York, Jan. 14.—A quarrel between two brothers, which will probably end in the death of both, occurred at the quiet homestead of Mrs. Alexander Phillips, near Avondale, N. J., last evening. Mrs. Phillips, who is 70 years of age, is the wiow of a former well known republican and ex-assemblyman, and lived with her son Richard, who is feeble minded. She had three other sons, Alexander, 40 years old, superintendent of a quarry at Little Falls; John, 35 years old, who is in the glassware business in Newark, and Henry, who lives in South Rutherford, across the Passaic river, which is crossed by a bridge at this point. The mother's home is on the river road, near the Avondale road.

Both Alexander and John are married. Alexander and his wife did not get on well together, and had separated. There is said to have been some ill feeling between the two brothers for some time, though the cause of the trouble was not exactly known. On Saturday night John and his wife came over from Newark to spend the night at the old home. Alexander also left Little Falls about 7 o'clock the same day to visit his mother but for some reason he did not reach the homestead until 3 o'clock yesterday. When he arrived there John was out. Not long after they arrived John came into the house and entered the room where his brother already was, but the two men did not speak. A moment later the old mother who was in an upstairs room heard a pistol shot and rushed down stairs into the sitting room. She saw John lying on the floor with a bullet wound near the right ear, from which the blood was gushing and over him stood Alexander with a pistol in his hand.

The horrified mother rushed toward her elder son and struggled with him frantically. Her efforts being unavailing, the half crazed mother ran from the room screaming for help. She had hardly passed the door when another shot rang out. By this time John's wife and others had arrived and when the room was again entered it was found that Alexander had shot himself almost in the identical place that he had shot his brother, but his last bullet had been more effective for he died almost instantly.

John was alive at a late hour last night. It is feared that the shock of the tragedy will prove dangerous, if not fatal, to the aged mother.

HAVE BECOME SAVAGES.

Chinese Army Fugitives Take Refuge in the Forests.

London, Jan. 14.—The Times has this dispatch from its Tien-Tsin correspondent:

"The Manchu princes have taken the defence of the country into their own hands. The intrigues of the Chinese officials aim to thwart them; hence a conflict that paralyzes the executive power. Li Hung Chang, though relieved of all functions except that of governor of the province, still indirectly influences the officials.

"Chinese arriving from Manchuria report that the country between the rivers Yalu and Liao-Ho is desolate. No houses are standing. The timber has been burned and towns and villages, erstwhile populous, are without a vestige of life. Only scattered groups of frozen corpses are seen. Food and fuel cannot be got.

"The wounded suffer terribly. The movements of troops on both sides are hindered by the exhaustion of the supplies which the country people at first brought from fear. The stragglers from the Chinese army who have taken refuge in the hills and forests, have become savages, lost to all human feeling."

NEW YEAR'S DAY IN RUSSIA.

The Czar Honors Several of His Ministers.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14.—Yesterday was New Year's day according to the Russian calendar, and was noteworthy in official circles for the distribution of the usual New Year honors. M. Bunge, president of the committee of ministers, received the decoration of the Order of St. Vladimir, first class. In a special rescript the Czar spoke warmly of the sincerity and wisdom with which M. Bunge had fulfiled his duties. Gen Vannowsky, war minister, received the decoration of the Order of St. Andrew, and in an imperial rescript was congratulated upon his "zeal in perfecting the efficiency of the gallant army, the best guarantee of the peace of Europe."

AGAIN REPUBLICAN.

New York's Court of Appeals Changes After Twelve Years.

Albany, Jan. 14.—Albert Haight today takes his seat on the court of appeals bench. With his succession to Judge Earl the court will contain a republican majority for the first time in twelve years.

In order to retain this majority, however, the republicans will have to elect one of their party next fall as successor to Judge Finch. Judge Finch will probably be a candidate for reelection.

The New York Life Wins.

Portland, Me., Jan. 14.—In the case of the estate of the late Roscoe L. Bowers, of Saco, vs. New York Life Insurance company to compel the payment of a life policy of $10,000, Judge Putnam has rendered a decision for the insurance company. When Bowers died a premium was overdue and on this ground the payment of the policy which was refused. The estate claims that when the policy was taken out, the deceased understood that a clause allowing 30 days grace would be inserted. No such clause is in the policy, however.

A Congressman in Trouble.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 14.—Congressman-elect Mills Crowley has been accused of blackmail by State Senator J. W. Terry, who alleges that Crowley forced the Pullman Palace Car company to give him a pass and refused to aid some medical legislation unless money was put up for him. The senate is asked to impeach Crowley.

Twelve Deaths from the Grip.

New York, Jan. 14.—Twelve deaths from grip were reported at the bureau of vital statistics yesterday.

Local Weather Forecast.

Fair; warmer; southwesterly winds.

CELEBRATING VICTORY

Japanese Honor Their Soldiers and Sailors.

Ceremonies Held in Tokio and Witnessed by an Immense Number of People — Many Americans at the Festivities—Much Intoxication and Plenty of Accidents.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Accounts of a great celebration held in Tokio on Dec. 9 to commemorate Japan's victories at sea and in the field have been received at the Japanese legation here, and they show that the tardiness of the capital in bestirring itself to honor the Japanese soldiers and sailors was fully relieved by the thoroughness with which the celebration was carried out. At least 400,000 people witnessed the ceremonies which were held in Uyene Park, an immense inclosure to which 175,000 ticket purchasers were admitted. Railroad companies gave reduced rates to Tokio and it was necessary to run trains day and night to accommodate the traffic. Hotels and inns became overcrowded and many private residences were turned into hostelries. The great majority of Americans and other foreign residents assembled in the garden of Dr. E. Baeltz's house, which overlooks the scene of the festivities. So great were the numbers of those who participated in the parade which opened the celebration, that the procession degenerated into a mere scramble. Some idea of the magnitude of the marching multitude may be gathered from the statement that long after the van had reached Uyeno, the rear guard was still forming on the Hibiya Parade, four miles distant. Guilds of all sorts, schools, workmen, the employes of scores of mercantile companies, people of high and low degree, marched with the procession to the music of a number of bands, both regimental and impromptu, the blowing of a thousand trumpets and gonchs, the din of drums, and continual cheering from the paraders and the vast crowds that lined the route of march. Banners and standards of all descriptions, naval and military flags, transparencies, carriages filled with celebrants in gala costumes, riotously rejoicing school boys, members of the city council, and chamber of commerce, deputies from the interior, vans carrying symbolical groups, poles surmounted by papier mache and wicker work representations of decapitated Chinese, and a thousand other things, novel and amusing, were seen in the procession. When the procession arrived at the emperor's palace, the cheering became continuous. Portraits of the emperor and the empress were exhibited there and balloons with streamers were sent up. As the people marched they sang an ode entitled "Flag of the Morning Sun" composed by Mr. Fukuchi, a noted Japanese poet.

Midway in the Uyeno avenue stood a vast arch under which the parade had to pass. It was decorated profusely with the imperial flower, the chrysanthemum, yellow flowers on a green ground forming the inscriptions "Myriads of years may our army and navy flourish," and "May the empire live forever." Farther on at the point where the park proper was entered, stood a life size representation of the Gemum Gate, the scene of a famous exploit at the assault of Phyong Yang. A theatrical troupe was to have given a representation here of the storming of the gate but at the wish of the Prince Imperial, the troupe gave a series of battle scenes in front of the Educational museum. Banners captured from the Chinese were exhibited, and a great open air altar, piled with offerings was also a feature. Relays of priests of high rank kept up ceaseless prayers before the shrine until night fall. At noon about three hundred priests celebrated a solemn requiem before the altar for those who fell in the war.

The centre of attraction was the race course in the Uyeno Park and the grand stand. Here the Prince Imperial witnessed the ceremonies. The stand was surrounded with thousands of scholars from the various Japanese schools and listened to addresses from the mayor of Tokio, the president of the lower house and others. Illuminations at night with pyrotechnic representations of naval battles and many other costly displays completed the day. There were a number of accidents and untold intoxication. Fights were frequent. No less than fifty-four persons were pushed or thrown into a pond in the park. Two thousand wooden clogs were lost in the crush and the park was strewn with hats, clothing and innumerable other things. Five hundred persons who had served terms for pocket picking were locked up before the ceremonies began and seventy thieves were caught in the act of robbing people. In fact, the celebration was very similar, all things considered, to any like affair of a grand character in Europe or America.

Death of Dr. Stanton L. Hall.

Portchester, N. Y., Jan. 14.—Doctor Stanton L. Hall, who from 1860 to 1893 was professor of principles of surgery and lecturer on diseases of the nose and throat, and also filled the chair of physical and differential diagnosis of the Homeopathic Hospital College, Cleveland, O., died at his home here, aged fifty-three years.

Satisfaction To Be Demanded.

Philadelphia, Jan. 14.—Satisfaction will be demanded by both the United States and Italy from Morocco for the recent boarding and robbery on the high seas by Moorish pirates, of the Italian bark Santola bound from Philadelphia to Naples with a cargo of refined petroleum.

Heavy Snow Storm in Ohio.

Warren, O., Jan. 14.—The heaviest snowstorm seen here for years prevailed yesterday. The snow is over a foot deep on the level and in places has drifted as high as fences. Through trains have been greatly delayed.

His Third Attempt Succeeded.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 14.—John B. Spencer, of West Manchester, 60 years of age, committed suicide by hanging in his barn. He was suffering from despondency and made two attempts to kill himself last week.

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Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 50, A.M., 12 02, 4 04, 7 30 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M. 6 40, 7 00, P. M.
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7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.
2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch
5 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.
6 19 P. M. for Flemington.
6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.
8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
8 46 P. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, 9 20 p.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.
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For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 06 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 20 p. m.
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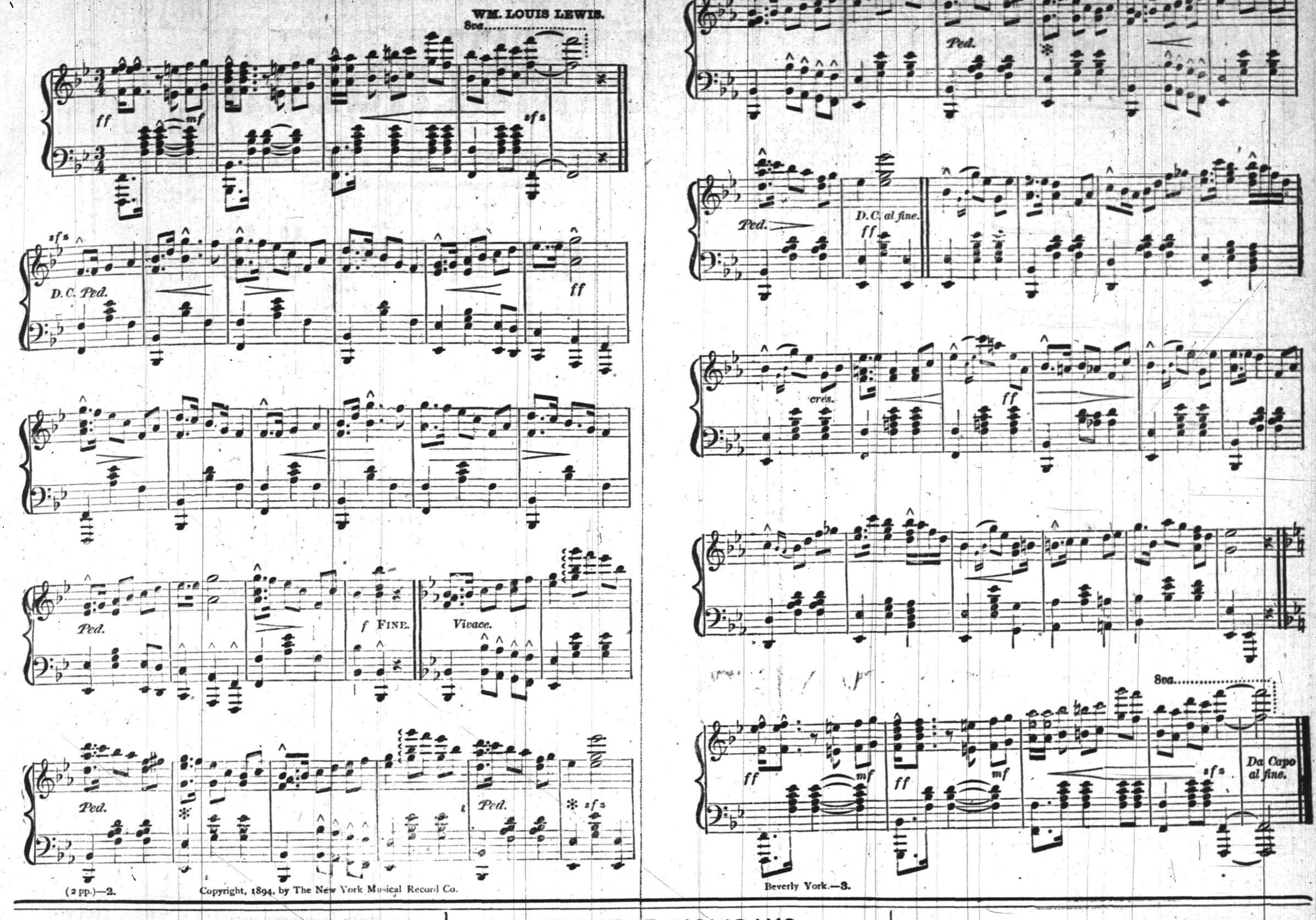

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CHAPTER IV.—CONTINUED.

She listened; but she hardly understood him. She feared; but he half imbued her with his feeling. She doubted if he were not possessed of a sacred fury. And while she was sure that her son—Beauxlieux—could not be otherwise than right, yet a great melancholy oppressed her, as if for the first time she saw thrones shake and the old order of things go by. "Oh, what shall we do with him, M. Etienne?" she cried when he had gone.

"Nothing," said M. Etienne, "the good God has him in hand."

Sometimes when Beauxlieux came home, he had strange tales of his experience in the prisons, where he had gained permission to practice and to study. Sometimes he had nothing at all to say, as if words fell short of power. Once, in contrast to all this, he brought his mother the most charming Parisian costume; the daintiest hat and mantle. It made her feel herself a woman of the world again when she put them on. "You look like all the rest of them!" said Beauxlieux, "only a thousand times lovelier than any of them! You shall go up with me and see the new Paris. You get into a rut living in solitude, like the rest of the underground people. You shall go to the opera again; you shall go to the Bon Marche."

"The extravagance, Beauxlieux! No, no, I do not wish to go."

"Reason the more that you should go. And as for the expense, if money does not grow on bushes now, yet I have all we need. And, my first duty being to you, my mother, there will still be that which will suffice for the new Crusade, in saving those who are in this day the sepulchre of Christ, in carrying succor to how many of the sad and sorry!"

It had plainly become a passion with him, this care for the spirits in prison not only behind iron grates, but in the bonds of rude flesh. His mother could not explain why the whole thing gave her such vague uneasiness. She turned for comfort, as usual, to M. Etienne. "It is time that he ranged himself, that I found for him some young girl with a sufficient dot," her thoughts summoning up an array of possible and impossible young princesses.

"But my people, my friends, are gone. The Chevalier St. Malo died last year, Mortignat is imbecile. I doubt if there is one left in the world who knows that the Duchess des Sarazines Beauxlieux lives! And he begins to have money. The bourgeois spirit of the time will seize him if we do not beware. Is it that it is the habit of all young men, playing, as he does, at a profession, so soon to arrive at wealth?"

"I—I do not know," stammered M. Etienne. "We—we may be sure—"

The duchess looked at him in surprise. Sure of what? Was M. Etienne disturbed that Beauxlieux found money easily? Of course whatever a Sarazines Beauxlieux attempted, he would do as well as the best. Had not even poor little Pierre made money?

"What is it, monsieur? You, also, you a physician, you should know."

"I have always had sufficient, madame," said M. Etienne, with an air of cold restraint quite foreign to him, and leaving her with an abrupt bow, as if he heard some one speaking without, he paused in the great hall to wipe his forehead. What he did know very well was that no young physician could bring home to his mother, from time to time, Worth costumes, hothouse luxuries, costly wines, or a pony carriage to take the air, even though he denied himself everything as Beauxlieux did, and gave them to her because, sensible that they were as much to her after long seclusion as sun and air to those others, the sufferers, as equal laws to the craftsmen, as liberty and life to the slave, as the bit of mother earth to all that tread upon it. "She is one of my people, too," he said to M. Etienne. "And to each according to his need!" And then, by an unavoidable accident, M. Etienne had seen a scrap of paper, on which was noted, apparently, a balance that had made him feel as if there were nothing real left in the world. He called to mind the gaming debts of the old duke, his grandfather, stories of wild play, in which whole provinces changed hands and lands and serfs were staked against the value of a fair prendendue's affections. But anything like that, he knew as well as he knew that the sky was above him, was impossible to Beauxlieux. The worst he feared, he the royalist, was that place and power were throwing fortune into the young noble's hands, so peradventure to win him to themselves. How he had come by such a sum of money his friend and tutor could not say—it had a strange look—but under any and all circumstances Beauxlieux must be right. What was of more consequence to M. Etienne than all the rest was that the duchess was uneasy concerning it.

Beauxlieux's twenty-fourth birthday was now approaching He was away with Jean—Jean in the priestly garb he always wore now—on one of their trips which he called journeys into the night. His mother knew that he carried alms to the perishing, that he went to give them the help of his profession, for which alone he had learned and valued it, to teach their rights as human beings to whole clusters of slaves. One day she found a letter open on Beauxlieux's desk, written, it said, from the blood of a pricked vein; and she felt a horrible foreboding that some day he, also, would be in the depths of some oubliette sending such a message to hearten those without. Oh, what had happened to the world, she cried, when a prince like Beauxlieux felt himself of no more worth than the tatterdemalion herding with his cows

THE DUCHESS HERSELF OPENED THEM.

and sheep or crowding the cellars of filthy city courts!

But now he was coming home! And when she saw him she forgot danger. He was there and the sun shone. With Beauxlieux at her feet, with M. Etienne at the other side of the fire, what more had she to ask? She had Olympe prepare a toilette for her to wear on this birthday that should make him remember to whom he belonged—his mother still the grande dame—and she went with Olympe to the secret place in the wall to bring out the old Beauxlieux diamonds, with half a pleasant anticipation of the flash of their awakening, of the sudden sheets of luster that, after their three years' imprisonment, should stream out as if they would illumine the very abyss into which the glory of the Sarazines Beauxlieux had fallen.

One by one Olympe took the cases and carried them to the dressing table. The duchess herself opened the large one, and instead of the burst of radiance—nothing. Only the loose, soft chamois lining of the thing gave out an empty gleam. There was some mistake. How was it? Could the jewels have been crowded into the other cases? Their fingers trembled, they knew not why, as they tried to open them. One and all they were empty. The seldom worn coronet, the lesser diadem, the rivieres, those superb and matchless stones of the fillets and of the collar and of the sunburst that had been theirs for more than a thousand years, had vanished as if they had been soap-bubbles.

"I CAN BEAR IT NO LONGER," SHE CRIED.

CHAPTER V.

They ran back to the hidden niche, they dragged out the iron box. Both of them were empty also. The two women confronted each other, white and shaking. They had been robbed! What misery! What cruelty! Who was it could misuse them so? Who knew of the hiding place? Who had taken them? "Do not speak," said the duchess. "Be quiet till I can think! Oh, say nothing, say nothing till I can think," she murmured over and over. "Say nothing, my Olympe! Say nothing!"

Without question there was not a stone or spark left of the Beauxlieux diamonds.

The duchess could have trusted Olympe with her life; she knew, of course, that nothing would be said about the loss of the diamonds till she spoke herself. And it seemed to her as if she had herself been stricken with dumbness. All her shadowy fears vanished like thin phantoms before this terrible reality of evil. Not that the diamonds were gone; not that anyone could reproach her for neglect, was she concerned. What had she ever cared for them, other than as they represented the long-descended luster of the family itself? And it was not she who had been robbed, any more than the long line of all that dead and long people. She paced the great hall and looked angrily at the dark portraits—were the eyes there stabbing her with reproach for what she had brought among them? She went out and essayed to busy herself among her late lingering flowers. It was no use; there was a worm at every root. When she walked along the shore, the restless wash and roar of the water was the only thing in tune with the tumult of her thoughts. When she came in she whirled, without reading it, a letter of Beauxlieux into the fire that always smoldered on the hearth, and sat there wrapped in a cloud of gloom. She did not eat in these days. She did not sleep. White and thin and with a little breathless air, the blackness of her gown was not so black as the shadow that surrounded her. "They were his!" she said over and over to herself, like the tolling of a bell. "They were his—de quelque maniere. He had only to speak. I would have put them into his hand. But to—oh, no, no, no, let me not say the word! It is impossible. Mother of God, and it is true! Oh! Oh! Oh! Beauxlieux! Beauxlieux, my son!" And her grief was more hopeless than that of another who buries her child.

Sometimes she would wonder if she were dreaming. Or even, with a throb of relief, if it could be that she were crazed. Suddenly she would deny it all, and accuse herself of an infamy. She to suspect the noblest, the truest, the loftiest of his line! She to believe evil of that upright, proud soul! And then the facts flashed before her again like a chain of lightning on the darkness—the ease that had insensibly come into the house, the accursed gowns from Worth, the frequency of the costly journeys, the repairs of the roofs of the chateau. Where had Beauxlieux obtained the money? "Oh, I can bear it no more," she cried once, starting back from the embrasure of the window as M. Etienne came in, and not knowing that she spoke aloud, "I can bear it no more."

"Pardon me," said the monsieur. "Pardon if I overhear. I have seen before that your grace is troubled. Have you lost all confidence in me, madame? At least, will you not remember that I am your physician?" He stood there as pale as she, his head bowed, his sad eyes at her feet.

She ran toward him, but stopped, tottering, so that she would have fallen but for his quick arm. "Oh, monsieur!" she cried. "You are all I have—for he has broken my heart!"

"You are wrong," he said to her, when some time afterward, with sobs and tears and wild cries and exclamations, she had unburdened her heart. "It is just as much out of the question as that the sky should fall. Doubt Beauxlieux? I would as soon—let me say it as I would say a prayer—doubt the Lord. It is simply impossible."

"Oh, so I said. It"

"We will let it rest there then."

"Oh, Etienne; it is so long that you have been a comfort, a help, a shield to me."

"And will be forever!"

"Oh, but the money, Etienne!" she cried, with recurring memories coming like the waves of subsiding waters. "We who have been so long without money—all that money he must have!" wringing her hands again.

"That is his affair. It is not mine. If the Duke des Sarazines Beauxlieux has a purse befitting him, he came by it as the earth comes by the sun, through the grace of God. It is not possible that white should be black, and Beauxlieux is white! White as innocence and goodness. No, no, no, do not give it a thought. You wrong yourself. My God! You've wronged him. We must look elsewhere."

"But why does the suspicion,—oh, the terrible, hateful suspicion, the dreadful facts! Why do they all arrange themselves about him?" she persisted. "Alas! Alas! Why indeed do I live? Why does not my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth? It is my son of whom I speak! Oh, we have had misfortune, Etienne, such misfortune! But never such misfortune, such despair as this!"

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THE COLLEGE BOYS.

They Are Given Gay and Festive Time by Plainfield People.

College Glee Clubs seldom have cause to regret a visit to Plainfield. The town is full of admirers of student musicians and these turned out in force last night at the Casino to hear the Columbia boys concert. The arrangements of the reception were admirable in every way and and the method employed of placing the numbers of the programme between the dances instead of all before them called forth many approving remarks.

The room was decorated in light blue and white cheesecloth, with here and there a university flag or a branch of Christmas holly. Evergreens were used with a lavish hand and the effect was very pleasing. The usual supply of sofa cushions not only added to the comfort of the guests but formed an important addition to the decorations. The stage was provided with ottomans and rugs and many of the patronesses took that position for hearing the concert. A low platform on the stage right covered with rugs and provided with chairs served as a stage for the clubs, whose playing and singing were admirable; in fact it was the universal verdict that last night's musical performance was the best that had been heard in Plainfield for many a day. It would be hard to pick out either the banjo, mandolin or glee club for special commendation, they were all so good, but it is safe to say that the collegians, singing proved the most popular.

The order of dancing and concert numbers were as follows:

PROGRAMME.

Waltz.
Two Step.
Waltz.
Clubs { Banjo. Glee. Mandolin.
Two Step.
Waltz.
Two Step.
Clubs { Banjo. Glee. Mandolin.
Supper.
Waltz.
Clubs { Banjo. Glee. Mandolin.
Waltz.
Two Step.
Waltz.
Two Step.

Elliott played the dance music and was entirely satisfactory.

Supper was served about midnight by the club and was under the direct supervision of the club's head waiter, John Tombo. The tables looked very well indeed and many remarked the excellence of the service.

Dancing continued after supper until past two and even at the last dance the thinning out on the floor was barely perceptible. Many of the younger girls were present as a glee club reception was considered sufficiently informal to warrant the waiving of the question of whether a girl was out or not.

Great credit is due to Mr. Cokefair who had the entire arrangements on his hands and it was through his efforts that everything went so smoothly and well. The patronesses were:

Mrs. M. Ackerman,	Mrs. Henry McGee,
" R. L. Burnett,	" S. A. Ginna,
" A. C. Baldwin,	" D. F. Ginna,
" C. C. Cokefair,	" Dr. E. W. Hedges,
" Edgar Corlies,	" Sam'l Huntington,
" Martin I. Cooley,	" F. O. Herring,
" Rowland Cox,	" Walter Haviland,
" J. B. Dumont,	" Benj. Hegeman,
" James DeGraff,	" L. N. Lovell,
" G.W.Endicott,	" A. A. Low,
" M. E. Edgerton,	" C. A. Marsh,
" George Evans,	" J. P. Mason,
" Alex. Gilbert,	" J. W. Reinhart,
" Walter Stewart,	" Wm. L. Saunders,
Miss Emilie Schipper,	" L. G. Timpson,
Mrs. M. W. Tyler,	" J. Evarts Tracy,
" Evarts Tracy,	" G.W.VanBoskerck
" E. VanBuren,	" E. L. Walz,
" O. G. Waring,	" F. W. Yates.

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs J W Reinhart, Mr and Mrs Wm L Saunders, Mr and Mrs Marion S Ackerman, Mr and Mrs E S Hooley, Mr and Mrs J A Machado, Mrs E L Walz, Mrs J Evarts Tracy, the Misses Tracy, Mr and Mrs Alexander Gilbert, Albert Gibbs, Mr and Mrs W A Nye, Mr and Mrs J Frank Raymond, Mrs Gilford Mayer, Mrs C W McGee, Miss Lawson, E M VanBuren, F H.Andrews, Mrs Andrews, Miss Andrews, Miss Middledith, H V Borden, T S Wheeler, Miss Reinhart, Miss Kathrine Reinhart, Miss Dumont, John M Whiton, Miss Mary Whiton, Miss Marie Dryden, Miss Ethel Harte, Miss Louise Bushnell, Miss Taylor, Miss Whitman, Mr Dryden, T S Wheeler, S Brown, Miss Clark, Miss Kathryn Yates, Miss Haviland, Miss A W Haviland, Mrs McGee, Mrs J B Dumont, Miss Holly, Miss Margaret Holly, Miss Mary W Renwick, Miss Mary E Dodd, Miss M Evans, J F Middledith, T S Anthony, Howard Beebe, Mr and Mrs Craig A Marsh, Miss Ada Marsh, Henry West, Arthur West, Frank C Cokefair, Mrs Fred H Lunn, Charles H Lunn, Dr Shannon.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Edward Shumplk, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

THATCHER HIMSELF AGAIN.

Plainfield's Favorite Own Minstrel Arranges a Gorgeous New Production.

George Thatcher and Carroll Johnson, who will bring their new minstrel company to Plainfield Feb. 4, have taken special pains and spared no expense in the costuming and magnificence of the scenic display which the rise of the curtain on their gorgeous "first-part" scene will disclose.

The scene represents a spectacular palace, brilliantly illuminated by a wealth of new and novel electrical effects, and with its grand staircase and spacious galleries making a scene of grandeur never before attempted in minstrelsy.

The large company, costumed in the brilliant dress of the "English Hunt Club", with Miss Alma Bellini, the well-known soprano, and Miss Helen Courtland, the charming contralto, in beautiful evening dresses with long court trains, form a picture which is sure to please the most fastidious in its harmony and color effects. Add to this the sweet singing of the Misses Bellina and Courtland, John Gardner, W. Olivier, Boardman Carnes, B. J. Tiemann, Robt. Cross and A. H. Waite, and the sparkling humor of George Thatcher, Carroll Johnson, Frank H. White and George Powers, and it would seem that the "first-part" of Thatcher & Johnson's minstrels contains all the elements of interest and entertainment.

Add to the pleasures of this marvelous "first-part" the following high-class list of vaudeville artists: Miss Lillie Larkelle, the bright and clever soubrette in a turn of catchy songs; the famous Eddy Family, four in number two ladies and two gentlemen, in their refined acrobatic specialties; Carroll Johnson in his new conceit, "Entertaining the Vaudeville Club", introducing character songs and dances; George Thatcher, in a brand new monologue; and the Morris Educated Ponies, 10 in number including "Banner" the famous wrestling pony, and "Madison Square" the smallest horse in the world. being but 27 inches in height and weighing but 45 pounds, in tricks, drills and feats of almost human intelligence under the tutorship of Master William Morris, whose skill as a trainer has never been equaled; and it would seem that Messrs. Thatcher & Johnson have provided an entertainment hard to equal.

The novelty and splendid appearance of the parade which the company will make on the day of the performance will excite much comment.

Amusements to Come.

The following attractions and dates are booked for Music Hall by R. C. Varian & Co.:

January 16, "A Baggage Check"; January 21, "A Texas Steer"; January 23, "The Ivy Leaf"; January 24, "Lost Paradise"; January 29, Keller, (The Magician); January 31, "A Trip to Chinatown".

February 4, Thatcher & Jonhson Minstrels; February 11, "Land of the Midnight Sun"; February 19, Chauncey Olcott, the successor to Scanlan; February 26, "The Tornado"; February 28, "She".

March 4, "Charley's Aunt"; March 7, 8, 9, "Lillian Kennedy"; March 12, The Choral Union; March 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, "Minnie Lester", return engagement.

April 2, Primrose & West Minstrels; April 9, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall; April 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, Waite Comedy Company; April 23, Robert Mantell.

May 10, "1492".

The Dewolf Hopper Opera Company, the Thomas Seabrooke Opera Company, Lewis Morrison in "Faust", and the Della Fox Opera Company, also will appear, but the dates are not yet positively arranged.

—Flagging is to be laid as soon as the weather permits, on the property owned by I. P. Allen, at Somerset street and Fairview avenue.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

DEATH OF PETER WOODEN

He Was North Plainfield's Oldest Inhabitant.

FELL DEAD FROM HIS CHAIR

Had Been Doing His Chores as Usual, and Had Just Brought Eggs from the Barn—Was in His 95th Year, and Sturdy to the Last.

Peter Wooden, known to all as "Uncle Peter", died suddenly yesterday afternoon at his home in North Plainfield. He was the oldest inhabitant, and would have completed his 95th year in May.

"Uncle Peter" was in good health and active in his daily work up to the very last. Even as late as Sunday he took a lively interest in all that went on in the town, and had planned to go to the W. C. T. U. meeting in Music Hall, but was disappointed on account of the snow storm that came up. He was a frequent attendant at church, going to service whenever it was possible, his usual attendant being his 10-year-old great-greatniece, Rachel Sprigge.

Yesterday morning he was about the yard and barn, shelling corn in the hand-mill, and cleaning up the place. He made his daily visit to Spencer's store, and was apparently as well as usual. He ate a hearty dinner at home, and followed his accustomed routine. About half-past three he went to the barn for eggs. When he came in, his niece, Miss Smalley, who lives at the place, asked him how many eggs he had got. He answered that he had brought three in, and had left one in each nest. She said she would better go and bring the nest eggs in because they might freeze over night. While she went for the eggs he sat down in his favorite chair between the stove and the window, in the kitchen, and soon after her return he suddenly fell sideways toward the window, without a sound. Mrs. Louise Sprigge, a great-greatniece, was present

with Miss Smalley. They thought he had a fainting spell. While Miss Smalley lifted "Uncle Peter" to the bed, Mrs. Sprigge ran across to Spencer's and got Mr. Spencer and John Goodwin to go over and assist. They found "Uncle Peter" motionless on the bed, and finding no pulse applied camphor in an effort to revive him. Ann Dickinson happened in just at that time, and went for a doctor. She tried to get Dr. Carman, but he was not at home. Dr. Probasco also was out. Mrs. Probasco telephoned for Dr. Tomlinson, "Uncle Peter's" family physician, but Dr. Tomlinson was on his rounds. Mrs. Dickinson stopped for Dr. Carman again, but he was still out. Meanwhile Dr. Mattison had been reached, and he was the first physician to attend. He was soon joined by Drs. Carman, Probasco, and Tomlinson. They found "Uncle Peter" dead. Louis Sprigge went for "Uncle Peter's" spiritual adviser, Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, who offered consolation in the bereavement and tendered pastoral counsel and aid. A. M. Runyon & Son were notified, and the body was put in their care. The funeral was set for Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the house, the officiating clergyman to be Dr. Lewis. The burial will be in a lot bought by "Uncle Peter", unknown to most of his friends, in Hillside Cemetery. His family burials have been in North Plainfield.

Ann Dickinson lived with "Uncle Peter" twenty years, and for the past seven Miss Smalley had been his housekeeper, faithfully caring for him. Last Sunday Mrs. Dickinson stopped in at "Uncle Peter's" on her way from church, and took dinner with him. "Little did I think"—she says—"that that was to be my last meal with him."

A few days ago "Uncle Peter" told his great-greatniece, Rachel Spriggs, that he had lived to see '95 and was prepared to go. He was continually speaking in a strain showing his spiritual condition, and his readiness to enter the rest that must soon come to crown his years. He was found at prayer on his knees, four or five times a day, in his bedroom or in the parlor, and his mind was at perfect rest and content. And thus he died.

Wm. M. Stillman was "Uncle Peter's" legal adviser, and because of his being in Bermuda at the present time the matters of his estate cannot be detailed. A short time ago it was estimated that "Uncle Peter" was worth $200,000, but this of course cannot be verified until an accurate inventory is made.

From The Daily Press of Oct. 13, 1893, the following faithful sketch and excellent accompanying likeness are reproduced.

The little white cottage on Somerset street has been home to Uncle Peter Wooden as far back as any other "oldest inhabitant" can remember, and Uncle Peter himself has been a local landmark the best part of a century.

The story of Uncle Peter's life is one of quiet prosperity. He was born May 24, 1800, within half a mile of his present residence. His father was Ezra Wooden, who took wife from the Martin family of New Durham, Middlesex County, and settled on a farm at Somerset street and Greenbrook road, during the latter part of the eighteenth century.

Peter Wooden learned the blacksmith trade, and for 30 years had his shop at Chatham and Somerset streets, opposite his residence, where the Crescent Hotel now stands. He also ran a farm. The land he acquired was more than 100 acres, and the site of his farm is now a most important portion of North Plainfield.

David J. Carney, who is one of Uncle Peter's most intimate friends, relates that during school vacations in the Summers of 1865 and '66, as a small boy he used to drive Uncle Peter's cows to and from pasture. The cattle grazed in those days in a meadow alongside the stretch of woodland up Somerset street, owned by Uncle Peter. Later in the season, David used to pick stone on the farm, and help gather apples from the orchard, and accompany Uncle Peter to Spencer's cider mill in the Valley.

The farm at that time extended from Green brook to present Park place, and comprised most of the area between these limits and Somerset and Grove streets. The Grove street boundary was along the north side of Grove street all the way from the bridge to Park place. Thence the line ran to Somerset street where the new schoolhouse now stands, and down Somerset street to Uncle Peter's present residence. From there down to the brook the boundary line was irregular, but the farm included the greater part of the land in the rear of Thorn's flats (the site of which is on the old Dr. John Craig farm); the residence of David French, father of P. M. French, now occupied by Rev. W. E. Honeyman; the Johnson house, now occupied by Jacob Voehl; and the property where C. Frank French today has his granary.

It was to this farm that Uncle Peter brought his bride of 1835, Rachel Randolph of South Plainfield. They had three children, but all died young, except George, who reached manhood and went to Illinois. He died there aged 33, without issue.

Uncle Peter lost his wife in 1837, and in 1840 took a new helpmeet in Miss Margaret Cory of Stony Hill. She was known to Uncle Peter from her visits to the Somerset street farm adjoining the Wooden place, that being owned by Daniel Coon, whose wife was Margaret Cory's sister Harriet. Another sister of the bride was Hannah, wife of 'Squire Allen, whose brother David Allen was an old-time resident of Washington Valley. These Allen boys had a famous brother in Col. John Allen, in his day owner of the Martine farm in this city, and Colonel in the New Jersey State Militia. Uncle Peter's wife Aunt Margaret was a beloved citizen of North Plainfield. She was a devoted member of the Plainfield First Baptist Church, and a woman of sunny nature and big-hearted charity. She was but two years younger than Uncle Peter, when she died in 1890, ripe in years of kindly deeds.

Uncle Peter's memory is bright, and he enjoys telling of the distant past. He is indeed a relic of old times, and is full of reminiscences of events of those early days which were alive with men now dead and forgotten. He himself clearly recounts the chronicles of the Wooden family. His father Ezra, he says, had eight children, six boys and two girls, whose names were Gideon, Peter, Ziba, Nathan, Richard, Jeptha, Sarah and Elizabeth. Ezra Wooden was in the Revolutionary War. Just before the Battle of Monmouth he gave his horse to a man named Moore, who came from over the mountain near Basking Ridge, asking him to take it to the rear. Moore threw himself astride the animal, and rode all the way from the Monmouth battlefield to his home. The neighbors, however, would not let him enter his house, but compelled him to return to the front. Four of Ezra's sons married and went to Illinois, Gideon and Uncle Peter remaining at home. Gideon, who was known as "Priest" Wooden, was a Seventh-Day preacher, and was pastor of the old historical Piscataway church. He afterwards owned the large farm below Cedar brook, on Park avenue, which he cultivated. "Priest" Wooden's son Ezra is the father of William, Ludlow and Martin Wooden; William and Ludlow are hotel-keepers in Hunterdon and Morris counties, respectively, and Martin is connected with the Royal Baking Powder Co. Ziba was married, and had two children. Nathan also married. Nathan's son George Wooden frequently spent the Summer with Uncle Peter. He died a year or two ago, leaving a sister in Newark, where he formerly resided. Elizabeth Wooden married Aaron Freeman, and was the mother of two children, Sarah marrying Aaron Allen, who used to reside on Race street, where the electric-light station now is, and Mary E. marrying a former store-keeper here named John Boice. Richard was married and has a daughter named Hannah living in Illinois. Jeptha's son and daughter also reside in that State. Sarah Wooden married a man named Fields, and after his death she married Robert Morris, an Englishman, by whom she had two children, one dying in childhood. They lived at the corner of Amity street and Sixth avenue, New York. The remaining child at the age of sixteen came to Plainfield and lived with the family of the late Zachariah Webster and married Peter Dickinson, a physician of Brooklyn, who was the father of Caleb Dickinson, the Park avenue jeweler, whose mother Ann Dickinson is a well-known member of the M. E. Church in this city.

So much for the Wooden chronology. There have been generations continually springing up, and good old Uncle Peter has outlived many of the younger blood. He has lived a peaceful, modest, domestic life, of restful tranquility and simplicity. Always a busy worker, he still does all the odd chores about his home, and as a living relic of the old farm life up to a few months ago kept a horse. Little by little he has parted with his land, thereby adding to the snug fortune which his industry and frugality have accumulated. He has never deviated from his rule of quiet living, and a recent railroad trip to White House, with Ann Dickinson, was a novel and quite exciting experience. Spectators were intensely interested in the picture of the two quaint characters going off on the holiday jaunt.

Uncle Peter has always been a faithful attendant at church, and is now a regular and devoted member of Dr. Lewis's Seventh-Day Baptist Church on Central avenue. Years ago he used to listen to his brother "Priest" Wooden preach in the Piscataway church near the Half-Moon Hotel below Quibbletown, now New Market. A Mr. Laverty was a preacher there afterwards. A remarkable coincidence is that Uncle Peter's birthday anniversary and that of Timothy Morse occurred together, Mr. Morse being one year younger.

Uncle Peter's good health is undoubtedly due in part to his abstinence from liquor and tobacco. His picture, excellently given herewith, and his biography, now first published, will be treasured by his loving friends.

Additional facts concerning "Uncle Peter" were given to a Daily Press reporter last evening by Ann Dickinson. She said that the birthplace of "Uncle Peter" was in a frame house long ago moved, from its original site on Greenbrook road near Somerset street, to Regent street, where later it was torn down. Peter was the youngest of Ezra's and Ruth's sons. He was 16 when apprenticed to the blacksmithing trade with Ezra Williams at the smithy near Union Village. His first marriage was April 28, 1825, to Rachel Randolph, daughter of Nehemiah Randolph of Piscataway. By her he had three children: John Williams Wooden, born April 22, 1829, died Feb. 19, 1837; George Washington Wooden, born Aug. 25, 1831, died Oct. 10, 1864; Randolph Wooden, born May 2, 1835, died Jan. 15, 1855. His wife Rachel died Oct. 11, 1837. He remarried March 22, 1840, Margaret Cory. At his first marriage he moved from the homestead into a house standing where C. Frank French's feed store now stands. They lived there a short time, and "Uncle Peter" built the house where he lived ever since. His second wife died March 22, 1890, leaving no offspring. Several years before his second wife's death he gave up the blacksmithing business which he had conducted at the corner of Chatham and Somerset streets, and devoted his time to home duties, raising vegetables, caring for cows and poultry. He tilled the greater part of fifteen acres in the locality where Duer and Grove streets now run, selling the land for town development. Some of the land was bought and improved by the Mr. Duer after whom the street was named. "Uncle Peter" opened Vine street, and some of his land he sold for the public school site.

The cause of "Uncle Peter's" death is attributed to heart failure.

"The Baggage Check."

Farce-comedy is successful only when the girls are pretty and can sing and dance, and when the comedians are real funny. "The Baggage Check" has all these requirements. Charles E. Blaney has turned out four successes in the last two years, and his "A Baggage Check",

which comes to Music Hall tomorrow night, is said to be the best of all of them, as he had an unusually clever lot of people to write for as the cast in the advertisement shows.

In addition to a rattling good farce-comedy, the management have provided a novelty called "The Dead Pictures", said to be a truly marvelous performance.

An Artist Fresh from Paris.

An attractive room in the new Babcock Building is the studio occupied by Miss Louise Huntington Collins, an artist whose talent has been developed by the best of instruction in this country, and by three years of study in Paris, whence she has just returned.

Miss Collins has opened classes in drawing and painting, from models and still life. Her classes meet Tuesday and Friday mornings, and afternoon classes for children are contemplated. Opportunity is thus offered for all interested in drawing, water colors, and oils. If Miss Collins receives sufficient encouragement, she may establish an art school.

Freight Wreck on the Central.

At 2:30 this morning the eastbound Manch Chunk fast freight drawn by Engine 408, and in charge of Conductor Gray, was ditched at Lebanon by the breaking of an axle under a stone car. Seven cars were derailed, and it took the wrecking crew which was at once called from Hampton several hours to clear the debris.

This morning the eastbound mail train was late, being obliged to run on the time of the 8:15 local, the latter train taking the place of the mail for today's trip to the city.

Queen City Lodge.

A large assembly of brothers filled the lodge room of Queen City, 228, I. O. O. F., last evening to witness the installation of the newly elected officers, a full list of which has previously appeared in The Press. The ceremonies were performed by District Deputy Grand Master Stamets and staff of Westfield, after which speeches were made by the new officers, and visiting brethren. The entire party then adjourned to the upper rooms, where all worked the banquet degree of the order in the most approved manner.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

FRENCH CABINET RESIGNS.

Premier Dupuy Could Not Be Induced to Retain Office.

Paris, Jan. 15.—Premier Dupuy has handed the resignation of the French ministry to President Casimir-Perier.

President Casimir-Perier tried vainly to induce Premier Dupuy to reconsider his resignation. The premier would not listen to any proposals looking to his retention of office and, after a conference of forty minutes, his resignation was accepted. Henri Brisson, president of the chamber, and M. Challemel Lacour, president of the senate, will be summoned to the Elysee to consult with M. Casimir-Perier.

The Official Journal publishes a decree charging the members of the Dupuy cabinet to carry on the routine business of their departments until their successors shall be appointed. The general opinion is that, if a radical ministry is formed, M. Bourgeois, minister of justice during the Panama scandal, or Eugene Godefroy Gavaignac will be the premier. Those near the president are making a strenuous efforts to assure the choice of Bourgeois. Whether a composite or homogeneous cabinet be arranged, probably several members of the Dupuy ministry will remain in office.

SHOT DOWN BY NEGROES.

Revenge the Motive for a Tragedy at Columbus, Ga.

Columbus, Ga., Jan. 15.—About half past 6 o'clock last night people passing along Broad street, opposite the Georgia Home Insurance building, the most conspicuous portion of the business section of the city, were startled by rapid reports of pistol shots being fired, and a young man with a smoking revolver in his hand staggered into Brannon & Carson's drug store, threw his weapon on the counter, fell to the floor and expired almost instantly, with great streams of blood issuing from his mouth and ears.

The young man killed was J. Thomas Jarrett, who kept a small merchandise store, and was also a member of a detective agency. He had ferretted out a robbery of a saloon, and encountered two negroes, whom he had seen in the act of stealing from the saloon, which is located on Broad street, and attempted to arrest them. It is supposed the negroes resisted and Jarrett drew his pistol to defend himself when a shot was fired, four more following immediately. The two negroes broke and ran in different directions and Jarrett staggered into the store and fell dead.

A TOW GOES TO PIECES.

Twenty Barges Sink and Others Drift Out of Sight.

Hawesville, Ky., Jan. 15.—In a dense fog as the tow boat Boaz with thirty loaded coal boats bound from Pittsburg to New Orleans, rounded the bend just above here, she struck the bank and the fleet went to pieces. The Boaz's wheel and machinery were damaged and the boat keeled over on one side. The crew became frantic and climbed on to the barges. Twenty barges went down immediately and others drifted out of sight, jammed, and are going to pieces in the ice.

The Boaz drifted by lying on one side, evidently about to sink. Every steamer here and at Cannellton on the Indiana shore sounded distress whistles. Citizens of both towns were terror stricken and great excitement prevailed. The boats belong to Juty, of Cincinnati, and the coal to Fawcett, of Pittsburg.

Asked the Pope to Arbitrate.

Cairo, Jan. 15.—The native journal Al Mokattam publishes the following: "The sultan recently asked the pope to arbitrate the Armenian question, and his holiness sent to Constantinople a delegate who proposed that the powers intervene, and intimated it would be necessary to get practical guarantees that the church Governmental reforms be carried out. The pope purposes to make representations to Europe that the troubles in Armenia arose, not from religious animosity, but from bad government."

Carlisle Modifies an Order.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Late yesterday afternoon Secretary Carlisle sent a telegram to collectors of customs at all of the leading ports to modify his recent order in which they were directed to collect an additional duty of one-tenth of a cent per pound on sugar imported from Spain or her dependencies. He now instructs them that this additional duty is to apply only to refined sugars.

Large Woolen Mill Sold.

Dedham, Mass., Jan. 15.—The large brick woolen mill known as the Merchants' Woolen mill, East Dedham, has been sold to Frederick Thayer, a wealthy young manufacturer of Worcester. Thayer owns mills at Worcester and also at Cherry Valley. The mill is equipped with twenty-nine sets of cards, and is one of the largest in the state.

Mrs. Childs-Whitney Divorced.

Oklahoma, O. T., Jan. 15.—A decree of divorce was granted in the district court here to Annie Childs-Whitney, of New York, prominent in society there and a niece of the late George W. Childs. Her husband, Carlos W. Whitney, made no defense to the charges of abandonment and incompatibility of temperament.

Under the Ice To Death.

Montreal, Jan. 15.—At Windsor Mills a young married woman named Moore deliberately left her house after breakfast with her fifteen-month-old child in her arms and plunged into the river St. Francis. Mother and child were swept under the ice by the swift current.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR—Steady. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.85.

WHEAT—Firm. No. 2 red, 62¾c.

CORN—Firm. No. 2, 52¾c.; steamer, 51¾c.

A JUDGE'S NIGHTMARE.

The Celebrated Johnson Case in Connecticut To Be Reopened.

Norwich, Conn., Jan. 15.—To the surprise even of the counsel in the celebrated Johnson case, Andrew Johnson the petitioner to have a conservator appointed over his mother, Mrs. Mary T. Johnson, after agreeing to the terms of settlement, declared yesterday before Judge Carter that never since the case begun had he for a moment thought he would accept any proposition for settlement. Solomon Lucas, one of his lawyers, did not appear in court and it is reported has withdrawn from the case. His other attorney, Mr. Thayer, said he had nothing to say except that he would as soon go into the forest and try to drive a wild animal as to try to drive his client.

Gov. Waller, representing Mrs. Johnson, said: "It might be advisable to name a conservator appointed to look after Andrew Johnson." Lawyer Brandegee, said: "The agreement was made by Andrew Johnson's counsel, and they had notified him that the case had been settled satisfactorily and a copy of the agreement had been forwarded to him. Now, we see Andrew Johnson insisting that they back out, raise the curtain and display a wretched home to satisfy the putrid curiosity of the public.

"If this agreement was satisfactory to him and his counsel God be merciful to him and them before they get out of this court again. If this trial is resumed the fight shall be to a finish, 'lay on Macduff.'"

Judge Carter said: "I must have rest. I wake up in the night and this case is before me. I want to go where there will be something else before me. I shall not be ready to hear the case till next week." The case was finally continued to Jan. 26.

STOLE TO HELP A FRIEND.

Defaulter Abbott Prefers Death Rather Than a Prison Cell.

Dover, N. H., Jan. 15.—Defaulter Abbott of the Dover National bank who committed suicide just before he was to be arrested yesterday afternoon, left in his brother's possession a statement of his defalcations, in an envelope addressed to Examiner Dorr. That gentleman promised to make the statement public, but said, after due consideration, that he would not give it out. He said, however, that the statement was not detailed, but only left clues for him to follow. He would not state the amount of the shortage, but it is stated by some insiders that the amount is not far from $80,000. It is hinted that Abbott has not been a thief in the common sense of the word, but made his first inroad on the money belonging to the bank to help out a friend. He would not state who that friend was, but there is every reason to believe that the true facts will come to light before the examination is over.

COLOMBIA DISTURBED.

A Mighty Revolution Likely to Occur in the Republic.

Panama, Jan. 15.—News from the interior of the republic and the Atlantic coast of Colombia indicates a disturbed political condition, one that at any time may lead to the mightiest revolution that this home of revolutions has known.

The liberals, for many years kept under and anxious for true republican freedom and citizenship, are now ready to strike a new blow for their birthright. They smart under a priestly rule and excessive taxation.

As an instance of how things are run by those in power may be cited the fact that a decree has been enforced on the isthmus precluding the meeting of more than two people on the public streets.

Pearsall Lived High.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 15.—George Persall, who gave his address as Harlem, N. Y., is wanted in Milford by the Milford hotel for a week's board, and by a liveryman for taking away a buggy and a pair of horses. He represented himself as an engineer and that he was in charge of some work for the New York & New Haven road. While in Milford he lived very high and drank expensive liquors. "Persall" is about 50 years old, five feet nine inches in height, 190 pounds, and dressed very well.

Gov. Morton's Nominations.

Albany, Jan. 15.—Gov. Morton sent the following nominations to the senate yesterday: State commissioners of health, Daniel Lewis, M. D., of New York city, to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of office of Henry G. Wolcott; Case Jones, of the city of Rochester, to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of office of William Millbank, and Owen Cassidy, of Havana, to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of office of John Edwards.

E. & P. Stockholders Elected.

Erie, Pa., Jan. 15.—At the election held by the stockholders of the Erie & Pittsburg railroad, directors were elected as follows: Charles L. Fairchild and James McCrea, New York; George B. Roberts, Philadelphia; Charles H. Strong, William Brewster, M. H. Taylor and Joseph M. Carter, Erie. Charles H. Strong was re-elected president, and William Brewster, secretary and treasurer.

Minister Kato in New York.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Mr. Kato, the Japanese minister to Great Britain, arrived in New York this morning. Mr. Kato will sail to-morrow by the steamer Teutonic for England.

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Grout's Bill Gets a Black Eye in the House.

Gorman Criticizes Hill in the Senate for His Course on the Tariff Law—The New York Senator Retaliates Upon His Southern Colleague with Equal Warmth.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The opponents of Mr. Grout's bill to subject oleomargarine, butterine and other substitutes for and imitations of dairy products, to the laws of the state into which it may be transported, yesterday made good their assertion that they could prevent its passage in the consideration morning hour. Under the lead of Messrs. Bynum (dem., Ind.) and Williams (dem., Miss.), the few opponents successfully exhausted the hour at the disposal of Mr. Hatch and the committee on agriculture and the bill lost its favored place without having reached a vote on its merits. An order from the committee on rules will probably be necessary for the further consideration of the bill. Objection was made to granting unanimous consent, asked by Mr. Hatch, to consider the pure food bill. Owing to the absence, through illness, of Mr. Hatch (dem., Mo.), chairman of the committee on affairs of the District of Columbia, it was agreed, by unanimous consent, to set apart next Friday for the consideration of measures reported from that committee.

The committee on the judiciary was given the rest of the day for bills reported by it. Chairman Culberson (dem., Tex.) called up the senate bill "to provide for the redistricting of the Indian territory for judicial purposes, for an additional judge and more United States commissioners, and to prescribe the jurisdiction, duties and authority of such judges and commissioners." It occupied the time of the house in committee of the whole, nearly the whole of the remainder of the day, and was finally passed with certain amendments recommended by the committee.

The bill to make an additional judicial district in Kentucky was taken up but no conclusion had been reached when the house at 5:15 adjourned.

In the Senate.

The senators and a large number of spectators in the senate galleries, were entertained for five hours with speeches by Senators Gorman (dem., Md.) and Hill (dem., N. Y.) on the subject of Mr. Hill's amendment to the urgent deficiency bill, by which he seeks to confer on the United States courts jurisdiction (in advance of the collection of the income tax) to decide upon its constitutionality and validity.

Mr. Gorman discussed with great earnestness the condition of the treasury and opposed warmly any proposition that would impede the collection of revenue. In doing so he criticised very freely Mr. Hill's whole course in regard to the tariff law.

Mr. Hill defended his position, and retaliated upon the Maryland senator with an equally severe criticism of his course.

When the adjourment came, at 5:30, there had been no vote on the pending amendment.

In executive session the senate agreed to take up the Japanese treaty next Friday afternoon. It is thought that owing to the absence of any opposition to this convention, it can be acted upon at this session. On the 10th of this month the senate confirmed the nomination of Herbert Wolcott Bowen, of New York, consul at Barcelona, Spain, to be consul general at the same place. Mr. Platt stated that he had received certain telegrams making charges against Mr. Bowen and at his request the confirmation was held up until the matter could be investigated.

Shortage in the Mint.

Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—The count of the fifty million silver dollars, which for months has been going on at the United States mint, resulted in showing a shortage of $769. Superintendent Townsend in order to be sure there has been a loss, will have three or four men at work examining the vault to ascertain whether any pieces can be found. Many of the bags were broken and some of the dollars may be about the place.

America's Cup Race.

London, Jan. 15.—The Morning Post says in a leader reviewing the last negotiation for the America's cup race: "It may be concluded safely that no club here after holding the cup will demand ten months' notice, and, the other questions now being cleared, the probability of a deadlock in international yacht racing is removed forever."

Rev. Mr. Leigh Dead.

New York, Jan. 15.—Mr. Charles C. Leigh, of Brooklyn, widely known as a champion of prohibition, died suddenly at his home, 71 Pineapple street yesterday. He had been in feeble health for some time. He had been a local Methodist preacher, and was popularly known as the Rev. Mr. Leigh.

Given Up by the Sea.

Beaufort, N. C., Jan. 15.—An unknown white sailor, drowned, drifted ashore at Cape Lookout life saving station, together with a lot of planking and some rigging. No marks or papers by which to identify either. The body was buried by the station house crew.

Refused Amnesty.

London, Jan. 15.—The Times correspondent in Buenos Ayres says that the conflict between the Argentine president and congress is becoming more acute owing to the president's refusal to amnesty persons implicated in the last revolution.

Did Not Turn Up.

Charleston, N. C., Jan. 15.—The steam yacht Armadia, suspected of being concerned in a Cuban plot, and supposed to be enroute for Cuba with arms, etc., for Marti, was expected to arrive in Charleston harbor yesterday but failed to put in an appearance.

LIFE WAS A BURDEN.

A Pain-Racked Sufferer Tells an Interesting Story—How He Was Tortured for Years and Finally Cured by Munyon's Remedy.

Charles Wark, of 14 N. Twenty-fourth St., Philadelphia, has been a constant sufferer from rheumatism for years. He was cured by the use of Munyon's Rheumatism Cure. This is his story:

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Serious Charges Were Made by Witnesses Against Three Commissioners, Three Inspectors and Twenty-two Captains—Superintendent Byrnes Explains How He Became Wealthy—Dr. Parkhurst Greatly Aided the Investigation.

The committee appointed by the senate of the state of New York to investigate alleged corruption in the police department of New York city has ended its labors. Senator Clarence Lexow, chairman of the committee, says of its work: "The result of the labors of the committee have far exceeded any expectations formed by any of its members at the outset. We came to the city without even a trace of confirma-

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tory proof showing corruption in the department, and all that has been elicited since has been secured through channels opened by the representatives of the committee, aided, of course, by those instrumentalities that were at the command of Dr. Parkhurst, whose experience was undoubtedly of the greatest value in the work that we had in hand.

"I do not believe that, with the exception of those initiated and those participating in the revenue of crime and vice, anybody in this entire community had the faintest appreciation of the real condition of affairs. They believed that toll and tribute were levied sporadically, according to the pressing necessities of officials, but no one appreciated that corruption had been reduced to such a perfect system, extending throughout every precinct of the city, and was so systematized that upon the transfer of captains not even the conversations with wardmen were necessary in order to impress upon them their duty as collectors of unlawful revenue. This has been proved to be the true state of affairs, not apparently the creation of months, but of years, during which undoubtedly the evil has progressively increased until we find it in its present condition of perfect development.

"The testimony of Superintendent Byrnes, which may be regarded as a fitting climax of the conditions which have been revealed, shows conclusively the necessity for radical and basic reorganization, especially because it compels the conviction that, in default of this, an amelioration would prove to be only temporary. It shows the absolute necessity of placing in the hands of the executive head of the department such enlarged disciplinary powers as will make the superintendent absolutely responsible for the efficiency, discipline and resultant purity of the police force. We have the material now upon which to base remedial legislation, which will enable the people to hold somebody responsible for any future demoralization and inefficiency of the police system of New York city."

Attorney John W. Goff, who was recently elected recorder of the city of New York, the senior counsel of the committee, speaks warmly in praise of Dr. Parkhurst's aid in the work of investigation. He said: "But for Dr. Parkhurst, my associates Mr. Jerome, Mr. Moss and myself would never have been counsel to the committee. Everything was so discouraging. The outlook was exceedingly bad. The fate of previous investigating committees was before us. In our hands there was not a scintilla of evidence that would prove an act of corruption on the part of any member of the police department. The air was filled with rumors of political deals. Every man who spoke of the matter warned us of the danger that concerned such an attempt and of the utter futility of making an effort to expose bribery and corruption in the police department. One voice rang out clear and above all others. It urged action. It foretold success. It appealed so eloquently that it was irresistible. That voice was the voice of Dr. Parkhurst.

"Business men who had for years suffered the impositions of the police asked us why they should go forward and antagonize that most powerful department. They said they would not do it. Each man was perfectly willing that his neighbor should go to the front, but he most positively declined to go to the front himself.

"Dramatic situations were involved from the very nature of things. Phases of commercial life were revealed which, if written by a novelist, would be ascribed to his great and inventive brain.

"But the realities came in rapid succession until before the summer recess the public was absolutely satisfied by positive proof on the witness stand, corroborated by facts, details and circumstances that could leave no room for doubt, that the police department of the city of New York was not only corrupt, but that it was oppressive and repulsive to a degree beyond endurance.

"When the fact of the general corruption was established, we considered it prudent, indeed necessary, to follow it through all its ramifications.

"I have no hesitation in saying that to give detailed evidence of all the sources, methods, plans and devices of police corruption, bribery and oppression in the city of New York would occupy the investigating committee two years longer. The mine was inexhaustible. Its extent was only limited by the boundless sources of New York to yield wealth and power to the men who were extracting it.

"The method which we adopted was not haphazard or accidental. It was carefully thought out and planned. Had it failed it would have been condemned as a bad method, but having succeeded it is entitled to the credit due all success."

The following brief review of the work accomplished by the committee gives a complete summary of its 75 days' session:

The committee was appointed during the first month of 1894 and has sat about 75 days in all. It was appointed on a resolution offered in the senate by Senator Lexow. Then Senator (now Lieutenant Governor) Charles T. Saxton, presiding officer of the senate pro tem., appointed the committee, which consists of Clarence Lexow of Rockland county, chairman; George W. Robertson, Westchester county; Edmund O'Connor, Broome county; Charles T. Saxton, Wayne county; Charles W. Pound, Niagara county; Daniel Bradley, Kings county, and Jacob A. Cantor, New York county. The committee in its preliminary work had a couple of meetings at the Hotel Metropole.

The committee did nothing of particular importance except to think until March 10.

On that date the first session was held. Lawyer W. A. Sutherland of Rochester acted as counsel and investigated the political end of the affair. It was prior to the appointment of two Republicans as police commissioners. De Lancey Nicoll represented the police department at that time, though he wasn't permitted to do anything by the committee.

On March 18 Chairman Lexow announced formally that Messrs. Goff, Jerome and Moss had been selected as counsel to investigate the police department.

The committee did a considerable amount of examining early in its career under the guidance of Mr. Goff, but it first began to reach something tangible on May 22. Then direct charges against Police Commissioner John McClave were made by his son-in-law, Gideon Granger.

Mr. Goff occupied two days more in questioning Mr. McClave in the severest possible manner. He went into McClave's private books and dealt especially with Mr. McClave's administration of the police funds, which were in his charge as treasurer of the police board.

McClave could not account for certain deposits in his bank account, and Mr. Goff endeavored to prove connection between these deposits and the appointment of certain police captains by McClave. The commissioner denied that they had any relation to each other, but could not explain fully about the deposits and his method of drawing checks against them. A week later Granger was still in hiding, and Mr. Goff devoted the day to minor testimony.

At the next session he began to get into the subject of police protection and had several witnesses testify to the corruption in the department. It was on June 2 that a number of bagnio keepers testified to having paid for protection, and as a result of the day's work four captains—Cassidy, Cross, McLaughlin and Devery—were involved.

Tuesday, June 5, was a field day in the committee's history. A number of police officers of various rank were accused of levying or receiving blackmail, and a bagnio keeper charged Civil Justice Roesch with dealing in protection. She was Mrs. Augusta Thurow, who for six years kept a house of ill repute at 23 Second avenue.

She swore that she paid protection money to Wardmen Bissert, Hoch and Meehan under Captains McCullagh and Doherty. She also said that she personally arranged with Captain Doherty for paying blackmail. Mrs. Thurow's most sensational testimony, however, was given when she said that for $150 Civil Justice Roesch agreed to arrange matters with Wardman Hoch, who had become extraordinarily extortionate in his demands on her.

She described minutely the practice of paying money to police sergeants in order to induce them to accept her as bondsman for girls arrested in disorderly houses. In this way she brought in Sergeants Clark and Liebers. She swore, too, that she paid money to Central Office Detectives Jacobs and McManus. She gave patrolmen on her beat $2 a week and mentioned Lang, Murdock, Hughes and Morris as among them.

Katie Schubert, who ran a house at 144 Chrystie street, swore that she had paid money to police captains—$500 and $50 a month to McLaughlin, now inspector; the same to Captain Cross and the same to Captain Doherty.

When the committee convened again on the following day, interest in paying the police for protection was dwarfed by the reappearance of Gideon Granger, who went on the stand and swore that he had five times personally handed to Commissioner McClave money to buy promotion or favor. He denied the charges of theft made by his father-in-law and also some of those of forgery.

The testimony of Mrs. Thurow and Mrs. Schubert was followed up on June 7 by the still more sensational story of Mrs. Lena Cohen, a bagnio keeper at 328 East Houston street. She said that she paid

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$500 to the police for what she considered a permit to open the place. The money was paid to Wardmen Brennan and Farrell.

Captain Siebert was at the head of the precinct. She had to borrow the money at exorbitant rates, and the police closed her house when Dr. Parkhurst became active.

The next session of the committee was devoted to torturing Civil Justice Roesch, who said that Mrs. Thurow was his client, and that he took the money from her as a retainer. He denied that he ever paid for police protection.

He acknowledged that he had advised Mrs. Thurow to mention his name if she ever had any trouble in getting her girls out on bail. He had had several keepers of disorderly houses as clients. He acted in their behalf as a lawyer and not as a district leader.

Mr. Roesch gave some interesting testimony about $5 tickets to the Seventh District Tammany club's chowder. He underwent a very severe examination and was decidedly glad to leave the stand.

Mrs. Amelia Zentz swore on the same day that she had paid $5 a month blackmail to Wardman Charles Sherman when she kept a saloon at 732 Cortlandt avenue in 1889 and 1890.

More stories of bribery came out on the following day, when Captain Price's wardman, Wagner, was accused of taxing the unlicensed Alhambra concert hall. Morris Jacobs swore that he had paid money to the John J. Ryan association in an attempt to get on the police force. Flora Walsh said she ran a cafe with girls and paid $15 a month to Captain Doherty's wardman, Hoch.

After a recess of a few days the stories of bribe giving were continued on June 13. Jacobs told more about his futile attempts to get on the police force. Mrs. Henrietta Hensing swore that she paid money to Wardman Hoch, Sergeant Bush and Detective Mallon. Caterer Otto Brizzolari of 17 East Seventeenth street said he paid $150 to a police sergeant in uniform for permission to sell liquor all night at a ball.

An interesting feature of the session was the testimony of Port Warden Louis Munzinger, who produced the books of the Pequod club and said that 1,000 $5 tickets had been sold for a chowder party. The good work went on on the following day with testimony to the effect that there was no rebate when police protection failed to protect.

Ex-Assemblyman Philip Wissig was accused of taking money to influence the police.

Carl Werner, who ran a house of ill repute at 6 Delancey street, said that at Captain Devery's request he made arrangements for protection with Wardman Glennon. He paid $600 and $50 a month.

Almost the whole of Friday, June 15, was devoted to green goods revelations made by George Appo, the son of a notorious Chinese criminal by a white woman. He described the swindle at full length and said that McNally and Hadlick were at the head of the syndicates operating in this city.

Ida Bell, who ran a disorderly house, swore that she paid $150 a quarter for ten years in the Tenderloin. She paid the wardmen, one of whom was Burns, Captain Schmittberger's man. Williams, Reilly, McLaughlin and O'Connor were also captains of the precinct within the ten years.

Parkhurst Agent Whitney testified that he paid bribes to Captain Killilea and Killilea's wardmen. The following day was noticeable in bringing to light the now famous word "pantata."

Joseph Pospisil, a Bohemian saloon keeper at 1370 Avenue A, told about the leaving at Wardman Campbell's house of $200 raised by a club of liquor dealers. He said that entries in his books referring

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to the payment of certain sums of money to "pantata" meant to Campbell, but that the word meant in every case "head man" or "the old man."

There was another sensation on Wednesday, June 20, when Bunko Man Clarke said Police Justice Divver's saloon was the headquarters of the green goods business in this city. He accused Divver of starting Ed Parmeley in the business and of keeping the bank roll in his safe at night.

Joseph Kovar of Pospisil's Bohemian club told about giving $100 to Captain Strauss and $25 to his wardman as Christmas presents.

Harry Hill went on the stand on the next day and gave vent to his old grudge against Police Captain Murphy. Ida L. Morton, housekeeper for Lucy McCarthy of 104 West Forty-ninth street, said Mrs. McCarthy had paid patrolmen and Captain Devery's wardman.

Steamship men took the stand on June 22 and told of extortion by the police. They accused the Leonard street police of collecting $25 a year from each house whose goods block the sidewalk. Patrolman Beech described how he gave $10 of his extra fee from steamship companies to Sergeant Taylor.

William Mayston, a peddler, said the police blackmailed even street fakirs. On the next day there were more stories about the Leonard street police renting out the sidewalk for cash.

John T. Stephenson was captain during part of the time. H. Schuchert, a German, also made direct charges that Inspector Williams, when captain, demanded protection tribute. On Wednesday, June 27, Leroy M. Lyon, a fruit dealer at 279 Washington street, told more about the Leonard street police. He said when he objected to having his protection raised once the wardman told him that there was a new captain, and that they had to raise $15,000 to pay for his promotion. A number of other produce merchants told of paying blackmail.

On Saturday, June 30, the committee took a recess until Sept. 10. It wound up its first period of work in sensational style. Patrick Ryan testified that he had paid the police by check. He had given $100 to Captain Stephenson. Witnesses testified also that the Church street police blackmailed push cart peddlers.

The committee resumed its sittings on Sept. 10, when William Applegate, an assistant of King McNally, told more about the green goods business and said he bribed central office men. On the next day James H. Perkins, a retired contractor, swore that he gave Captain Williams $500 in cash. Captains Price and Meakim and Detective Hay were accused of taking money from green goods man McNally, and it was charged that Detective Hanley was the green goods men's agent at the central office.

Another recess was taken from Sept. 16 to Oct. 1. On Oct. 1 Contractor George W. Carpenter said he paid bribes to Captain Stephenson's wardman. Several days were devoted to taking testimony about policemen accused of clubbing. On Oct. 5 a witness said he used to send cash in boxes of cigars to Captain Reilly.

Susanne Martin, who ran a house in Elizabeth street, said she paid money to Williams and to the wardmen for Captains Cassidy, McLaughlin and Cross. She had paid $8,000 or $10,000.

The first policeman to squeal—Patrolman De Gann of the steamboat squad—testified on Oct. 10 that he was transferred because he would not give up all the $10 a week that the French line paid him. He had always given up half to collectors for various captains. Agent Forges of the French line acknowledged that he gave Schmittberger $500 at one time.

On Oct. 11 Vincent Majewski told about police protection of policy shops and said he saw Captain Doherty receive bribes.

On Oct. 26 Commissioner Sheehan was examined, but Mr. Goff got little from him. He had no better luck on the next day. Mr. Sheehan refused positively to produce his bankbooks. Mr. Goff got little out of him on the third day. The commissioner only said he believed there was corruption in the department, but it was Superintendent Byrnes' duty to find it out. Mr. Goff spent another day with Mr. Sheehan and then finally excused him.

During November and December an immense number of witnesses were examined before the committee. The work dragged considerably during November, and little of really startling interest developed. In December, however, the committee learned by far the most important facts brought out in the whole investigation.

Commissioners, inspectors and captains were directly implicated in the last few weeks, and the story of police corruption has been told from the inside. It really began with the confession of Captain Timothy J. Creeden, who, after once denying that he bought his captaincy, finally acknowledged that he paid $15,000 for the place. He borrowed the money from his friends, among them Congressman Elect Henry C. Miner. William Snell, a Grace Democracy leader, held the money.

At the proper time he paid it over to John W. Rappenhagen, another Grace Democracy leader. According to Rappenhagen's confession, made after he, like Creeden, had once sworn that he knew nothing of the purchase of the captaincy, he gave $10,000 to ex-Assemblyman John Martin and kept the other $5,000 for himself.

Martin was very close to Police Commissioner Voorhis, then the leader of the New York Democracy. Voorhis appointed Creeden. Creeden said he bid $15,000 because Sergeant Wiegand, who was also after promotion, had bid, so he was informed, as high as $13,000.

The testimony of ex-Sergeant Taylor of the steamboat squad, given a few days before Creeden's, implicated ex-Inspector Steers. Taylor said he paid to Steers part of the blackmail which he collected in his district.

Creeden's confession paved the way for that of Captain Schmittberger, who, to save himself from prison, told all about the blackmailing system and said he had divided the profits with Inspectors Williams and McAvoy.

He implicated Commissioner Sheehan by saying that Sheehan threatened to shut up Daly's gambling house if the police refused to let his friend Proctor run one. He also implicated Commissioner Martin, who, he said, protected disorderly houses on Forty-sixth street, and who ordered him to apologize to Sadie West, a woman against whom complaints had been made, for sending a policeman to her house.

Inspector Williams, who was on the stand three days and more, denied Schmittberger's charges. He denied all the corruption stories and made only one admission—that Fleiss, a stockbroker, had given him $6,000 for nothing.

Police Commissioner Martin's examination was productive of little beyond the fact that he thought there was corruption in the department, and that it would stay there.

During its sessions witnesses before the committee have made serious charges against three commissioners, one ex-commissioner, three inspectors, one ex-inspector and 22 captains and ex-captains, besides a number of sergeants, detectives, wardmen and patrolmen.

At the final session of the Lexow committee Superintendent Byrnes and Inspector McLaughlin were witnesses. After testifying that he had accumulated property to the value of $350,000 through investments made for him by Jay Gould and his son George, Superintendent Byrnes made public his letter of resignation, which had been sent to Mayor Elect Strong Dec. 13.

Inspector McLaughlin denied that he had received money except his salary.

Police Justice Voorhis of New York sent to the Lexow committee an affidavit making a denial of the charges made by Captain Creeden and others that he received money for his action in the promotion or transfer of any police officer while he was a police commissioner.

Anthony Comstock, who was charged by Louis F. Streap before the Lexow committee with having received bribes, in an open letter to that committee denied the charges and brands Streap's testimony as false in every particular.

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"In fact I was completely prostrated. I tried prominent physicians without relief, and was entirely discouraged. About this time I heard, through a friend, of Dr. Greene, and the wonderful cures which he had wrought with his remedy, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

"I secured it and commenced using it, and the change which took place was wonderful. The terrible racking pains through my head and shoulders have left me. Where I could eat nothing but the lightest kind of foods I can now eat anything without the slightest distress of any kind.

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS

Decatur's Fight In the President.

Jan. 15, 1815, was the date of a desperate encounter at sea, which, like Jackson's battle at New Orleans, took place after the war had been officially ended by the treaty of Ghent. On that day Captain Stephen Decatur sailed from New York in the President, bound for the East Indies. Before the President got fairly to sea she was chased by four British ships of war —the Endymion, 40 guns; Pomone, 38; Tenedos, 38; and the Majestic, 56 guns. The President rated 44. She was heavily laden for a voyage, and even after lightening the Endymion gained on her, finally getting into position to rake with her bow guns. The President could not strike the Endymion, owing to weak powder, nor could she outsail her. Decatur prepared to run down his enemy, seize her by a hand to hand fight, then abandon his own vessel for the swifter Briton. The commander of the Endymion, however, kept his ship a quarter of a mile distant from the President, but the vessels, sailing abeam, exchanged broadsides with tremendous effect.

Failing to get a chance to lay his ship alongside the Endymion, Decatur resolved to dismantle her by skillful gunnery, and after a running fight of a couple of hours stripped all her sails from her yards and compelled her to fall astern. Meanwhile darkness came on. The Endymion was almost at the mercy of the President, although many shots from the latter had failed to penetrate, but the other ships were on hand to be reckoned with. Decatur therefore kept his vessel on her course, chased by the Pomone and the Tenedos, with the Majestic and Dispatch, a new arrival, close astern. The Pomone opened the second fight with a damaging broadside, followed speedily by the other three. The guns on the British fleet outnumbered those of the Americans at least four to one, and the British crews were fresh, whereas on the President 24 officers and seamen had been killed and 56 wounded in the close and running fight with the Endymion. Seeing that further resistance would be useless, Decatur struck his colors.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Brave Work on Fort Fisher's Walls.

Jan. 15, 1865, was the date of the Union assault on Fort Fisher, N. C., the largest earthwork in the Confederacy. That famous stronghold extended along the water front 400 feet, with a land front of 1,500 stretching across the peninsula of Federal point. It mounted 44 heavy guns, with a garrison at the time of the attack of 1,500 men. A naval column of 48 Union vessels bombarded the fort for two days and continued the fire until 3 p. m. on the 15th, when General A. H. Terry's command of 8,000 men and a naval battalion of 2,000 moved to the assault. The guns of the work having been silenced, the garrison offered little resistance to the assailants until they reached the ditch and were then taken by surprise, thinking that the attack of the sailors on the easterly sea front was the main one. To meet it the garrison vacated the parapet on the land front, and at the first dash the Union brigade of General Curtis, after cutting away the palisading, planted three battleflags on the northwest bastion. General Curtis was wounded at the palisades.

The sailors were brought to a halt 200 yards from the ditch on the sea face by a fire of canister and gave up the fight. Cheered by the sight of panic in the naval column, the enemy turned to meet the assailants on the land. General Curtis' men received help

COLONEL LOUIS BELL.

from Colonel Pennypacker's brigade, and another, led by Colonel Louis Bell of the Fourth New Hampshire, charged on the sally port on the west wall adjoining the bastion carried by Curtis. Bell was shot down, receiving a mortal wound just as his foremost ranks had reached the bridge. Heavy traverses had been planted along the parapet, and these formed shotproof walls, too high for scaling, behind each of which the garrison detachments fought until overpowered, then retired to the next.

Meanwhile the assailants were re-enforced, night came on, and the fighting continued in and around the chambers along the wall, at times between combatants separated by only an arm's length. At 10 o'clock, after seven hours' struggling, the last traverse was in the hands of Terry's men.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

The life of Peter Wooden has its lessons. He found success by patient plodding, not by flights of genius. He was unfailingly cheerful; and worked, not worried. He cherished friendship with all men, and was in constant communion with the Friend above all others in whom he put his trust. He intruded in no man's business, and was diligent in his own. With heart and hand he relieved distress, and did not tattle his own good deeds nor his neighbors' bad ones. So he lived, so he died, in simple, quiet happiness, in humble, homely ways, at peace with men, in fellowship with his Creator. His nineteenth century life saw the world develop wonders, and from his observation of events he might have set himself up as sage and oracle. But he had the jewel of modesty, and he found life's greatest wisdom and pleasure to be the living of the eleventh commandment. He was "uncle" to all he knew, and his goodness made him great. It is idle to say "Peace to his soul!" for his soul was ever at peace, and in its transition has but renewed its youth for all eternity.

The Common Council can safely abandon its search for fireproof headquarters. Nothing is in danger of burning in the Council chamber.

The lives of the local newspaper night owls are precious, and though the Councilmen have the faculty of making things warm for themselves, the risk of pneumonia run by the reporters in the frigid Council chamber is so great that to save their precious lungs they may strike for warmer quarters.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Hiram Hornish is still very ill at the Hospital.

John Donohue is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

A letter to Mrs. R. W. Rice today, tells her that her husband is slightly better.

Miss Cora Laire of East Fifth street is confined to her home with an attack of the grip.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Force of Grandview avenue, last evening.

Mrs. Charles B. Clifton of West Second street is another of the numerous victims of the grip.

Dr. Yerkes and A. Vanderbeek are delegates to the anti-gambling mass meeting in Trenton today.

Miss Katie Reigel of Netherwood avenue is confined to her home with a slight attack of the grip.

Miss Sadie Vroom of Somerville is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. C. Adams, Washington street.

Master Bertram Leggett and little Miss Margaret, his sister, are nearly well, after an attack of grip.

Mrs. A. B. Dunavan of Elmwood place is visiting her mother, Mrs. Randolph, in Newark, who is ill.

Rev. W. E. Honeyman has leased Wm. Shotwell's house 56 Emily street, and will reside therein after April 1.

The friends of Horace Doty are glad to welcome him back as conductor on the main line of the street railway.

Matt. Walker formerly clerk in Rockfellow's grocery, is very ill with pneumonia at his boarding house in Westfield.

Mrs. A. S. Fritts is confined to her home with a severe attack of the grip, which threatens to become pneumonia.

The Dorcas Circle of King's Daughters held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss French of East Seventh street.

Hubert Phillips has in course of construction a house after a design of Shoppel, on the property recently acquired by him of May A. Bloom of Brooklyn.

The Monday Afternoon Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. S. Green of East Fifth street. Whist was enjoyed and refreshments were afterward served.

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Y. M. C. A. Entertainments.

The first of the series of Y. M. C. A. entertainments will be given by the Verdi quartette and Miss Addie Parker Jackson in the new Association Hall, Monday evening, Jan. 28. These very excellent entertainments are free to all $5, $8, and $10 members. A limited number of reserved, and other seats will be for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy.

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A ring at the door bell at 6:45 Sunday evening called Borough Poormaster David Weaver to his door, where he found a young man, his wife and three-year-old child shivering in the cold. Starting at noon they had walked all the way from Madison, a distance of fourteen miles, pushing the little one along in a baby carriage. They had started out in search of work but being overcome with the cold were forced to seek food and shelter. Big-hearted Brother Weaver as soon as he caught sight of the poor little face of the half frozen infant, at once gave the parents an order on the Somerset Hotel, where they were comfortably housed and sent away rejoicing in the morning with a good hot breakfast.

Defendant Scores a Point.

Judge Van Syckel yesterday decided in a written opinion in the Circuit Court that the release signed by E. Mercier & Co., and which was the point at issue in the mechanics lien case of Love, Receiver of E. Mercier & Co., against McNabb, was valid, and that the plaintiff could not claim a lien for materials furnished prior to the signing of the paper. The report published at the time the case was argued during the first week of the term that the case had been decided the other way was erroneous. Reed & Coddington appeared for the receiver and W. S. Angleman for the defendant.

—The free public library at the East Third Street Mission will be opened this evening with a pleasing programme of vocal and instrumental music. There will be an address by Superintendent L. W. Randolph.

—The report published in another paper that the Emmanuel Baptist Church has postponed its entertainment of Jan. 31, is entirely untrue. The entertainment will be given as already announced in Central Hall, Jan. 31.

A WOMAN'S LIFE.

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

Plainfield, N. J.

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Worth from 30 to 60c.

Only two quires to each customer.

R. C. RAND,

140 West Front st.

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Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

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$12 ulsters for $8.50.

$15 overcoats for $10.

Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

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Commercial Palace, Babcock Build'g

During the annual

January Clearing Sale,

NOW IN PROGRESS.

Hundreds of articles in the various departments are being closed out at cost and below cost.

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A pair of the Alfred Dolge Felt Slippers or House Shoes are a great comfort. They are the only pure wool felt shoes made in this country.

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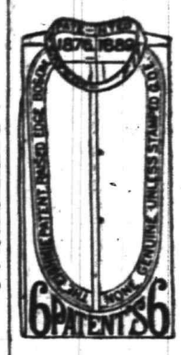

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The very same, this year, last year, next year.

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Best in the business and just as cheap.

HALLOCK, Men's Outfitter,

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AT YOUR OWN PRICE.

Odds, Ends and Remnants.

Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd,

73 Market St., near Plane St.

We find, after stock taking, several styles of Bedroom Suits, Parlor Suits and different patterns of Carpets that we do not intend to keep any more, and we will close them out at nearly your own price.

Parlor suits	$20
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Brussels carpet, per yard	50cts
Extra super ingrain carpet, per yard	50cts
Cotton chain ingrain carpet, per yard	25cts
Good bed lounges	$7
Parlor stoves	at your own price.

Note the name Amos before entering the store.

PORTLAND RANGES—The leading range in the city, and we will wager $25 that that there is more sold of that range than any other in the city. Why? Simply because it is the cheapest. Cheapest because it is the best; good baker, good draught and several improvements connected with it make it the most complete range manufactured. Easy terms.

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AMOS H. VAN HORN, Limited,

73 Market Street, nearest Plane street, Newark, N. J.

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Theodore Apgar's and George Apgar's new house which is nearing completion has come to a standstill on account of the chimney.

Doctor Brakely is having the rooms of his building papered. A. D. Pope of Plainfield is doing the work.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of this place have hired the store in the Kratzell Building formerly occupied by Bremmar the tailor. They will have it repaired and refitted for meeting purposes.

Mrs. Walter Vieit is very ill, and her friends fear pneumonia may set in.

Peter Huff's latest enterprise is selling puzzles. He sold a dozen one day this week and now he is puzzled to know where all the cash came from.

The young people will hold an evening social at the residence of Mac Giles's tomorrow night. They have arranged for a stage to carry Dunellenites, leaving the station at 7:45.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Terry spent Saturday in New York city.

Charles Maier returned from his visit to New York city last evening.

Walter Smith is going to put more electric lights in his store.

There are three barber shops in town, and scarcely enough business for two. Some one will get shaved.

The has been considerable changing on the Central Railroad among the trainmen.

Skating is grand but the weather is severe.

Miss Kate Frederick of Franklin, Somerset County, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Frederick.

Since Leonard Leach has been working for the Bound Brook Engine Co., which is about a week, he has crushed his finger three times.

Our ex-editor now walks to church at New Market Sunday morning. He says he is trying to get up a gait.

The ladies orchestra enjoyed the performance at Music Hall, Plainfield, Saturday afternoon.

Robert Craig is a great admirer of a pipe and when in the city some time ago purchased one to his fancy. His friends joked with him about it and said the handsome mouthpiece on it was not amber. To test its quality he placed it near a hot iron and to his surprise it fell to pieces. A popular baggage master offered to get another for Mr. Craig and did so, but forget to return the pipe as soon as he might have done. Bob says it has a new mouthpiece and may have a new bowl but it is the same old sweet briar.

Funeral services were held yesterday over the remains of Mrs. W. T. Birdsall, who died at her late home on High street last Saturday at the age of 51. Mrs. Birdsall was the only surviving daughter of the late Justice Cole and came to Dunellen about 25 years ago. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery. She leaves no children, but two nieces resided with her. A husband, an invalid, survives her.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Ben Elliott, the village blacksmith, is himself again, having discarded both cane and crutch.

Miss Mary Westcott is confined to the house with the grip.

Wm. Bacon of Haverstraw spent Sunday with friends in town.

The Sons of Temperance meet at their rooms in the hall this evening.

James Buckley of Plainfield spent Sunday with friends in town.

The Week of Prayer was observed at the Baptist Church. Several new converts were made.

The Choral Union meets Thursday evening. If you wish to join, give your name to one of the committee appointed, or attend the meeting and have your name enrolled.

Miss Florence Darby of Fanwood was the guest of Miss Cora Miller of Front street, Saturday.

George Clark has been confined to the house with the grip, several days.

Wm. C. Strong of Fanwood has the sympathy of his many friends in the loss of his wife, who passed away Saturday, Jan. 12, after a lingering illness.

The committee to solicit names for the Choral Union will meet at "The Manse" this evening to report.

The local sports are preparing for something that will happen in the near future.

A. D Shepard, who has been confined to the house with the grip, is reported very much improved.

The election to be held for Sunday-school officers at the Baptist Sunday-school yesterday was postponed until next Sunday, on account of the weather.

Miss Lizzie Stamets of Westfield spent Sunday with friends in town

Joseph Clark has the painting of Robert Murphy's new house, corner of Park and Westfield avenues.

Fred Rose was given a surprise party Saturday by his many friends of the town. The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing games, dancing, etc. Among those present were: Mrs Hosinger, Mrs E L Hand, Miss Hosinger, Miss Kilmer, Miss Erickson, Miss Nelson, Miss Stamitz, Miss Buckley, Miss Schreiner, and Messrs Schreiner, Kleimer, Dowarth, Hosinger, Erickson, Terry, Allen, and others. All left at 12, vowing they had spent the pleasantest evening of the new year.

Miss Meeker of Raymond avenue, Plainfield, was the guest of her friend Miss Cox, Saturday.

Miss Bonnell of New Providence was the guest of the Misses Frentz, Saturday.

The Township Committee are to meet Friday evening, Jan. 18, to receive the report of the committee appointed to secure signatures for the branch of the trolley.

Friday afternoon a crowd of the boys of the town began throwing snowballs at an inoffensive Italian passing through town. From snowballs they went to throwing stones. Finally one of them struck the Italian in the head, felling him to the ground, and cutting a deep gash in his head. It is time something was done to protect pedestrians walking on the streets of the village, as it is getting to be a common occurrence for the boys to assault peddlers and Italians.

The reception given the pastor's choir at the Baptist Church Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 was a success, and great credit is due to Miss Hayes, Miss Nichol and the pastor, who arranged the affair for the little ones. Donkey party and other games were played, after which the little people were served with chocolate and cake and returned home tired but delighted.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith of New Market spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark.

Twilight Council, J. O. U. A. M., installed its newly-elected officers at their meeting Friday.

The Ladies Circle of the Baptist Church will meet at the home of Miss Hayes Wednesday at 2:30. Miss Martin of Jersey City is expected to address the meeting.

The Junior League of the M. E. Church will give an entertainment in the hall Monday, Jan. 28.

CHILLY COMMON COUNCIL.

Tedious Cold Braved in the Public's Interest.

It was so cold in the Council chamber last night that there was ice in the City Clerk's water-tumbler and a haze that was said to be frost on the electric lamps. For three hours the members and reporters shivered, while the long ordinances concerning fire and buildings were discussed on second reading. They were adopted section by section and tabled for future action.

The Laws and Ordinance Committee was instructed to protect the city against the trespass of the Edison Electric Light Company of North Plainfield on Rock avenue and Front street.

Alexander D. Findley petitioned for ordinance protection against landlord's threatened withdrawal of consent to operate a bar room on the premises. He claims a 20-years lease with privilege to operate his present business. The matmatter was referred to the License Committee.

The Finance Committee reported they had not yet found headquarters providing a fireproof vault.

The Laws and Ordinance Committee said they needed $1,000 to print the recodification of the laws. The matter was discussed with some warmth, but no action was taken.

The Mayor was by unanimous vote authorized to add four regulars to the police force.

The various sections of the Mayor's message were referred to the appropriate committees.

The Councilmen shook off their icicles and went home, after detaching the Clerk's stenographer from the frosty register he had been hugging.

THREATEN COMPETITION.

Grocers Talk of Adding Dry Goods to Their Stock.

A meeting of the Grocers Association was held in the Board of Trade rooms last evening at which time the following officers were elected:

President—J. Fred MacDonald.
Vice-president—J. A. Smith.
Secretary—R. W. Barnes.
Treasurer—F. W. Dunn.

Delegates elected to semi-annual meeting of Retail Merchants Association, which is held in Y. M. C. A. building, Trenton, tomorrow were: G. W. Rockfellow, J. A. Smith, R. W. Barnes, J. Fred McDonald.

The principal subject discussed was that of annexing dry goods departments, and it seemed to be the popular opinion that the grocers should conduct dry goods departments with their own business.

It was said that inasmuch as some dry goods merchants combine a number of branches in one business, they think it only fair that they should have an opportunity of doing the same. The above subject will be considered tomorrow in Trenton, as the trouble seems to be general throughout the State, and at the next meeting of the association in this city, two weeks from last night, it will be thoroughly ventilated, with a view to a decision in the matter.

The grocers in the association were asked to hand in their revised black list at the next meeting.

—F. C. Herbert and Fred Emmons, for fighting New Year's Day, were arrested today by Marshal Pangborn and fined $10 each.

—The latest novelty, Raphael Tuck's blonde and brunette series of dressing dolls, at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

Pianos at a Sacrifice.

The famous Starr pianos may now be obtained by Plainfield people at wonderful bargains. Rather than take the F. M. Hulett stock back to New York, the manufacturers have decided to sell them here for what they will bring. The pianos must be sold this week. They are beauties and as good as the best. Call and get one at your own price.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Bunard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. Armstrong, manager.

POSTOFFICE HAMPERED

Under the New Rules Postmaster Hetfield Is Prevented from Giving the Service He Desires—His Efforts to Better Conditions.

Postmaster Hetfield has been greatly concerned for some time because of the unavoidable impairment of his service through the introduction of the following rules:

1. Carriers are strictly prohibited from reporting prior to schedule time, either for morning arrival or for the beginning of any subsequent trip during the day.

2. Carriers must not remain at their desks, or in the working room of the office, during any interval or "swing" between trips or during the dinner intervals; nor must they remain in the postoffice after reporting from the last trip of the day.

3. Carriers must record the exact time consumed by them each day, specifying the beginning and closing of each trip, and the time spent in routing mail and looking up and marking undelivered matter. Only the actual time employed is to be recorded, but all service rendered must be recorded.

4. Carriers will continue to make their daily trip reports, making their entries at the beginning and end of each trip. The practice of filling out the entire report at close of day must be discontinued, and any carrier found continuing such practice will be promptly removed.

5. Under no circumstances must carriers or superintendents conceal the fact that overtime—even to the least extent—is being made. Any attempt to do this will result in the removal of the offender, regardless of his rank. It will be equally contrary to this order for any carrier whose route requires less than eight hours to expand the actual working time thereon, or attempt to record unnecessary time in order to have his trip reports show eight or, approximately, eight hours work per day.

6. Where collections are made prior to morning report, the first entry to the left on the trip report must cover the time so expended and be accompanied by this note: "Including Collection."

7. Men detailed exclusively in collection service should not be allowed to enter the work room of the office, except to deposit their collections. They must then leave the postoffice, reporting again on schedule time for beginning of next collection at the first box on their route.

8. The performance of clerical work by carriers is absolutely prohibited. Their work must be confined to the collection and delivery of mail; the routing of their mail for delivery; the marking up or "logging" of undelivered matter; and the facing up of mail by collectors upon their return to the office. All other work, except the duty at the delivery windows on Sundays, must be discontinued by carriers. All other work is clerical, and must be performed by clerks alone.

The custom at the Plainfield office has been to utilize the carriers in assisting in prompt service at distribution of mails in the office, and in giving extended free delivery over additional territory. All this was overtime, and added justly to the wages of the carriers. The new rules operate to limit the free delivery to the more populous territory, and to prevent the carriers from serving as clerks. They may deliver only in such territory as they can cover in their regular eight hours, and cannot be used to assist in distribution. The intent of the new order was to curtail extra expenses in those cities where the overtime amounted to large sums, but the rules had to be made general, and therefore Plainfield is unjustly affected. The new rules have already been the cause of delay in getting the mails distributed, and have caused the postmaster much worriment. Short routes are to be the order, and the outskirts will have to be neglected. The stamp window clerk will have to attend to the carriers window, and Mr. Hetfield himself will be obliged to attend the stamp window, even at the expense of his supper.

Mr. Hetfield has made application for an additional clerk, and will do all in his power to secure efficient service to the public. Plainfield is a highly profitable postoffice to the Government, and deserves more generous treatment than is possible under the new rules. A protest from the people to Uncle Sam is in order.

Royal Arcanum.

At the lodge rooms of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, Department Grand Regent McDonald and Deputy Grand Marshal Conckiin performed the impressive ceremonies of installation on the recently elected officers, a full list of which appeared in The Press of Dec. 11, 1894. Three new members were initiated. Many interesting speeches by visitors, officers and members were made, and a banquet closed the enjoyable exercises of the evening. A large number of brethren attended.

Meeting for Men.

A meeting for men only is to be held at 5 tonight in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed Church, and a regular prayer meeting tomorrow night at 8. A cordial invitation is extended to the men of Plainfield to attend the meeting tonight, and to everybody on Wednesday night.

—The Plainfield Lady Cyclers are preparing for an active month. A theatre party to New York, a trip to Philadelphia and a dance at Rutgers College are all planned for January.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by I. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

A CORN-CURE THAT CURES CORNS.

We have never said much about our Corn Cure—though it is one of the best made—because the market is full of cures, so-called. But such positive testimony to its merits has recently been volunteered that we feel justified in "talking up" this little specialty. Our COLLOID CORN CURE is easily applied, gives relief quickly, and will cure every case of Corns, hard or soft, that can be cured, if used as directed. Sold in square vials with brush for applying. REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY, Park and North avenues.

Death of J. J. Lang.

The many friends of John Jacob Lang who was well known in Plainfield will learn with sorrow of his death which occurred yesterday afternoon at his home in Mt. Bethel, from heart disease. He had only been seriously ill for the past two weeks.

Mr. Lang had been a resident of Warren Township for thirty years, and in 1868 began the grocery business in Union Village. From there he went to Mt. Bethel where he continued in the same business for 25 years.

One year ago last April he sold out the business to his son-in-law, N. H. Heideloff, and has lived a retired life since that time.

For many years he was a member of the Township Committee and was also treasurer for a long time. A widow and two daughters, Mrs. H. Scheuerman and Mrs. N. H. Heideloff, and one son, Jacob F. Lang, survive him.

Funeral services will be held from the Mt. Bethel Church Thursday afternoon at 1:30.

Gripping the Pedagogues.

Plainfield teachers although they have nothing to do, according to a learned member of the School Committee, are improving their time by being sick. Miss Butler of the Bryant is confined to her home with tonsilitis. Miss Gilbert of the Franklin is a sufferer from the grip; Miss Sutphen of the Franklin was obliged to be absent yesterday because of a severe cold and Miss C. A. Barber likewise of the Franklin, although suffering from a cold and so hoarse as to be unable to speak above a whisper bravely sticks to her post.

—"American's" reply to Mr. Tetteman and Col. Ainsworth is crowded from this issue, to appear tomorrow.

—The continuation of "The Beauxlieux Diamonds" is unavoidably deferred until tomorrow.

—Special revival services will be held this evening in the Methodist Church. An invitation is cordially extended.

—Peck dogs not talk much about prices—lets the goods talk for him; no use to keep a dog and bark yourself.

—The laundry girls of Plainfield are invited to call at the box office of Music Hall, Wednesday morning before 12, when each one of them will be presented by the management of "A Baggage Check" with a reserved seat.

RECEIVER'S SALE

.....OF.....

Personal Property

AT HOTEL NETHERWOOD,

.....ON.....

Tuesday, January 22,

at 10 a. m.

The subscriber, receiver of Hotel Netherwood Company, will sell at public auction, on the premises, at the hotel, all the goods and chattels and Personal Property of said Company, consisting of large quantities of carpets, furniture, cutlery, silver and glassware, linen table cloths, sheets, towels, napkins, etc. Also bed clothes, blankets, comfortables, counterpanes, 60 porch chairs kitchen utensils. Also feed pump, deep well pump, boilers, Young & Thomas engine. Also all laundry machinery, washers, wringers, French mangle, etc., tables, diningroom ware and hundreds of articles too numerous to mention.

A grand opportunity. Terms made known on day of sale.

W. R. CODINGTON, Receiver.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Curtis M. Thorpe and DeWitt C. Ivins of Plainfield, New Jersey, under the firm name of Thorpe & Ivins, and transacting the coal, lumber and mason's supply business at Nos. 301 311 Watchung avenue, in said city, expired on the second day of January, 1895, pursuant to the terms of the articles of partnership. The said DeWitt C. Ivins is authorized to settle all debts due to and by said co-partnership.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 12, 1895.

CURTIS M THORPE,
DE WITT C. IVINS.

Having purchased the entire interest of Mr. Curtis M. Thorpe, of the firm of Thorpe & Ivins, we will continue the business under the firm name of DeWitt C. Ivins & Co., Capt. Wm. B. Ostrom having this day been admitted as a partner.

DE WITT C. IVINS.
WM. B. OSTROM.

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R. C. Varian & Co., Lessees and Managers.

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with the following excellent cast: Mark Sullivan, Jas. B. Gentry, Edward Magee, Dan Sullivan, Chas. V. Morton, Jas. C. Cherry, E. B. Townsend, the Misses Sylvester Cornish, Madge Yorke, Edith Ward, Lizzie Melrose, Claire Desborbe, Nellie Buckley, Nellie Parks and chorus. Prof. Wm. Nelson, musical director. The greatest novelty of the age. The famous "Perinet Family" in their marvelous "LaDanse de Vermoise"

Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c and $1. Box office now open. Next attraction—A Texas Steer.

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Tuesday Evening, January 15,

8 p. m., under the auspices of the

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Reserved seats 75c. Admission 50c.

Tickets for sale at Mallinson's, Reynolds's, Randolph's, Shaw's, Estil's and Music Hall.

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MUSIC HALL, JAN. 17.

Washington Davis's Comedy-Drama of the Civil War,

The Provost Guard,

under the management of W. R. Palmer. To be given under the auspices and with Military Scenes by the

Third Regiment Cadet Corps

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Music by the famous Cecilian Male Quartette.

Prices—25, 35, 50, 75, $1. 1 10 7

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Buy your underwear for ladies, gentlemen and children of us. We do not want to carry any over untill next season and will sacrifice them at any price.

Your Next Friend.

IS A NICE DRESS.

We have those friends of yours so you can easily reach them. Look at these prices: 15 pieces of dress flannel mixed colors 38 inches wide all wool 25c worth 40. 10 pieces mixed worsteds 1 yard wide 17c worth 25.

Our entire stock of Fall and Winter dress goods must be sold to make room for our Spring line. Prices no object. Your object the prices.

Your Convenient Friend.

IS A COAT OR CAPE.

Just what we have got is what you are looking for. We have not many left but they are to be sold at a sacrifice. Just think of it, a $6.50 coat for $4.95. Our $8.50 coat for $6.75 and a $12.00 plush cape for $9.25. We will have plenty of cold weather yet and you should have a coat or cape. Our prices are within the reach of all.

Your Domestic Friend.

Is Fruit of the Loom bleaching at 6½c 1 yard wide, sold elsewhere for 8.

Visit Our Basement.

7c SALE 7c SALE 7c SALE 7c SALE 7c

Any article on our 10c counter for

7 CENTS

On account of the disagreeable weather this week we will continue the 25 and 50c muslin underwear sale for one week more.

BOEHM'S,

113 WEST FRONT STREET.

BAR-LOCK VISIBLE WRITING TYPEWRITER

Writes every letter in sight of operator. Does most of the work, in writing AUTOMATICALLY, and yields in the time thus saved additional work.

It acts as if it studied the convenience of the operator at every turn, and thereby lightens his labor and renders him capable of doing more

It has a knack of keeping well, and is always ready at critical or other times.

These are some of the reasons why it is different from all other writing machines.

The catalogue tells you more about it. FREE.

Columbia Typewriter Mfg. Co.,

307 Broadway, New York.

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January Attractions.

Not many attractive things about January except the attractive prices that we are going to put on our entire stock. It means business without profit to us; to you a chance to make your money go farther.

Such as These.

Muslins

Fruit of the Loom.....6½c
Lonsdale muslin.....6½c
Dwight Anchor.....6½c
Lonsdale cambric.....5c
Heavy bleached sheeting 10x4...17c
" " " 9x4...16c
" " " 8x4...14c
Heavy pillow case muslin 5x4....9c

Table Linen

70 inch cream damask.....38c

Dress Goods

A wonderful difference in the prices you will find on dress goods. We have cut the prices on every piece in the store; they all go at cost and below.

Coat Department

About that coat, now is the time you want it and you save a few dollars on it by buying it here. We sell every coat and cape in the store at cost.

Hosiery & Underwear

Same sort of reductions we have made in the prices of ladies' gentlemen's and children's underwear, hosiery and gloves. Just try us.

Horse Owners

It don't pay to go without blankets, when you can buy the 5-A blankets at just what they cost. That's the way we are selling them.

WHITE, OF Plainfield.

To Keep the Ball Rolling.

We're going to sell this week all of our Clothing at greatly reduced prices.

No old stock, everything new and fashionable. The list is too long to quote. You'll have to come in and see the goods.

We will also offer some "big bargains" in our Hat and Gent's Furnishings Goods Department.

Suits and Trousers to order at short notice.

Good fit and workmanship guaranteed. Should you be in need of anything in our line, would be pleased to have you call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

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Dealer in all kinds of

CHOICE MEATS

Jersey pork and poultry a specialty.

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Hardware, Plumbing, and Sheet Metal Work.

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No Excuse for Debility and Nervousness.

WHAT PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND DOES IN A FEW SHORT WEEKS.

It Makes a Tremendous Difference with Tired, Sickly Women.

[BOSTON HERALD.]

In thousands of homes some one, father mother or brother, is actually dying from starvation of the nerves and blood. This lack of nutrition of some vital part is not usually called by the harsh word "starvation," but it amounts to the same thing. It is called dyspepsia, neuralgia, Bright's disease, rheumatism or nervous prostration, headaches or sleeplessness.

The general feeling of discomfort throughout the body shows a literal starvation of some of the important organs of the body, either heart, kidneys, stomach, liver or nerve centres.

Scores of men and women showing the first gray hair, who in business and society wear a smiling countenance, are tormented in private by a despondency they can scarcely explain, which renders their life almost unendurable. Such mental depression, falling short of insanity, occurs most often at the "turning point" of life, or soon after it, and is a lamentably common complaint.

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Thrilling Experience of the Seth Low's Crew.

Two Men Carried Away by the Waves and Lost—Life Savers Work Gallantly and Snatched Others from the Grasp of the Sea After Terrible Hardships.

Fire Island, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Misfortune seems to follow the coal barge Seth Low. It is only a couple of weeks ago that she broke loose from her tow in the storm she encountered off Fire Island, while enroute from Boston for Philadelphia, to load coal and return. At that time she was buffeted by the heavy sea and high winds before being picked up and towed to New York in safety.

Sunday she started for Boston, coal laden, in company with the barge Ringleader and in tow of the steamer Santuit. Strange to say, these three vessels were together when the first storm was encountered, at which time the Ringleader reached port under her own sail. The three vessels loaded with coal at Communipaw, N. J., instead of going on to Philadelphia.

After passing out to sea and when the three vessels were about twenty miles east of the lightship, the Seth Low broke away from the other vessels, the mishap being caused by the heavy gale that prevailed. It was impossible for the Santuit or Ringleader to pick her up during the night. Her rudder broke and she became unmanageable. At 2 o'clock yesterday morning she stranded on the outer bar off Short Beach. When discovered by the patrol, she was under water, only part of her bow and cabin being visible and they were washed by every big sea.

The crew of five men were clinging to the top of the cabin, and it seemed as though they were beyond human aid. The night was bitter cold, and their sufferings were intense.

The life-saving crew from Zack's Inlet arrived on the scene and found they would need more help. Soon two other crews arrived, and set to work to rescue the unfortunate crew. It was impossible to launch a boat, and, after trying, with the mortar, to throw lines over the barge, it was necessary also to abandon this method of procedure, as the lines either broke or fell short. Nothing was left undone by the heroic life-savers to reach the shivering, half-frozen mariners perched on the cabin roof of the stranded vessel.

Finally, during the afternoon, Captain Chichester and the other members of the life-saving crew succeeded in launching a boat, and, after battling against great odds, they reached the barge.

Only three of the five members of the crew of the Seth Low were there, two of them having been swept away by the waves. These latter two had clung to the roof until within thirty minutes of the time that the rescuers came to the aid of the sufferers, but their strength failed them and they perished. The three survivors could not have held out much longer, as their strength was fast failing them. They were taken into the life-boat and it was headed for the shore. The boat had not gone far when Captain Chichester saw it would be impossible to reach Zacks Inlet without imperilling the lives of all on board. The boat was, therefore, turned toward Fire Island Inlet and landed there at 2:45 p. m.

The names of those saved are: Captain B. N. Doddridge, Charles Brown, and B. Ellison.

Those lost are: A. Doddridge (the captain's son) and Joe Johnsen.

Captain Doddridge was badly hurt, having been struck by the falling rigging of the barge. The other two men are none the worse for their terrible experience.

All three are now at the Oak Island station and are comfortably situated.

When the captain's son was washed overboard, his father, who was powerless to save him, seemed to give up and made no attempt to cling to the cabin top. Twice he was washed away and pulled back by the other sailors.

DR. PARKHURST TRIUMPHS.

The Presbytery Endorses His Methods of Working.

New York, Jan. 15.—The Presbytery of New York at a meeting in the old First Presbyterian church indorsed the work of Dr. Parkhurst, and even commended the means by which he obtained evidence. A resolution to that effect was adopted, but not until the Rev. Dr. Francis Mullally had entered a protest. It was Dr. Mullally's vigorous denunciation which had compelled the postponement of the matter at the previous meeting of the presbytery.

New York State Plumbers' Officers.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 15.—The New York State association of Journeymen Plumbers, Gas and Steam Fitters and Steam Fitter's Helpers, elected the following officers: president, W. J. Spencer, Buffalo; vice-president, W. R. Walsh, Albany; secretary and treasurer, T. J. Butler, Buffalo; executive board, M. Flannary, Troy; S. J. Kelly, Schenectady.

Orioles' Grand Stand Burned.

Baltimore, Jan. 15.—The grand stand at Union Park was totally destroyed by fire last night. The flames were discovered at 11 o'clock and within an hour the structure was reduced to ashes. The firemen saved the bleachers and the ticket office on Huntingdon avenue. The loss is about $10,000. Insured.

Bismarck Will Visit the Kaiser.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—The Koelnische Zeitung confirms the report that the emperor has invited Bismarck to attend his birthday celebration at the Old Castle. Its Berlin correspondent says that Bismarck will come, if his health permits.

Nebraska's Destitution.

Denver, Jan. 15.—The Burlington railroad has forwarded 65 carloads of supplies to the destitute people of Nebraska in the last three months.

Local Weather Forecast.

Fair; westerly winds.

GLOOMY FOR CURRENCY

Legislation This Session on the Wane.

Senator Jones Discouraged Over the Result of the Conferences on His Measure—Silver Men Refuse To Accept It—Mr. Lodge Says It Cannot Meet the Conditions Intended.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The outlook for some sort of currency legislation at this session of congress was more unfavorable last evening when the senate adjourned, possibly, than at any time up to the present. It is more than likely that Mr. Jones will not introduce his promised measure at all, for he is said to be very much discouraged over the result of the conferences he held with the contending elements of his own party and the silver republicans.

The bill, the outlines of which were published in the United Press dispatches, was thought by Messrs. Jones and Camden, who championed it, to meet the situation and they felt assured that if it could pass it would meet the executive approval. Upon this measure, which was not constructed hurriedly, they based their hope for success and the deliverance of the treasury and the country from impending evil. The silver men had, it was previously claimed, said that if they could be assured that a measure recognizing silver would receive the sanction of the president, they would be inclined to support it. When, therefore, this bill was presented for their consideration its authors believed they had solved the trouble, for they were in a position to give the assurance that they understood had been demanded.

The silver men, however, refuse to accept the bill and have so informed Senator Jones. In the morning, and later in the day while the senate was in session, Messrs. Jones and Camden were in conference with Mr. Teller, the leader of the silver republicans, but nothing encouraging was secured from Mr. Teller. It is understood that Mr. Teller entered some serious objections to the proposed Jones bill, among them being the restriction of the coinage to silver, the product of American mines. Mr. Teller pointed out that this would not help the cause of silver, that the mint must be open to the coinage of the silver of the world as that was the only way whereby its price could be enhanced; not that he believed the silver of the world would be brought here for mintage but the mere fact it could be coined here would cause it to command a better price. This would not be the case were the coinage here limited to the American product only. Of course, this coinage, under the proposed bill, provided that the seigniorage should be the difference between the market price and the bullion value.

It was thought by the democrats who were seeking to prepare a measure that could pass that this objection could be remedied, but the great objection of the silver men appeared to be aimed against the large issue of bonds, contemplated by Mr. Jones' bill. This was discussed at a conference of the silver republicans and the conclusion was reached that the issue of such an amount of bonds would be practically going to a gold basis. The silver men did not think they could agree to support such a proposition. Talks had with some of the democratic silver senators also revealed the fact that they would not agree to this large issue of bonds.

For these reasons Mr. Jones and those associated with him do not consider the outlook encouraging. The question will be up again before the finance committee to-day, but no results are expected. The republicans represented by such men as Aldrich, Sherman, Lodge, Platt, Hawley, Hale, etc., oppose the contemplated coinage of the silver and assert that time does not permit the full consideration of a currency bill before the expiration of this congress.

Mr. Lodge declares that "the measure suggested by Mr. Jones cannot meet the conditions, as can no measure which is built on the lines of the tariff bill recently passed—the free lunch plan which seeks to give every contending element that for which it asks."

Mr. Jones visited Mr. Carlisle at the treasury. He admitted that he might not introduce his bill at all. It is quite certain that if he does he will believe that it has some chance for becoming a law; otherwise he will keep it in his pocket.

WHAT THEY WANT.

Republican Will Support a Proper Banking Bill.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Chairman Springer, of the banking and currency committee, asked ex-Speaker Reed whether there was any prospect of the republicans voting for the Carlisle banking bill in any shape. Mr. Reed frankly replied that the republicans would favor a proper banking bill, but what was needed, in their judgment, was not so much a change in the present system as an increase in the national receipts. It does not appear that Secretary Carlisle has drawn any amendment to the bill, nor has Mr. Springer, who has it in charge, decided upon any change in the original measure which will make it more acceptable to those who opposed it. The matter is still in statu quo. There is a disposition on the part of some of the democratic members of the house to withhold any further attempt at banking legislation until the senate has acted upon the subject.

Wants to Succeed Peffer.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 15.—Ex-Speaker Ingalls, of Kansas, who came here last Saturday, said in regard to the reports from Topeka about the senatorial contest, he was taking no interest in it and would rather be a candidate for Senator Peffer's seat two years hence.

Sentenced to Death.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 15.—William Webber was yesterday sentenced by Judge English to be hanged for the murder of his father-in-law, Justus Klenmer.

BROOKLYN'S BIG STRIKE

Thousands Quit Work on the Trolley Roads.

Attempts to Run a Mail Car Frustrated by the Strikers—Policemen Draw Revolvers and Disperse the Mob—The Men Confident That They Will Win.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Between 7,000 and 8,000 men quit work yesterday morning on about thirty surface railroad lines of this city. Over 1,800 electric cars stood idle. Seventeen thousand miles of wire were practically rendered useless, and about 300,000 passengers had to seek other means than the trolleys for getting to their places of business.

A clash occurred at Fifth avenue and 23d street at 3:30 p. m. At that point is the car house of the Atlantic avenue line. President Norton, who had been trying to get out some cars all day, ordered that a car bearing the sign "United States Mail" be taken out and ran over the line. The motorman was guarded by a policeman on either side, and the conductor was looked after by a sergeant who stood on the rear of the car. Surrounding the car house was a crowd of about 500 strikers. When the car appeared they began hooting and making threats. The car had proceeded about twenty yards when the strikers closed in on it. The police on the car were reinforced by twenty-five policemen stationed there to keep order, who surrounded the car, and tried to keep back the strikers. With drawn clubs they strove to fight off the strikers. When the men saw that they could not get to the car, those on the outskirts threw stones and clubs. They disabled the car. A large stone struck Conductor Jackson on the head, causing blood to flow freely. Sergeant Powers then ordered that the car be taken back. By this time a small body of strikers had crowded between it and the car house. They were armed with clubs, and a shower of stones still continued. The police ordered them back, but as they did not know what the order was intended for, they refused to obey. Some of the policemen drew their pistols, and Conductor Jackson drew his. The strikers who saw that move then retreated, clearing the way through which the car could be backed into the house. After the car was safely housed, the crowd closed in on the entrance. No arrests were made.

Martin Connolly, the master workman, when seen last night, said he was perfectly satisfied with the outlook for the strike, and that the company was as much to blame for the inconvenience which the public suffered as the strikers. The company brought the strike about by locking out the eleven men who applied for work Sunday night. He said the strikers could hold out for a few weeks at least. None of them appeared a bit anxious or worried about the outcome.

Mr. Connolly added that he did not think that the public would allow the railroad officials to import green men to take the places of strikers. He said it required a little skill at times to run a trolley car, and the people were not anxious to risk their lives by riding with new men. He also said he intended to try to see that no violence was offered so that the railroad official could not trump up stories against the strikers. He said he felt sure the men would win.

POSTAL SIDE OF THE STRIKE.

Travel Must Be Kept Open to Transport the Mails.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Attorney-General Olney said to-day that he had no official knowledge of the trolley strike in Brooklyn, as United States Marshal McCarty had not thought it necessary to advise him of it. He did not expect to hear of the matter officially at this time.

Under general instructions, United States Marshal McCarty, upon being informed by the postmaster of Brooklyn that the United States mails, carried in the usual way, were being obstructed, had the power to open travel for the purpose of delivering the United States mail.

If the marshal's present force was not sufficient for that purpose, he had the authority to summon as many deputies as would be sufficient.

Mr. Olney said a year or so ago when there was a strike on a street railroad between St. Paul and Minneapolis, which was a regular mail route, the United States marshal under instructions from himself (Attorney-General Olney) cleared the obstructions so far as the free passage of the mail was concerned.

Could Be Sold at a Profit.

Cleveland, Jan. 15.—A woolen mill in this city is now employing 300 persons day and night and the proprietors attribute the increase of orders to the free admission of wool which they say was the hardest blow France and England ever received commercially from this country. Two English experts who examined the product and prices of this mill say the cloth could be sold at a profit in Bradford, England.

Two Stars Wants Money.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Two Stars, chief of the Sisseton Sioux Indians, called upon the commissioner of Indian affairs yesterday, and requested that a sum of money be advanced his tribe to build houses, and improve their property. The commissioner will recommend to the president that $190,000, a part of their principal, be allowed them for this purpose.

Wants To Be Punished.

London, Jan. 15.—The Central News correspondent in Tien-Tsin says that Gen. Sung, whom the Japanese under Gen. Nodzu drove out of Kai-Ping, has asked the Pekin government to punish him and two other high officers for losing the town. All three cases have been submitted to the board of punishment.

Sewell for Senator.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 15.—W. J. Sewell received the republican caucus nomination last night for United States senator.

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For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 34, 6 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 07, 7 20, 7 42, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 32, 9 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 18, 1 20, 1 56, 2 24, 2 40, 3 05, 3 27, 3 47, 4 44, 5 15, 5 36, 5 48, 6 06, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 25 7 59, 9 41. 9 10, 9 50, 10 05 11 09 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 34, 7 54, 8 46, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 33, 3 45, 5 45, 6 45, 6 34, 6 48, 7 06, 7 12, 7 26, 7 58, 8 30 9 15, 10 16, 11 46 and 11 56 p. m.

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For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 37, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43, A. M., 1 06, 1 37, 3 33, 5 06, 6 36 7 45, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 39, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M., 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05 9 26, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 12 26, 1 37, 2 48, 3 39, 5 09, 5 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 26 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 20, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p.m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 55, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43 A. M.; 1 06, 1 37, 2 48, 5 06, 6 36, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 39, 9 05 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 36, 5 06 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 36 and 5 06 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 12 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 20, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1 night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

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Leave Newark 6 10, 7 15, 7 55, 8 10, 9 00, 10 00, 11 38 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 50, 5 00, 6 00, 6 45, 8 04, 8 54, 9 30, 9 20, 9 15, 9 30, 10 45, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 30, 11 30, A. M., 1 10, 3 00, 4 10, 5 00, 7 30, 9 20, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 A.M., 12 40 2 00, 3 32, 5 45, 6 05, 8 14, 8 54, 9 04, 10 28, 11 25, P. M. 12 30 night Sunday—5 45, 8 30 9 54, A. M., 2 00, 5 30, 6 14, 8 00, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 00, 9 00, 9 36, 10 38, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 08, 4 22, 4 38, 6 20, 6 36, 8 17, 8 46, 11 06, P. M. Sunday 8 35, 9 45, 10 50 A. M., 12 00 noon, 1 20 5 06, 6 45, 8 02, 9 06, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 8 45, 9 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 3 06, 5 05, 5 14, 6 32, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 28 A. M. 3 06, 6 32, P. M.

Leave Easton 8 05, 7 00, 8 32, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 20 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 32, A. M. 5 40, 7 00, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p.m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 4 5p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 06 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

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5 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

9 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6,35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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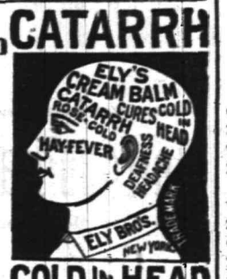

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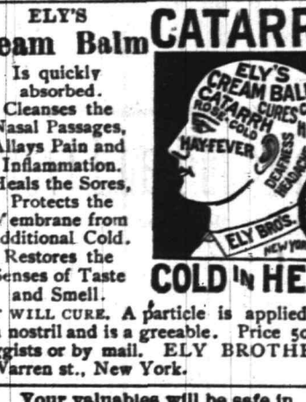

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A manager who is concerned with the production of plays as I am," said Mr. Frohman, "will spend $18,000 to $20,000 a year for manuscripts which never see the light. Plays are offered which possess merit and of which it seems possible we may avail ourselves, and we buy them, and that is their end, for occasion for their use never arises. Then plays are written to order, and foreign plays are bought on the strength of the successes they have made, and these, too, though under ordinary conditions they would be more desirable and would receive prompt production, pass up onto our shelves and in most cases remain there. In fact, I will purchase dramatic material much the same as a newspaper purchases news and other information that it never uses, but which has a market value, for a variety of reasons. It may look like throwing away so much money, but it isn't. The material, be it news or play, is worth the money we paid for it at the time, but exigencies of an unforseen character intervene and prevent its use, that's all.—New York World.

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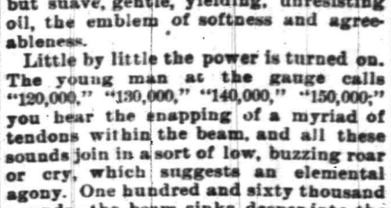

The present design has evidently grown out of the old one, the lines simply being made waving and the stars representing the original thirteen States, being placed in the upper left hand corner.

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Executors.

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EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber Executor of Arietta Egdieson, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the sixteenth day of January next.

JOHN B. EGGLESTON.

Dated November 13, 1894. 11 15 10

ASSIGNEE'S SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, assignee of Sylvester Sharkey, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the county of Union, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of March next.

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AN ENGAGEMENT.

There could no longer be any reasonable doubt. Poor Jack Lester had been drowned in the wreck of the Ootacumund, and Celia Grey was the most unhappy girl in Woodbury. She was forced to keep her grief to herself because she had not been officially engaged to Jack. She thought it might have been a little easier to bear if her friends had known how unhappy she was and with what good reason. With this great secret sorrow in her heart the ordinary routine of life grew painful. She had no spirit for tennis parties. She hated her gay summer frocks; she even wished she need not act as bridesmaid to her cousin Susie. She used to lie awake at night and wonder how much he had minded being drowned.

As she went into the stationer's one day she saw Fannie Potter there, a girl she knew slightly and disliked. If it had been possible she would have escaped from the shop rather than speak to Fannie, but she was recognized at once.

"Good morning, Celia," said Miss Potter, putting down a packet of black-edged envelopes and coming forward. For a short time some years ago the girls had been in the same class at the high school, and on the strength of this Fannie continued to address Celia by her Christian name. She did not often have the chance of doing so. The Potters were not people with whom the Greys wished to be on friendly terms. Mr. Potter was an attorney of doubtful reputation. It was well known that on Fannie's behalf he had threatened a well to do farmer with a breach of promise case, and that the young man had only got off by paying a substantial sum.

Since that time Fannie had dressed more fashionably than ever, but she had not been asked for her hand and heart again.

Celia bought what she wanted, and was about to leave the shop when Fannie followed her and said that they might as well walk a little way together. She was going past Beechdene.

"You must find that gown rather heavy," said Celia, who saw that her companion wore mourning deep enough for a young widow.

"My heart is very heavy," said Fannie, with an accentuated sigh.

Celia reflected. She had not heard of Mr. Potter's demise; and Mrs. Potter she had seen at the station dressed in bright blue.

"I did not know you were in trouble," she said civilly.

It was rather difficult to be more than civil, because Fannie showed her grief in such an objectionable way. She had pulled out a pocket handkerchief with a broad black border, and was sobbing into it so loudly that any one they passed stared at them.

"Didn't you know?" howled Fannie.

"No," said Celia. "What is the matter?"

"I thought every one knew. I am staying with the Lesters. That is why I have to pass Beechdene."

Celia felt as if her heart stopped for a moment, and then went on in a greater hurry than was comfortable. She laughed rather nervously and said:

"I don't know what you mean. You are not in mourning because you are staying with the Lesters, I suppose?"

"What a heartless girl you must be to make fun of us when we are in such trouble!" sobbed Fannie. She paused while a wave of extra strong emotion shook her breast, and then she added in a sepulchral tone, "Poor Jack Lester is drowned!"

"I know that," said Celia sharply, "but I don't see why you should be in mourning."

"Jack and I were engaged."

Celia turned ashen white. Otherwise she gave no sign. She walked ahead doggedly, and kept her open sunshade between her companion and herself.

"He gave me this ring," continued Fannie, pulling off her glove. "Look at it! 'From Jack to Fannie' is engraved inside. Poor, dear Jack."

Celia raised her sunshade a little and glanced at the ring. She thought it rather vulgar, and quite suitable for Miss Potter. It consisted of a large emerald surrounded by coarsely cut diamonds. She thought it did not look Jack's choice.

"How long—" she began, and then, to her vexation, she could not go on. Her heart beat too much.

"How long were we engaged? Oh! only just before he sailed. No one knew of it; but when I heard that he was drowned I wrote to his father and mother. I felt sure they would be glad, poor old things. I am staying with them now."

"Really!" said Celia, and then, having arrived at the gate of Beechdene, she rather abruptly bade goodby.

From her mother Celia learned that the impossible story was true. Woodbury rang with the news. The Lesters were great people, the Potters very little ones. No one could understand why Jack Lester should have made such a trumpery choice or how Fannie with her blowsy beauty had managed to captivate him. Without the ring she would hardly have persuaded any one that she told the truth. Directly the confirmation of his death arrived she had put herself into mourning and drawn down the parlor blinds, while Mr. and Mrs. Potter, with an air of great surprise, spread the story of her bereavement. They had not known of any engagement, they said, until poor, dear Fannie fainted at the news of the wreck, and afterward exhibited her ring. She nearly swooned again when Col. Lester called. She said he reminded her so strongly of her beloved Jack.

Celia drooped. Her mother thought of sending her to the sea, she lost color and weight so fast. The poor child was grievously hurt. She had loved Jack Lester and believed in him. There had been enough of an understanding between them to warrant her hopes. Had he deceived her? And what made her heart ache most—the fable of his treachery or the thought that he was dead?

About a month after the wreck of the Ootacamund Mrs. Grey said that she must go and see Mrs. Lester one afternoon, and she hoped that Celia would accompany her.

"You go without me," said Celia.

"Mrs. Lester is so fond of you," observed Mrs. Grey.

"Oh! but she has the Potter girl now," said Celia, dejectedly.

Nevertheless, when the afternoon came, she went to Langholme with her mother. They were shown into the drawing-room, and found Mrs. Lester and her guest at tea. Miss Potter advanced to meet them, and without any loss of time began to show how much she felt at home.

But neither Mrs. Grey nor Celia took very much notice of the young woman. Mrs. Lester welcomed her old friends with affection, led them to a distant part of the large room, and gave her own orders to Wilkins. It was not until Col. Lester appeared that Miss Fannie had a chance of reasserting herself.

Col. Lester looked delighted to see Celia, but he asked her why she had grown so white and thin.

"What can a young girl have to fret about?" he said.

"Oh, Colonel!" sighed Miss Potter, reproachfully.

Every one had finished tea, and Mrs. Lester proposed an adjournment to the flower garden, when they were stopped by Wilkins coming in and asking, with a shaky voice, for his master. The old servant looked scared and upset.

"What is it, Wilkins?" said Miss Potter. "Anything I can do? The Colonel is tired."

Wilkins vouchsafed no reply. He did not even look her way. Col. Lester got up and went out of the room. Perhaps two minutes passed before he returned. The ladies had begun to talk of something else, when the Colonel opened the door, stood still for a moment on the threshold, looked fixedly at his wife, and then over his shoulder toward the hall. It was just as if Mrs. Lester could read something in his face that no one else understood. She got up and walked in a quick, trembling way toward her husband.

"Jack!" she cried. She went with outstretched hands beyond the door, and before any one quite understood what had happened, Jack rushed foward and took his mother into his arms.

Celia turned so white that her mother thought she would faint; but the next moment she had blushed rosy red because Jack Lester had seized her hand and seemed reluctant to let it go again. No one noticed the Potter girl steal stealthily toward the low French window that stood open to the lawn.

"What does it mean, Jack?" asked his mother at last. "You look very ill."

"I've been pretty bad. I lay in a hut on the Spanish coast for three weeks. I was knocked silly you know, against the rocks, and then hauled out by some fisherman. The poor chap they took for me must have got hold of my coat with my papers in. It all happened in the dark and in such a hurry. I might have wired from London, but I thought I would just come on. When they put me on board at Cadiz I was not in a condition to act for myself, and the people who looked after me did not know how to get at you."

"We have been taking care of your bride, Jack," said Col. Lester, who was a good deal surprised by his son's cool manner to her.

Jack looked puzzled, pleased, undetermined.

"My bride!" he said, with a happy light in his eyes, "Celia."

And he held out both his hands to Miss Grey, at whose side he had remained. But she hung back blushing and embarrassed.

"Jack!" exclaimed his father sternly. "I mean Miss Potter."

"There goes Miss Potter!" said Mrs. Grey, pointing to the French window that she could see from her seat. Col. Lester looked startled and turned round. They could all see a buxom crape-clad figure speeding down the lawn.

"She said you were engaged," gasped the Colonel. "We believed it."

"You did," said Mrs. Lester. "I disliked the girl from the first."

"You never believed it?" said Jack to Celia.

"She wore your ring, stammered Celia.

"That she most certainly did not," said Jack.

"It had 'From Jack to Fannie' inside. I saw the inscription."

"Yes," said the Colonel, "there was no doubt about the inscription."

"I did not give it to her."

"It is very curious," said Mrs. Lester. "How did she get the ring?"

"I think I know," said Mrs. Grey, who had listened with a meditative face to Jack's denials. "The man who jilted her, the man she threatened with a breach of promise suit, was called John Smith. He is in Australia now, and the whole business happened out of Woodbury, so I suppose she thought it quite safe to use his ring."

"None of us could understand your taste, Jack," said Mrs. Lester.

"You do now, though," said Jack, taking Celia's hand.—Illustrated London News.

A Case of Force.

"Does he keep his word?"

"He must. No one will take it."—N. Y. Herald.

Of Two Evils Preferred the Least.

It was two o'clock in the morning and colder than four kinds of charity, when the policeman saw the man standing on the street corner shivering until his heels rattled on the sidewalk.

"What's the matter?" asked the officer approaching him.

"I—I—I'm cold," shivered the man.

"What are you standing out here for?"

"Every place is shut up."

"Have you a home?"

"Yes."

"Can't you get in there?"

"Yes."

"Well, why don't you? You'll freeze her.

"I wouldn't be surprised," said the man bracing up to a degree of firmness, "but I'd a blamed sight rather be froze than be roasted, and my wife is waiting up for me, because the light was turned up full when I was 'round there a short while ago."

"Um," grunted the policeman, and invited him to remain where he was and continue to shiver.—Detroit Free Press.

A Putrid Reminiscence.

Colonel Breckinridge is being greeted with a beggarly account of empty benches on his present lecturing tour. In other words, he is learning that the country has no use for him except as a putrid reminiscence.

Tedious Suffering Finds Relief.

HAVERHILL, N. H.—Many physicians have pronounced as incurable, diseases of the skin and blood. Mrs. Hodson of this place abandoned the old school method and used Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy and was cured.

In October, 1890, and for a year after, Mrs. Hodson suffered from a diseased ankle bone. She had always been troubled with Salt Rheum which aggravated the diseased limb. Prescriptions and medicines of all sorts were used, but with no benefit. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was tried, and it drove the poison out of her blood, healed the ulcerous sores, and restored Mrs. Hodson to health and strength.

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—A sociable is to be given by the "Thule" Benevolent Society in Red Men's Hall, Saturday, Jan. 26, at 8 p.m. Tickets are 25 cents.

—In its statement that Mrs. Whittemore was known as "Sister Charlotte", The Press was misinformed. "Sister Charlotte" is another worker in a different field.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework to live in Fanwood. Apply at 737 Watchung ave., Plainfield, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. 1 15 2

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Wyandotte cockerels and Bantam fowls, or will exchange for pullets. F. R. Stevens, 703 South avenue.

LOST—Sunday morning, male pug dog. Suitable reward given if left at owner's, 935 Central ave.

LOST—A few days ago, a pair of Rhinestone earrings between Watchung avenue and Music Hall. Finder please return to this office.

WANTED—By a German girl, situation at general housework or chambermaid. M. M., Box 84, Dunellen.

EIGHT-room house for sale or to let 69 Manning ave; price $3,100; rent $18 per month. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung ave. 1 14 6

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DEATHS.

NO EXTRA CHARGE—Notices under this head will be repeated in The Weekly Constitutionalist without extra cost.

LANG—In Mt. Bethel Monday, Jan. 14, 1895, John Jacob Lang in his 61st year.
Funeral services from Mt. Bethel Church, Thursday afternoon, at 1:30. 2

WOODEN—IN North Plainfield Monday, Jan. 14, 1895, Peter Wooden, aged 94 years, 7 months and 20 days.
Funeral services from his late residence, 75 Somerset street. Thursday, Jan. 17, at 2:30 p. m.

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Glass Toweling at 10c, 12½c, 15c, yd.
Crash at 9c, 11c, 14c.
Tea Napkins at $1, $1.25, $1 50, $1.75 dozen.
Dinner Napkins at $1,75, $1.95, $2.60 dozen.
Huck Towels, fringed, at 12½c, 15c 20c, 22c, 40c each.
Hemstitched Huck Towels at 20c, 23c, 25c, 43c, 65c each.
Damask Towels at 12½c, 17c, 25c, 45c, 98c each.
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Civil Service Examination

The Civil Service Commission at Washington has ordered that an examination be held in this city on Saturday, February 2, 1895, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m., for the grades of clerk and carrier in the city postoffice. Only citizens of the United States can be examined. The age limitations are as follows: For carrier, not under 21 nor over 40; for all other positions not under 18 years. No application will be accepted for this examination unless filed with the undersigned in complete form, on the proper blanks, before the hour of closing business on January 28, 1895.

The Civil Service Commission takes this opportunity of stating that these examinations are open to all reputable citizens who may desire to enter the postal service, without regard to their political affiliations. All such citizens, whether Democrats or Republicans, or neither, are invited to apply. They shall be examined, graded, and certified with entire impartiality, and wholly without regard to their political views, or to any consideration save their efficiency, as shown by the grades they obtain in the examination.

For application blanks, full instructions and information relative to the duties and salaries of the different positions, apply at the postoffice to G. C. GODOWN,
1 11 6 Sec'y Board of Examiners.

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Mrs. Dr. Edwards
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LOOKING FOR ARMS.

Sons of Veterans to Ask for Muskets, and Accepting Social Invitations.

At the meeting of John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, last evening, the new rituals were first used, and all were much pleased. Three degrees, representing the cardinal principles of the order, are additional features. The first degree was exemplified, and proved to be very interesting. The Captain was authorized to confer with the Commander of Post 73, in regard to securing arms for the Camp. It was also voted that an entertainment or lecture be given at a date to be decided by the members. An order was received from Headquarters stating that the thirteenth annual encampment of the division would be held in Trenton, Thursday, Feb. 21, at 10 a. m. An invitation was received from the Women's Relief Corps to attend the installation of the Corps President, Friday evening, Jan. 25, when a programme of music and recitations will be given. Another invitation was received to attend a social at the home of Mrs. Andrew Cox, tomorrow evening, which is in charge of the Rathbone Sisters.

Master of Ribbons.

Few people not directly interested realize the experience, caution and judgment necessary in handling the carriages at the big receptions, parties and teas which have been of such frequent occurrence among the social leaders of Plainfield this season. But wherever there is a special demand there is usually a man specially fitted to fill it, and in this present instance genial and popular Frank Hedden is decidedly the man. On several occasions at the Casino and other of the larger affairs Mr. Hedden has had as many as seventy-five carriages to handle, and although this amount of work, which must all be done in a very short time when guests are ready to depart, would hopelessly confuse one less careful than Frank, he invariably handles everything with promptness and avoids the least confusion. Plainfield people have learned to feel perfectly at ease as to their prompt departure at the desired time whenever they see the sunny smile and the covert coat of the East Fourth street master of the ribbons.

For Foreign Lands.

Mrs. Lawrence Myers and her daughter Mrs. Mead, accompanied by Mrs. Mead's beautiful and interesting little ones, will sail for Algiers Saturday on the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser William. Italy is the objective point for their Winter sojourn, after which a tour will be made of France, Belgium, Holland and Switzerland as well as England. The many friends of these philanthropic women, who have done so much toward improving and christianizing not only the unfortunates of Plainfield but also in a much larger field, wish them a godspeed and safe return.

Before the Rain Came.

Smooth ice and delightful weather brought the young people out in large numbers yesterday afternoon to enjoy the skating on Hyde's millpond. An exciting game of hockey furnished amusement most of the afternoon. In the evening the pond was again thronged. The meadows were in fairly good condition, and many of the less expert skaters spent their time gliding around its glassy surface. Ohl's pond also was in fine condition, and brought out the skaters in full force.

The Manual Training Reception.

The pupils of the Plainfield Manual Training School are engaged in preparations for the reception to be given in the school-rooms, Jan. 24. The invitations for the reception are artistic. On the corner of each invitation is a small free-hand sketch made by a former pupil of the school. On the back is a list of several of Plainfield's most prominent citizens who will make short addresses.

Additions to the Club.

Several recent additions are noted in the morning and afternoon classes at the riding academy. Some of the women especially are becoming quite proficient under the careful tutelage of Proprietor Stevenson, and will soon be able to join the popular riding club which has been increased by several men and women in the past weeks.

Fell from a Trestle.

Fred Hand of North avenue, while engaged yesterday in dumping coal from a car standing on the trestle in his yard, slipped on the ice and fell a distance of fourteen feet, severely bruising his right arm. Although so badly bruised, Mr. Hand is able to attend to his business.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds & Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

DISCERNS THE EARS.

American Penetrates the Disguise of Mr. Tettemer.

APPLICATION OF A WELL-KNOWN FABLE.

Former Statements of American Reiterated—The St. Louis Correspondent Challenged to Produce Documentary Rebuttal—Facts Still Count, and American Does Not Recede.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—The community thank you for maintaining a paper impartially open to all parties and creeds, without fear or favor. St. Louis bulldozing is not needed in Plainfied.

I read the vituperative communication from Mr. Tettemer, and the Ainsworth letter, which he so bombastically flourishes, and it reminds me of a fable. A short, long-eared, four-legged creature, with a hoarse voice, stole a lion's skin, and wrapping it about him strode forth alarming those he met. At last he met a fox, and with a tremendous noise sought to frighten him—but the fox did n't scare. Then this creature with the hoarse voice asked, "Did n't you think I was a lion?" And the fox replied, "Oh, no, I knew you by your ears".

So we have the spectacle of Mr. Tettemer of St. Louis, holding in front of him the War Department, while jumping up and down, frothing at the mouth, and screaming, "'Tis all false; American is an unvarnished liar". But Mr. Tettemer's communication shows those abominable ear-marks; 'tis not the voice of a lion: only a bray. Nobody said the printed table of comparative desertions from which I quoted, came altogether from Washington. All the official war records are not there; and there are obtainable comparisons, Ainsworth, Tettemer & Co. to the contrary notwithstanding. Using the precedent established by your correspondent from St. Louis, I will take my time to procure the documentary evidence to substantiate the figures of the table, which raises so loud a "bray".

But the peculiar mental qualities of the St. Louis "voice" are further exhibited in the wild flourishing of that same document, to disprove statements with which the War Department is not connected. The "voice" declares, "Ainsworth's letter proves that there is not a scintilla of truth in American's whole letter to Wilhere". Wonderful logic! Marvelous deduction! Mr. Tettemer has certainly lost his head—if not his ears. No is the time for the gentleman to be consistent in his self-imposed task of exposure (sic). Documentary rebuttal to prove one statement false, documentary rebuttal to disprove all the alleged "glaring falsehoods". Glaring falsehoods are easily disproved. Not a "scintilla of truth" is easily exposed. Besides, the gentleman is not known in these parts—his language indicates that his usual place is among the toughs.

Now American challenges the aforesaid "voice" to produce documentary evidence that the Pope did not hold confidential correspondence with Jefferson Davis during the war. He is challenged to produce documentary rebuttal that all who had anything to do with the murder of Lincoln were not Romanists, (see Lansing's Romanism and Republic, page 272) He is challenged to produce documentary rebuttal disproving Father Chiniquy's awful charge, which I quoted, that the assassination was a Romanist plot, (see Chiniquy's Fifty Years in the Church of Rome). He is challenged to disprove the history which John Heord, Jr., writes in Scribner's (June, 1894), to the effect that Napoleon's attempt in Mexico, at a critical point in our war, was a Catholic conspiracy to erect on this continent are empire to check the growth of American spirit and institutions. American also quoted the Duke of Richmond's notorious affirmation that the Government of the United States ought not to stand, and would be destroyed by subversion. Go on, Mr. Tettemer, if there is not a "scintilla of truth" in these authorities from whom I quoted, nothing is easier than to expose them—go on, produce the documentary rebuttals—or shut up. The other portions of the "Reply to Wilhere" will stand the same treatment. It still remains true, "Facts count", We want "facts", not St. Louis "brays".

Finally, Mr. Tettemer, you accuse American of "stirring strife in a peaceable community"—it sounds large. I fling the accusation in your teeth, sir, and accuse you, and your tribe, of being unpatriotic, and the disturbers of peace. The war was to maintain the Union, an integral part of the foundation of that Union is the public school. Yet we find you and your party attacking our most cherished institutions. Here is patriotism for you—here is the writing that disturbs the peace of communities. Listen to this absurd fling: "The experience of every day shows more and more plainly that serious evils and great dangers are entailed upon Catholic youth by their frequentation of public schools in this country, The morals and examples of their fellow scholars are so corrupt, and so great their license in word and deed, that through continued contact with them the modesty and piety of our children, even of those who have been best trained at home, disappear like wax before the fire."—(Judges of the Faith, page 35). Now, Mr. Tettemer, the attitude of Rome during the war is written in blood-red letters which even your "bray" cannot obliterate. The attitude of Rome today towards our institutions is exposed in thousands of gross attacks like the above. With such testimony confronting you, it is idiotic to talk about "stirring strife" in peaceable communities. What do you mean, sir, by your hypocritical plea against "stirring strife", when we are confronted by Brownson, who dares to tell us "If the Pope should curse the government of the United States, every consistent orthodox Roman Catholic would thereby be absolved from his allegiance to it". What do you mean by talking "peace", when the Western Watchman, published in your own city, sends out broadcast the following beautiful editorial: "Protestantism—we would draw and quarter it. We would impale and hang it up for crow's meat. We would tear it with pinchers and fire it with hot irons. We would fill it with molten lead and sink it in a hundred fathoms of hell fire." Mr. Tettemer, before you come to Plainfield to talk "peace", do a little missionary work with the blazing, bloodthirsty, unpatriotic, peace-breaking friend of yours in St. Louis. Till my next,

AMERICAN

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Charles Carpenter is confined to her home with a severe cold.

While skating on the New Market lake, Monday, Williams the carpenter fell and cut himself very badly about the head and face. He was assisted home by friends and will not be able to be out for a few days.

Charles W. Johnson is ill at his home.

Frank Haffner, Jr., is suffering from a severe attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. G. W. Churchill is recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. W. H. Cole spent yesterday afternoon with friends in Plainfield.

Mrs. Samuel Merrill is confined to her home with a severe sore throat.

Edward Lewis will move into the Augustus Todd house, next month.

Arthur S. Giles is having the curtain in his shop lettered by Charles F. Maire.

Eugene Leach broke the clapper of the Presbyterian Church bell Sunday and it is now being repaired by William Craig and son.

One of Dunellen's belles hired a rig and went to New Market yesterday, and invited a young gentleman to ride home with her. The young man did not accept the invitation.

It is reported that a mock wedding is to take place today between two of our leading young people at a residence somewhere in town. This is not the first mock wedding that has occurred in town during the past week.

Mrs. Charles F. Maire visited friends in Bound Brook yesterday.

Miss May Gise and Mrs. W. Hetfield visited friends in Plainfield Tuesday.

John Taylor and Robert Craig enjoyed a trip to Plainfield yesterday. They had one of Dunellen's flying steeds, and were carried over the trip at a rapid pace.

Charles Deneen and John Rhinehart, employes of the Central Railroad, are suffering with the grip and unable to be on duty.

Mrs. George F. Giles is confined to her home by illness.

Robert Craig says any one who doubts the story in The Press of yesterday regarding his pipe, may refer to Edward Teel who furnished the mouthpiece.

G. Elston Lowrie is at home with the grip.

H. H. Webb will remove to the Stryker house next week.

Bread is exceptionally low here now, five cents a loaf. All places selling at the same price. Plainfield should follow suit.

Free-Delivery Changes.

Letter-Carrier John A. Neighbor, who has been making the early morning trip on Somerset street, has been taken off that delivery, and his route on East Second street has been lengthened. The Somerset street early delivery has been assigned to Letter-Carrier William Demarest, whose Netherwood district has been shortened.

Sewer Work Takes a Rest.

The workmen who have been engaged for the past few days putting in the flush-tank on Woodland avenue completed their work yesterday. This ends sewer work till early Spring.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

B. A. Hegeman, Jr., is detained from business with a severe cold.

Miss Waring of Park avenue is kept at home with an attack of the grip.

John Richter, Doane & Edsall's faithful cobbler, is recovering from the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Edsall went to New York yesterday for a short visit.

Mrs. C. E. Wright is confined to her home on LaGrande avenue with the grip.

Miss Maud Lord of Belvidere avenue is visiting Mrs. C. L. McMillen of Jersey City.

Miss Emma Wyckoff has returned to the Commercial Palace after a two-days illness.

Mrs. Freeman of Watchung avenue is home again after a visit to relatives in Albany.

Dr. E. W. Hedges did not escape the grip although he is recovering and able to be around.

Miss Mamie Allison of Brooklyn formerly of this city is visiting friends in Plainfield.

Miss Alice Chandor of East Fifth street has returned from an extended visit in New York.

Mrs. F. A. Pike of Rockview terrace will spend the balance of the Winter in Baltimore.

W. A. Garrigues has removed from 111 East Sixth street to 1200 Walnut street, Philadelphia.

Miss Gertrude Marchand of Pittsburg is the guest of Miss Maude Agnes Bowers at Hotel Albion.

Miss Harriet Loomis of New York who has been visiting Miss Morse of Franklin place has returned home.

John D. Miller of East Ninth street is visiting in New York, where he will remain the rest of the Winter.

George Parrot of Key West is making an extended visit at the home of George P. Bull of East Ninth street.

Dancing-Master Walsh, late of this city, is seriously ill with an attack of the grip at his home in Brooklyn.

James Brown has completed a ten-room house at the corner of North and Leland avenues, Netherwood.

Joseph Angerbauer of Brokaw Bros., New York, is spending a three-weeks vacation at his home in this city.

Phillip Bens of New Brunswick was in town yesterday visiting his old friend George Richter of Somerset street.

E. Leonard of Madison avenue is again able to be out, after being confined to the house with a severe case of the grip.

Miss Sadie Barrett of Dunellen left today for Marlborough-on-the-Hudson, where she will visit friends for a few days.

Miss Grace Wilkins of Rochester has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Edward Douglass of Washington avenue.

Mrs. Henry Thorne of Lake Placid is spending a few days with her mother-in-law, Mrs. H. A. Thorne of LaGrande avenue.

Herbert Schutt of Duer street has accepted a position with Wooley, Raymond & Co., hardware dealers, 89 Reade street, New York.

Gordon Brady has returned to his home in Brooklyn, after a short visit at the home of George M. Rittenhouse of East Sixth street.

A pen and ink sketch by Miss Alice E. Loomis has been placed in the corner window of Garret Q. Packer's store on Park avenue.

Miss Jennie Pierson of Liberty, N. Y., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. T. E. Morgan of 121 West Front street, has returned home.

When skating on Hyde's millpond Monday afternoon, Fred Smith sprained his ankle, and is confined to his home on Putnam avenue.

Master Frank Reinhart, who has been ill at his home on Belvidere avenue for the past ten days with the grip, is now able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bogert celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage yesterday. Many useful and handsome gifts were received.

George Smith of Central avenue has been confined to his room with an injured foot. He is slowly improving, and is now able to be out in a carriage.

Misses Addie and Hattie Stine of New Brunswick returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit with their brother, Edward Stine of Grandview avenue.

Rev. G. Hauser and wife returned to their home on Duer street yesterday afternoon, after a pleasant visit at the home of Mrs. Hauser's mother, Jersey City.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bowden, formerly of this city and now of South River, will regret to learn of the loss of their daughter Jennie, who died Monday.

Among the recent additions to the club car "Evona" are Benjamin R. Western of Washington Park and Wm. R. Cock of Fifth street. Both are likely to prove a valuable acquisition. Mr. Western was introduced by ex-Mayor William L. Saunders.

Miss Ida Dunham of Arlington avenue has a very heavy cold.

Edward H. Ladd of 307 Franklin place is quite ill with the grip.

E. R. Pope, Jr., is confined to his home in North avenue with the grip.

George Coard of East Ninth street is confined to his home with the grip.

Miss May Redman of LaGrande avenue is visiting friends near Philadelphia.

Miss Clute of Albany is the guest of Miss Sallye Swayze of Prospect avenue.

Ernest Conover of Elmwood place has recovered entirely from his recent illness.

Captain Stewart of Park avenue has returned after a short trip to Chicago and Cleveland.

Mrs. Wm. C. Baker of West Seventh street is a sufferer from a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Giles entertained a number of her friends at her home on East Sixth street last evening.

Borough Clerk James K. Arnold is confined to his home by "crick" in the muscles of his back.

Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., is still lying very ill. A consultation of physicians was held yesterday.

Martin I. Cooley of Rockview avenue has purchased the valuable team of bay horses formerly belonging to Mrs. Lawrence Myers.

George Ringo of Berlin is expected to arrive in New York the first of next week, on the steamship Lahn. He will visit his friend and schoolmate, Curt Gotthelf of this city.

Mrs. George W. Endicott, wife of Dr. Endicott, was obliged to forego the pleasure of chaperoning several young women friends at the Columbia Concert and Assembly given at the Casino the other evening, because of the grip.

James Perrine, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Perrine of Duer street, died last evening after a few days illness. Arrangements for the funeral services have not been completed yet, and the announcement will be made later.

The Tuesday Morning Whist Club met at the home of Mrs. Edgerton yesterday as usual, and had a delightful time. These gatherings are a source of much pleasure to the members, who meet each week as the guests of Mrs. Edgerton.

The Social Twelve met at the home of F. S. Green of East Fifth street last evening. Whist was enjoyed, after which refreshments were served. Among those present were: Mr and Mrs F S Green, Mr and Mrs Lou Rose, Mr and Mrs Wilcox, Mr and Mrs Baynon, Mr and Mrs B O Bowers, Miss Ethel Green and Mr Cox.

Miss Delphine L. Bowers of 400 Franklin place gave an afternoon tea to a number of her friends yesterday. Several vocal and instrumental solos were charmingly rendered, after which refreshments were served. Among those present were Miss Sallye Swayze, Miss Clute of Albany, Miss Lulu Patton, Miss Katherine Thorn, Miss Etta Bliss and Miss Maud Lowrie.

Mrs. J. Wesley Johnson of LaGrande avenue entertained a number of her friends last evening in honor of her guest, Miss VanPatton of Burlington, Vt. During the evening Miss Alice Coard skilfully rendered a selection on the piano and there were vocal solos by Miss Bowers, Miss Holmes, Mr. Hallock and Mr. Holmes. The tables was very tastefully decorated. Among those who enjoyed Mrs. Johnson's hospitality were: Miss Alice Coard, Miss Delphine Bowers, Miss Ethel Holmes, Miss Edith Day, Miss VanPatton, Harry Johnson, Herbert Johnson, Fletcher Hallock, Harry Williams, Alfred Holmes.

Central Avenue Euchre Club.

Last evening the members of the Central Avenue Euchre Club were charmingly entertained by Mrs. C. E. Abbottt at her beautiful residence 966 Central avenue, the affair being the eighth of the present series of semi-monthly meetings of the club. Twenty-six men and women comprize the club proper, but last evening several outside friends were invited to fill the place left temporarily vacant by those of the members who were unfortunate enough to be "gripped". The drawing room and parlors were profusely decorated with beautiful growing plants and luxuriant palms.

During the evening a bountiful collation was provided by the beautiful hostess.

The prizes were four in number, one of which fell to the lot of Mrs. C. E. Perkins who played the most successful game of any woman present and was awarded a beautiful photograph frame, while Mrs. Harry Stockton, who was a close second to Mrs. Perkins, received a tasty silver paper cutter.

Among the men J. Parker Mason secured the very appropriate first prize of a silk umbrella which will doubtless be doubly appreciated today by the fortunate recipient, and Harry Stockton is now the possessor of a pretty silver penknife which was awarded as second prize among the men. These house parties have become almost a fixture in Central avenue social life among those who comprise this most popular club, and Mrs. Abbott was heartily congratulated last evening upon the success attending the pleasant function.

HYMENEAL.

Hubbard—Potter.

Last evening at the home of the bride's parents William C. Hubbard of West Fifth street was married to Miss Mabel Louise Potter, youngest daughter of Charles Potter of 427 West Seventh street, this city.

Promptly on the stroke of 7, the hour appointed for the wedding, the bride and groom entered the spacious parlors which had been handsomely decorated for the occasion with palms, ferns, potted plants and choice cut flowers, and at the mantel they were met by their pastor, Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., who feelingly and eloquently pronounced the marriage ceremony. After invoking the Divine blessing on the newly-married pair, Dr. Lewis turned and introduced them as Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard who were ready to receive the congratulations of their friends.

The bride's wedding dress was of heavy white satin richly trimmed with point lace and chiffon, and her veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a handsome bouquet of bride roses. Mr. Hubbard is the eldest son of Joseph A. Hubbard of this city.

Owing to the recent death of Mr. Potter's son-in-law, A. M. Ross, the wedding was a quiet home affair, only the immediate families of the bride and groom being present.

The supper was furnished by Max Wiertz of this city.

Judged by Their Feet.

Miss Ida Johnson of West Fifth street entertained about thirty of her friends at her home last evening. A novel feature was that a large sheet was stretched across a room behind which the young women stood, only their feet showing. The young men then selected their partners, with whom they were to pull taffy. This afforded great fun. The young people afterwards adjourned to another room, where a flashlight picture was taken by Photographer Wm. Monfort. Wm. Milliken of Dunellen furnished excellent music, and after the company enjoyed themselves with further games all sat down and partook of an excellent supper.

The Press Will Be There Daily.

A large number of people gathered in the rooms of the East Third Street Mission last evening, it being an informal opening of the free public reading room. Superintendent L. W. Randolph made an address of hearty welcome, after which the audience listened with pleasure to several well rendered piano solos by Howard Case.

The use of the rooms was explained by Mr. Randolph. The beginning is made with an excellent supply of reading matter. The Daily Press will always be on file at the rooms, as will also several other daily papers. A collation was served during the evening which all enjoyed.

Ministers Meet.

The pretty residence of Rev. Edward Love, 229 East Ninth street, was the meeting-place Monday of the Ministers Association to the number of twelve. An interesting paper on municipal outdoor relief was read by Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, and discussion followed. A bountiful supper was served, proving conclusively that the reverend gentlemen enjoyed the discussions of viands fully as well as that of hard facts. Two-out-of-town guests of the evening were obliged to forego the pleasures of the evening because of indisposition.

Initiation Fee Suspended.

At the adjourned meeting of the Camera Club last evening the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

President—O. S. Teale.
Vice-president—Howard Stillman.
Secretary—Harry Coward.
Treasurer—W. A. Freeman.
Board of Directors—Harold Serrell, J. Hervey Doane, J. E. Stewart.

It was voted that the bylaws should be suspended for three months, commencing Feb. 1, where it provides for an initiation fee. This is done to increase the membership. A test of exhibition slides was given at the close of the meeting.

Chiefly Home Talent.

Nothing this week in the entertainment line will be finer than the recital in the Congregational Church. Miss Kathryn Krymer of Brooklyn, with a most beautiful contralto voice, and Alfred Holmes, barytone, of this city, will sing, while Miss Addie Parker Jackson, Plainfield's charming elocutionist, will recite. The instrumental music, under the direction of P. L. Conde, will be of a high order. All who attend will be sure of a most enjoyable evening.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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The President of France Resigns His Office.

Unable to Solve the Problem Presented by the Resignation of Premier Dupuy—The News Spreads Like Wildfire and Creates Consternation—Extremists Wildly Elated.

Paris, Jan. 16.—M. Casimir-Perier has resigned the office of president of France. He announced his resignation last evening at a specially summoned meeting of the cabinet, having previously informed M. Challemel-Lacour, the president of the senate, of his inability to solve the problem presented by the resignation of Premier Dupuy.

The news of the president's resignation spread like wildfire throughout Paris, and was received everywhere with consternation amounting almost to paralysis. In the newspapers offices the first report was considered absurd, but was soon confirmed. Almost simultaneously crowds began gathering in front of the newspapers offices and in the public places, inquiring for further particulars and discussing the situation.

The following official communication, dictated or written by M. Casimir-Perier, was made public before midnight Monday night:

"The president of the republic has taken a resolution to resign his official functions. Yesterday's proceedings and vote in the chamber of deputies are in his eyes but secondary incidents of the struggle that has begun against parliamentary regime and public liberty. He had hoped that the president of the republic, being unprovided with means of action, would remain outside the lines of party struggles, and that the political confidence of all parties would give him the necessary force and authority. He had hoped that those, who, in spite of himself, had placed him in a position where he cannot defend himself, would undertake the defence of the first magistrate of the state. He has requested the ministers to withdraw their resignations provisionally in order to assure the regular transmission of his powers to his successor."

Monsieur Charles Dupuy, president of the council, has informed the presidents of the senate and chamber of deputies of the decision of the president of the republic, and they are going to convoke parliament with urgency.

M. Challemel-Lacour, president of the senate, courteously allowed himself to be interviewed by the United Press correspondent late last evening, notwithstanding the great pressure of business suddenly thrust upon him by the president's resignation.

He said that it had not yet been decided whether to convoke the national assembly to elect a successor to M. Casimir-Perier for the 18th or 19th inst. He will probably announce the date to-day on the meeting of the senate and chamber of deputies.

M. Casimir-Perier's reference, in his public communication, to his inability to defend himself in the presidency may, according to trustworthy information obtained by the United Press correspondent, be explained by the fact that, as he was a sub-secretary of state in the cabinet which concluded the railway conventions in 1883, he regards the adverse vote on the subject in the chamber on Monday as a personal reflection upon him, although he had no vote in the cabinet when the conventions were made. Whether this be the true reason of his resignation or not, it proves to what lengths he is prepared to go against the socialists, whom he regards as aiming at a revolution.

Extremist newspaper men received the news with jubilation. The editors of La Petite Republique were wildly elated, but considered it certain that M. Casimir-Perier would be re-elected if he would be a candidate again. Otherwise there is a consensus of opinion that Henri Brisson is certain to be elected to the presidency of the republic.

Casimir-Perier's Career.

Jean Pierre Paul Casimir-Perier was born at Paris on Nov. 8, 1847. His grandfather was prime minister of France in 1831, and his father, who died in 1876, was minister of the interior under Thiers, and afterwards a senator. M. Casimir-Perier greatly distinguished himself duing the siege of Paris as a captain of the "Mobiles de l'Aube," and was made a chevalier of the Legion d'Honneur in 1871 for his services. He was elected a deputy in 1874, and succeeded to the offices of under-secretary for public instruction, and for war, in 1877 and 1885. He was vice-president of the chamber from 1885 to 1893 when he was elected its president, and, after the general election, he was again chosen for that honorable position. He became premier Dec. 5, 1893, but his term of office was cut short by an adverse vote in May, 1894, and he again became president of the chamber, only to relinquish the office for the presidency of the republic, to which he was called by a large majority on the assassination of President Carnot. He became president of the republic on June 27, 1894. M. Casimir-Perier is a man of great firmness of character. Politically, he has identified himself with the moderate republican party.

FOREIGN PRESS COMMENT.

Casimir-Perier Blamed for Deserting His Post.

London, Jan. 16.—The Morning Post says editorially:

"The French republic cannot progress whilst her leading men consider public life nothing better than a rehearsal of amateur theatricals. French public life is vitiated by vanity, selfishness, stupidity and folly. The result is that one of the few sane and sensible politicians in France has found it impossible to keep things quiet. It is idle to talk of such men as Dupuy and Brisson. The time has come for a military leader of the fibre of Bismarck or Gourke or for an autocratic despot of the firmness of Crispi or Stambuloff."

The Daily News says:

"There is nothing to justify M. Casimir-Perier in regarding recent events as proof of a want of trust in him. He has deserted his post at a time of difficulty and anxiety, plunging France into political confusion, rather than stick to his onerous duties."

SURPRISE AT WASHINGTON.

The Resignation of France's President Unlooked For.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The cable advices from Paris to the United Press last evening announcing that the retirement of the Dupuy ministry had culminated in the resignation of President Casimir-Perier was an altogether unlooked for and astounding piece of intelligence to diplomats and officials generally, whose first information on the subject was communicated to them by the United Press. The state department was without advices as to the resignation of the French president and the news dispatch which was handed to Secretary Gresham early in the evening was far ahead of any advices received at the department in advance of which the secretary did not consider it proper to discuss the great change of events in the French republic. President Cleveland was not aware of the resignation of M. Casimir-Perier until advised by telephone by the United Press, and beyond expressing thanks for the information

COOK GANG AT WORK.

They Have Considerable Fun with an Editor.

Muskogee, I. T., Jan. 16.—James French and Mack Williams, of the Cook gang, rode into Fort Gibson and held up the proprietor and five men in F. H. Nash's general store. With revolvers held at them the victims elevated their hands and fell in line, while Williams emptied the money drawers of $3. Mr. Nash opened the safe when ordered and handed out $30, all there was in the safe. Williams was not satisfied and decided to go through the visitors. He walked up to Bohannon, Nash's collector, who had just entered to deposit the day's collections, and was going into his pockets when French ordered him to leave Bohannon alone. At that time the editor of the local paper came in. French ordered him to put up his hands, but the editor thought the robbery a joke until Williams put a six-shooter in his face and said: "Up with those hands or I will blow your brains out."

The editor obeyed and was relieved of four dollars. The other men were not robbed. Then French selected two suits of clothing and the bandits marched the seven men to the rack, where their horses were tied. Editor Dick lagged behind the line and French called out to him: "Say you with the mother hubbard, move up or I'll shoot your head off." The editor moved. After the outlaws were on their horses French shouted: "If the editor writes us up we will come back and kill him."

The Fort Gibson people have no faith in the deputy marshals and did not telegraph to Muskogee.

STARVING LOOKOUTS.

Imprisoned on a Pier and Flying Signals of Distress.

Buffalo, Jan. 16.—Two men employed as watchmen or look-outs, who live on the Inlet Pier off the waterworks, are imprisoned there and may starve unless provisions can be sent them in a day or two.

They are floating signals of distress but no aid can reach them, as the density of the slush ice in the river makes communication by boat impossible.

The Inlet Pier is where the city taps Niagara river for its water supply. The stream is very swift at this point and two men live on the pier all winter to keep the entrance free from ice. Their names are William Larue and Michael Hammond. They are supplied with food every five days and never come to land. Looking from the waterworks with a telescope it can be seen that the entrance is blocked with slush ice and that the men have evidently given up trying to cope with the task of keeping it clear.

Duke of Argyll Ill.

Glasgow, Jan. 16.—While the Duke of Argyll was addressing a political meeting in this city last evening he suddenly became pale, his voice sank to a whisper, and he reeled and fell insensible into the arms of Lord Kelvin, one of the bystanders. At midnight Dr. Anderson said that the duke had suffered an attack of syncope, but there had been no return of the faintness. The doctors experienced great difficulty in restoring the patient's temperature.

Tinworkers' Scale Accepted.

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—Representatives of the Cumberland Tin Plate company met with the Amalgamated association conference committee, representing the workers, and accepted the workers' compromise scale as offered at Monday's meeting with the manufacturers. The terms made will form the new scale notwithstanding the operation of several plants at the old scale where the new terms will become operative at once.

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WEALTH AND POPULISM

Themes for Speechmaking in the Senate.

Senator Call Talks on the First Subject—Mr. Allen Defends the Populist Party and Facetiously Refers to the "Love Feast" Between Leading Democrats and Republicans.

Washington, Jan. 16.—There were only two speeches made in the senate yesterday, one by Mr. Call (dem., Fla.) and the other by Mr. Allen (pop., Neb.) Mr. Call's was directed largely to the unequal distribution of wealth in the United States and England, and to the accumulation of enormous fortunes by a few families—which condition of things he attributed to legislation that created franchises and monopolies. Mr. Allen's aimed at defending the populist party from the assumption that it was a party of vagaries. He asserted that there was no vagary in the Omaha platform (not even the subtreasury scheme) that could be compared with the democratic vagary of the proposed repeal of the tax on state bank circulation. He was facetious, and, amusing in his references to Monday's "love feast" between leading men of the democratic and republican parties in the senate; to their "falling on necks, and weeping;" to Mr. Gorman's "Macedonian cry," and to Mr. Allison's response with an offer of "assistance." He said that it had never dawned on members of these two parties that neither of them was to have charge of the government of the country; and that it would be turned over to the populist party in 1896; and he predicted that this would happen—the two other parties having confessed their inability to manage and control the affairs of the government. No action was taken on the income tax amendment, and the senate, at 4:50, adjourned.

House Proceedings.

Most of the session was occupied in the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill for the year ending June 30, 1896. It carries a total appropriation of $6,494,829.86, as against $6,733,003.18 appropriated for the current year, and $6,723,844.83, the total of the estimates submitted by the secretary of the interior. General debate was not closed when the house adjourned.

The sundry civil appropriation bill for the years 1895-6 was reported by Mr. Sayers (dem., Tex.) and placed on the calendar.

President Cleveland's veto of the bill authorizing the entry of public lands for reservoirs, and gravel pits, and granting right of way to railroads and canals thereto, was referred to the committee on public lands.

Mr. Grosvenor (rep., O.) requested, on behalf of ex-Senator H. B. Payne and ex-Judge Stevenson Burke, indirectly involved in the charges made the other day by S. J. Ritchie against Judge Ricks, an investigation of them. The decision of Judge Linton, in the case upon which the charges were based, was, on his motion, referred to the committee on judiciary. The following bills were passed:

House bill authorizing Lieut.-Col. Forwood, deputy general, and Dr. George H. Penrose, surgeon U. S. A., to accept gifts from the Argentine minister on behalf of his government.

Senate bill authorizing the secretary of state to credit the accretions on the fund to pay awards under the Caracas convention in 1868, to the Venezuelan government upon the awards made by the commission of 1889-90.

Senate bill authorizing Commander D. W. Mullan, U. S. M., to accept a medal from the Chilian government.

GERMAN OFFICERS DEGRADED.

Sentenced To Prison for Disobedience and Disrespect.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—The Reichsanzeiger publishes the sentences imposed by the court-martial on the non-commissioned officers of the gunnery school, who were tried for insubordination. One hundred and thirty-one of the prisoners were condemned to six weeks' imprisonment for disobedience, and thirty-one were sentenced to from six weeks' to nine months' imprisonment for disobedience, disrespect and threatening their superior officers. This lot was also sentenced to be degraded. One officer was sentenced to five years' imprisonment, and another to five years and five months.

Saved a Train at a Burning Bridge

Paris, Tex., Jan. 16.—Mrs. Isaac Parr prevented a terrible wreck on the St. Louis & San Francisco railway, three miles north of here. She discovered a bridge on fire near her home. With a red table cloth she went out to the bridge, where she stood in the bitter cold for nearly two hours before the train arrived. The engine was within forty feet of the burned bridge when it was brought to a halt.

McKean's Bondsmen Will Settle.

Nasua, N. H., Jan. 16.—The bondsmen of Frank McKean, the defaulting cashier of the Indian Head bank, have held a meeting and it is understood have no desire to do otherwise than live up to their obligations. Mr. McKean has a life insurance of $35,000. Reports that he drew a cashier's check for $22,000 after he left town are positively denied by Cashier Harris and the bank officials.

To Inspect Diamond Reef Shoals.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Captain Millis, engineer and secretary of the light house board, left here for Elizabeth, N. C. From that point he will take a light house tender and proceed to Diamond Shoals off Cape Hatteras and make a personal inspection of the shoals, to determine if possible, if they are of a shifting character.

Senator Hoar Re-elected.

Boston, Jan. 16.—The Hon. George F. Hoar was re-elected United States senator by both branches of the legislature. The Hon. John E. Russell was the democratic candidate.

New York Custom Receipts.

New York, Jan. 16.—The receipts from customs at the port of New York for the first twelve days of January, 1895, were $7,260,371.45, an average of $605,030.95 per diem.

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"It is a quaint, deserted-looking place," the girl said meditatively, as she tapped her foot on the pavement, which was green with growing moss, and gazed up at the ancient stone college.

At a little distance from the side street in which she stood came the roar of Paris; serenely indifferent to its tumult rose the lichen-encrusted college walls, frowningly facing the world with a pathetic patience engendered by long neglect. They were grimly gray; the girl who stood looking up at the vast college was a dream in gray from head to foot. Her hat was gray; she wore gray gaiters over her boots, and the slight wrap she carried, her gloves, dress, everything appeared to be of the same pearly hue. But she was young, fresh and fair, the grim gray college wan and old and desolate. In the girl's sunny eyes could be seen the sweetness of a young soul on the threshold of life; the walls of the college drooped with the burden of a message to which no one could listen.

The girl again gazed at the college as if she would like to enter its inhospitable, uncomfortable looking halls, but she had no pretext for doing so. While she hesitated, the Fates, which shape our lives, took the matter in hand and decreed she should cross its threshold, for a gloomier shadow fell across the bulging walls, the sun disappeared behind a cloud, a few raindrops splashed upon the uneven stones.

The girl looked at her dainty costume and sighed. "That is what comes of putting on one's prettiest frock," she said. "Miss McGruder was quite right. She declared when we came to Paris that we must wear all our old clothes, if we did not wish to be taken for Parisiennes. I cannot, somehow, bring myself to believe that Miss McGruder could ever be taken for a Parisienne, unless—unless by an American."

The rain plashed down in warmer, larger, thicker drops, as the girl gathered up her skirts preparatory to seeking shelter. At that moment two fast-looking women hurriedly brushed by her into the old college.

"I think I had better go, too," the girl said resignedly. "The rain will be over soon. Then I can return to Miss McGruder and be scolded for wandering about alone. Sometimes, for a free born Canadienne, I think I submit a little too much to Miss McGruder's scoldings. One must have in Paris what Thackeray calls a 'lap dog,' just to snap at intruders. Charlie made me promise to be careful how I went about by myself when I was foolish enough to consent to marry him, and so I had to bring her with me, dear, sweet old thing. However, when we get back to Caledonia Springs there will be Charlie, and then Miss McGruder can return to the manse at Greenville. Poor Miss McGruder! What a pity her big heart hasn't some one to love!"

Calista Crane peeped into the empty lodge.

"I can't enter the lodge. Perhaps it would be better to look for one of the class rooms, and shelter there. Some one is sure to be lecturing, and I may pass for a student."

Calista sat down near the fireplace as a loud, clear voice from the rostrum announced the beginning of the lecture.

She leaned forward, her elbow resting on the back of the chair immediately in front of her, her cheek supported by a gray-gloved hand. To the middle aged Professor of Arabic she was an apparition from a world which had long ceased to be real. He did not know that Calista's air of rapt attention was merely an unconscious pose, and that her thoughts were far away from him and his lecture.

Gradually Calista remembered that she had been dreaming for three quarters of an hour. Miss McGruder would become uneasy, and yet she could not possibly depart before the conclusion of the lecture; it would be too indecent. So she stayed on, listening with grave earnestness, her large eyes dilating with eager interest as the professor made clear the stupendous greatness of his task. Even when he had concluded the lecture she was endeavoring to realize the gaps which her restive imagination refused to adequately fill up.

The professor's musical voice sounded at her elbow. He had thrown aside his gown, and was clad in somewhat rusty black.

"Mademoiselle will permit that I introduce myself," he said in English, "so that I may give her thanks for the great pleasure which I have experienced in her studious attention to the subject of my lecture. I am Professor Riboteau, and this is the College of the Rue Casquette."

Calista bowed.

"Do you lecture every day, monsieur?"

"Yes, mademoiselle, every day; and on Arabic."

"But I don't understand," the girl said, delicately. "Surely you have students?"

"No, mademoiselle; in the College of the Rue Casquette there are no students."

"No students!"

"None, mademoiselle; the late Mme. Biribeau endowed several professional chairs, and the college is always open to the public, as mademoiselle sees. Today the attendance has been exceptionally large. Usually there is—no one."

"Oh!" The girl gave a little gasp of sympathy, pity, incredulity. "And you lecture every day, monsieur? All the year round?"

"Every day, mademoiselle, all the year round, with the exception of fete days."

"How awful!" she said.

"Ah!" The professor's eyes gleamed. "Mademoiselle is an ardent student. Perhaps she will allow me the honor of directing her studies while she remains in Paris. It would be conferring on me a privilege inestimable, for the people of Paris are not interested in Arabic; they do not care to listen to me."

The professor said this as if it were the most commonplace thing in the world, and one which did not call for any special comment. Long years of neglect had made him callous. Beneath his indifferent manner, however, Calista fancied that she detected a keen gratitude to the one person whom the weary years had brought as an appreciative listener to his lecture.

She gathered from him that the other professors lectured in empty rooms for five minutes and then hurried away to more congenial occupations. But Professor Riboteau had lectured three quarters of an hour every day for five years, with the exception of Sundays and fete days.

When the Professor repeated his proposal, Calista hesitated. Her sudden enthusiasm for Arabic evaporated as quickly as it had arisen. Then the Professor's luminous eyes shone into hers with such appealing earnestness that the half-uttered refusal died away upon her lips. She gave him her address and said that Miss McGruder would be very happy to see him.

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The next day Prof. Riboteau called on Calista and Miss McGruder. The latter had conceived an exaggerated respect for Prof. Riboteau, based upon the report of his learning which had been given to her by Calista. But Miss McGruder, though well stricken in years (she was 45 if a day), soon felt a romantic admiration for the Professor, which was altogether lost on him. He brought Calista books, pencil-marked all over the yellow margins with different readings. Such was the man's enthusiasm for his calling that Calista stayed on a week longer than she had intended—another week—yet another week. The mornings were occupied in selecting her trousseau, her afternoons in learning Arabic.

And so, though her trousseau, the main object of the visit to Paris, was complete Calista lingered on. But there came a day when peremptory missives from Canada recalled her with urgent insistence to the land of the maple and the beaver.

In the delightful excitement of perpetual purchasing, Calista had almost forgotten the final end and aim of all this speeding from shop to shop, from milliner to milliner. But now a feverish expectancy took possession of the girl. She accelerated her preparations for departure and broke the news to Miss McGruder, who stared at her in astonishment.

"I thought you'd forgotten all about it," said that lady.

"No," said Calista, "I haven't forgotten, Auntie, but I seem to have been in a dream lately, and all I can see is Charlie standing on the Montreal wharf as the vessel slews into her moorings, imploring me to fly down to him. Let us go to-morrow."

"And the Professor?" asked Miss McGruder with much meaning. "The Professor? What is to become of him?"

A sudden pang of pain shot through the girl's heart. "Oh, Auntie, I never thought, I—I don't know."

She covered her face with her hands. Miss McGruder was not aware that every other morning Calista had attended Prof. Riboteau's lectures. She liked to sit in that almost cloistral darkness and listen to the Professor's voice. Somehow it had the power of soothing and taking her out of every day petty cares. There was a largeness about this man, as he went on spinning his ropes of sand, which attracted the girl very strongly. Little by little he had told her the story of his life. As she sat there day after day (Calista was generally the sole listener) in her favorite attitude, his voice began to tell her a great deal more than the Professor himself knew. Sitting in the old college room for the last time, Calista felt as if she had stepped in to consummate the final tragedy of this man's life. There were tears in her eyes as she rose to greet him after the conclusion of the lecture. "It is for the last time," she said almost carelessly. "I leave to-morrow."

The Professor bowed in silence, as if waiting for her to explain.

"I am going to be married soon," said Calista, listening to the sound of her own voice as if it proceeded from some one else. "I am going to be married soon. That to——"

She stopped. The look in the Professor's face frightened her. Suddenly it passed, as if a blind had been drawn over the windows of his soul.

"I congratulate mademoiselle," he said, simply. "And Miss McGruder? Is it that she is to be married also?"

"No," said Calista, feeling as if she had slain something, and marvelling at the Professor's self-control. "No; Miss McGruder has decided never to marry."

"I cannot thank you; oh, no, I cannot thank you. I am not of the world—a dreamer of dreams—a shadow—a shadow of the past. And you came to deliver me from bondage—you awoke my soul—you taught me to see the sun—you have given me life—life—life; and yet, Mademoiselle, you have taken more than you gave. Henceforth life will be a haunting sorrow; this room peopled with ghosts and I a ghost of ghosts. When you go phantoms will hem me in and bar me from the living world, for I shall never learn to mingle with my fellows. It is all over. All over! I go back to—my tomb!"

He took Calista's hand, pressed it softly to his lips for the first and last time and mounted his rostrum. As Calista slowly went away through the little door the Professor's voice rang solemnly out from the gloom reciting the prayers of the Catholic Church for the dead. She understood him to mean that he no longer lived.

The next morning, after Calista had gone away, the Professor once more mounted his rostrum and looked forth into the gloomy room at Calista's vacant place. He seemed to see her gray eyes gazing up into his, her soft cheek resting upon her gloved hand. If she had gone away, how came she there? But, as he gazed, her face changed to Miss McGruder's Madonna-like lineaments, and he saw that she was quietly knitting in in Calista's place.

The Professor's lips refused their wonted task; he assayed to commence his invariable formal opening sentence, but, listening to his own voice, as in a dream, he heard it once more repeat the solemn prayers of the Catholic church for those who are passing away, and knew, yet did not realize, that years of solitude and neglect had done their work; that Prof. Riboteau, the profound Arabic scholiast, had ceased to exist; that in his stead remained a sorrow stricken shade, afraid of its own voice, in that room filled with spectres of bitter years, hopes unrealized day dreams dreamt for the last time.

Love had come to this poor enthusiast, as it comes to all men, and coming, placed a crown of supreme sorrow upon his brow, until he wandered like a little affrighted child.

Half willing, have reluctant to be led,

into the kingdom and dreams and shadows, where even love is cold and wan and gray, and death the lord of all.

But when the offices for the dead were over, the shape that sat within Calista's chair came and led the Professor away. A black veil hid its face, its trembling hand was thin and cold.

And then—a blank!

Years after, as the dim dawn broke, and all the world became aglow with the light of the sun, Prof. Riboteau awoke from troubled dreams to look around his room. A tall, thin woman sat beside the bed, a half-knitted stocking in her hand.

The Professor gazed at her a moment as the mists of the years rolled back. "Is it long ago?" he asked trying to touch Miss McGruder's hand with his long, bony fingers.

"Ten years," she answered softly, gazing down upon him.

"The dawn has come at last?"

"The dawn has come at last."

"You are a good woman," he said faintly—and died.

That afternoon as Miss McGruder sat beside her dead, there was a hurried step upon the stair, and a hurried knock at the door.

"Open, Auntie, let me in," cried Calista's voice, but worn and thin, and lacking the rich fulness of youth.

Miss McGruder went to the door and opened it to the tall, sallow woman in black, who stood upon the threshold.

"You are too late," she said to Calista. "Too late!"

Calista moved toward the bed, but Miss McGruder stood between it and her friend. "No," she said, and pointed toward the door. "I have been with him all these years. You would disturb him now. Go! I will come to you after ——"

And when she was once more left alone with her dead, she drew a fine linen cloth over its face, and sat there the appointed hours until the Angel of the Lord should require at her hands the soul which had been committee unto her for a charge to keep in the days of its affliction. And the woman, watching there, knew that she had fulfilled the burden laid upon her unto the end, and ceased to weep, for the days of the dead man's sorrow were past and the light had come.—The Queen.

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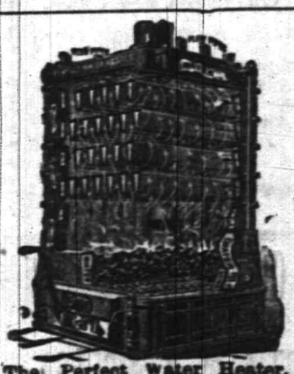

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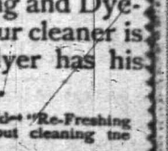

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THE WEATHER.

For Tomorrow: Showers, Variable Winds.

Death of Sir John Moore at Corunna.

On the 16th of January, 1809, Sir John Moore, commander of the British army in the peninsular war, was struck down by a cannon ball while inspiring his soldiers in a forlorn defense of the gates of Corunna, Spain, against the French armies under Soult.

Not a drum was heard, not a funeral note,
As his corse to the ramparts we hurried:
Not a soldier discharged his farewell shot
O'er the grave where our hero was buried.

No useless coffin inclosed his breast,
Not in sheet nor in shroud we wound him.
But he lay like a warrior taking his rest,
With his martial cloak around him.

Slowly and sadly we laid him down,
From the field of his fame fresh and gory.
We carved not a line, we raised not a stone,
But we left him alone with his glory.

Moore's purpose in defending Corunna was to cover the embarkation of his troops in vessels which arrived after the French had surrounded the place with vastly superior numbers. The combat in which he lost his life ended in the repulse of the French and the successful though hasty withdrawal of the British army. GEORGE L. KILMER.

Colonel Charles K. Moore was selected from all the experienced men who applied to Street Cleaning Commissioner Waring of New York to be Deputy Commissioner, and has entered on his duties. Col. Moore's success will be received with genuine pleasure by his host of Plainfield friends, and in his office he will have opportunity to do the splendid work of which he is capable. He is an engineer of limitless ability, and as a contractor has been accustomed to handle large bodies of men. He has just the head for managing street cleaning gangs, where quick and sure judgment and large executive ability are demanded. The appointment is a good one, and Col. Moore will earn his $4,000 a year.

New Brunswickers Surprised Her.

A load of Miss Try Mattox's friends came over from New Brunswick last evening in McDede's 'bus, called Miss Mattox from the meeting of Howell Division, S. of T., and, taking their prisoner to her home, made merry with songs, dancing, games and recitations until a late hour. It was a complete surprise, not only to Miss Mattox, but also to the genial Bob and his wife. The party was made up as follows: Mrs May Hardy, the Misses Mary Kundsen, Kate Burke, Dena Bitzen, Jennie Danbury, Lizzie and Jennie Grey, Nellie Stillwell, and Mary Applegate, the Messrs William George and Frank Danbury, Oscar Hurley, John Newton, William and Charles Schenck, John Burke, Robert Britton, and Andrew Crossley.

Stay for Stephenson.

Supreme Court Justice William J. Gaynor decided today that former Police Capt John T. Stephenson, under sentence for having accepted a bribe of six baskets of peaches, is entitled to a stay pending an appeal.

—Owing to the fact that the electric lights in the gymnasium and baths are not quite completed work with the classes will not commence in the Y. M. C. A. till the first of next week.

—At the meeting of Somerset Council, No. 104, J. O. U. A. M., last evening, Vice Councilor Walter Walker, and Conductor Edward Smith were installed by Councilor Dr. Bedford. Two propositions for membership were received.

—A team of horses attached to an empty hay wagon made a quick trip through Front street yesterday afternoon about 4 The man driving was unable to control them for a long distance, but luckily no obstacles were encountered in the wild ride.

—VanEmburgh & Son are running a large and extensive sale on sheetings and pillow-slip muslins. According to report they have knocked the prop from under ordinary prices. Press readers would do well to take advantage of this sale and visit this popular house.

An Easy One.

They lingered by the radiant grate;
"Would'st know", said he, with love in tune,
"What influence doth here create
A glow, like breath of sun-kissed June?"

"That's plain", quoth she, "as stars in heaven!
It's coal, of course; Pa gets the best
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There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

The regular declamations in Assembly Hall were continued yesterday by Wilbur F. Cornwell.

The old custom of military formation for coming in at recess has, since the arrival of the snow, been given up, but yesterday it was revived and will be continued the rest of the Winter, the boys forming in a single line on the sidewalks instead of in the centre of the yard.

A record is now being taken of all the studies which each pupil has taken while in the High School, and the text-book used.

The Senior class held a class meeting at the close of school yesterday and acted on a number of designs for a class pin that were suggested. Edgar I. Serrell was appointed a committee to have certain changes made in one of the designs, and then submit it to the approval of the class.

The regular weekly singing lesson under Mr. Travell took place as usual this morning. At the close of the lesson, the final vote on school colors was held. The sentiment of the school has greatly changed since the last vote and red and dark blue was chosen by an overwhelming majority. The vote was as follows: Red and dark blue 78, purple and white 23, black and light blue 21.

A school pin will soon be decided on, a small flag of red and dark blue wth P. H. S. engraved upon it, seems the most popular.

The Fourth Classes has begun the study of Thoreau.

The programme for Friday's meeting of the Kappa Delta Phi is a debate on the subject, "In general, are monopolies beneficial?" J. H. Craig '96 and A. B. Crane '97 will speak for the affirmative, and F. W. Cornwell '96 and Ernest Rapalye '97 for the negative.

Those who were privileged to listen to the lecture on Charles Dickens, by Leon H. Vincent in the High School building last evening, enjoyed a rare treat. Of the prominent American lecturers, Mr. Vincent is one of the most entertaintng. Speaking without notes, he holds the attention of his hearers throughout the lecture. He traced the life of Dickens through its various phases, but dwelt mostly on his great character descriptions. He spoke of the two sides to his writing, the humorous and the pathetic, and gave a brief description of some of them. Throughout his discourse he kept a vein of humor which often brought a smile to the faces of his hearers and added greatly to the enjoyment of the lecture itself. Mr. Vincent will deliver the next lecture of the course on Thomas Carlyle, next Tuesday evening, in the same place. The Kappa Delta Phi had charge of the ushering and the tickets. The main body of Assembly Hall was well filled with an appreciative audience, but it is hoped that the number will be greatly increased at the next lecture as such a noted speaker deserves a crowded house.

His Sixth.

The young people of East Sixth street enjoyed yesterday afternoon happily at a party given to George Rittenhouse, Jr., by his mother Mrs. G. M. Rittenhouse, in honor of his sixth birthday anniversary. The young people spent the afternoon in playing games, and at 5 refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. J. B. Mills and children, Harold and Herman, Mrs. T. R. VanZandt and daughter, Ethel, Miss Emma Garretson, Mrs. John Dalziel and grandson, Lawrence Brownfield and Miss Florence Smalley.

—People of Plainfield are urged to attend the performance of the "Provost Guard", tomorrow evening in Music Hall, given by the Third Regiment Cadet Corps, and support a home military organization.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—"A Baggage Check" will be given in Music Hall this evening.

—Putnam & DeGraw have received their first installment of Spring goods. They invite inspection.

—Ice at Lake Hopatcong is 12 inches thick. Big cargoes are being shipped to Brady Bros' ice-houses.

—A dome has been placed on the Babcock Building over the Masonic rooms, 7 feet high and 14 feet wide.

—A telephone pay station has been established at George O. Stevens's coal office, 747 West Front street.

—An entertainment is in preparation in the Monroe Avenue Chapel, by the members of the Epworth League.

—The Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist Church hold their consecration meeting Friday evening at 8.

—The Young Men's League of Hope Chapel will bowl with the Young Men's League of Rahway Friday evening.

—The Y. M. C. L. bowlers will meet the T. A. B's of Newark on the Montgomery alleys in that city this evening.

—The Potter Press Works has an order for five large printing presses and a large number of hands was put at work Tuesday.

—One proposition for membership was received at the meeting of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., Monday evening.

—16,000 lath are ready to be hauled into the Babcock Building, for the Masonic lodge rooms on the fifth and sixth stories.

—William Gillies, for being drunk and disorderly on Elm place, was given his choice of $5 or 20 days by Judge Coddington this morning.

—Charles Meyer of South Second street will open a dancing school Friday evening in the Gesang and Turn Verein Hall on Somerset street.

—The Verdi Ladies Quartette of Brooklyn, of which Miss Krymer is the second alto, will give a concert in the new Y. M. C. A. Hall Monday evening, Jan. 28.

—Rev. Dr. Ryman of Elizabeth will give an illustrated lecture in Monroe Avenue Chapel this evening, under the auspices of the Young Men's League.

—Howard Randolph, whose house on Netherwood avenue had the windows broken out a few days ago by unknown persons, has boarded them up for future protection.

—Daniel Connors was found on Somerset street last night by Sergeant Kiely in a state of intoxication. This morning he was taken before Judge Coddington and fined $5 or 20 days.

—The Auditing Committee of Wetumpka Commandery, No. 34, K. of H., met last evening in the Babcock Building and went over the books for 1894. The installation of officers takes place tomorrow night.

—Joseph Moon, who owns the frame building occupied by Marshall's laundry, I. L. McVoy, D. S. Dunavan and Tailor Schmitt, intends lowering it to a level with the sidewalk, which will make a big improvement in the property.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

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I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

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I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly: they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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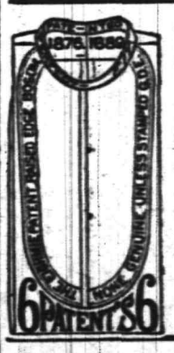

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METROPOLITAN NOTES.

Interesting Facts and Opinions Chronicled by the Daily Press of New York.

One meets Dr. Edward McGlynn now and then about New York, and if he has known the famous priest for years he will be agreeably surprised. It may be that he has mellowed with the passing of the years, for Dr. McGlynn is old enough to have been a chaplain in the Union Army in the Civil War—or it may be that he is reconciled to his former ecclesiastical enemies. Be this as it may, Dr. McGlynn is not the military figure that he was. For years he fought his superiors as no priest in the country ever did. He fought them here before every council, from the highest to the lowest, and then he fought them at Rome. Then he fought Rome and the Pope and defied them. He fought his enemies openly from the platform, through the press and even from the pulpit of Protestant churches. But his life was pure, and he constantly declared that his quarrel was not with the Roman Catholic faith, but with men who sought to pervert it. It is not likely that Dr. McGlynn has given up fighting without a reason satisfactory to himself. He is not that sort of a man. Dr. McGlynn is even a more striking looking man than he was ten years ago. His tall, broad form is as straight as ever, but the little hair he has has grown gray. His features have lost that aggressive cast they formerly wore, and he looks at peace with himself, and what is almost as important, with everyone else.

What must have struck John Burns when he came first to New York was the paucity of real labor leaders in New York, and for that matter in the country. In New York, with its hundreds of thousands of wage workers, there is not a single labor leader who holds the public confidence. Not one. When Powderly was at the head of the Knights of Labor he used, in past years, to visit New York for the purpose of settling labor troubles, and was treated with respect by employers. Powderly was overthrown by lesser men, and has dropped out of sight. What was true of Powderly has been true of Samuel Gompers, the president of the American Federation of Labor. For years he has been one of the most important men in New York. He stood straight against the Socialists and Anarchists, and he had the respect of the community. But the time came when he temporized. And that was a fatal mistake. The Socialistic element took this as a sign of surrender, and pushed harder. The conservative element looked on it as a sign of weakness, and would have no more of Gompers. And that is his position. He may retain a commanding position in the American Federation of Labor, but the general public confidence he has not, nor has any other labor leader about New York.—N. Y. Advertiser.

It is sometimes a good thing to be defeated for District Attorney. William C. Whitney was defeated for that office in 1872 and became soon afterward Corporation Counsel, the starting point of his splendidly successful career. Charles Donohue was defeated for the same office at the same time, and became, a year later, Judge of the Supreme Court, a post which he held until January 1, 1888. Frederick Smyth was defeated for District Attorney, in 1878, and one year later became Recorder of New York, a post held by him for fifteen years. De Lancey Nicoll was defeated for District Attorney in 1887, and three years later became District Attorney, relinquishing the office in the expectation of a nomination for judicial office. John W. Goff was defeated for District Artorney in 1890, and this year becomes Recorder for a term which will not close until 1900. Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, began his political career by being defeated for District Attorney in Erie County by Lyman K. Bass. —New York Sun.

Not long since an anniversary of great interest to Methodists all over the continents of North and South America was celebrated in New York. It was the one hundred and twenty-first anniversary of the founding of the first Methodist church in America—the old John Street Church. To a lover of history there is much about this old church which makes it interesting, but to Christians it represents a temple not made with hands, but eternal and everlasting as the skies. For one hundred and twenty-eight years the Gospel has been preached on this spot, and for many years the word of God has been preached daily at noon to business men, who crowded into the famous noonday prayer meeting held in the basement of the church. Standing as it does in the very heart of one of the busiest districts of New York, that of the wholesale jewelry and diamond trade, one could hardly think a corporal's guard would be got to attend the noonday meeting, so mad is the surge for dollars round about, yet every week day at noon sees the large basement of the church filled with a warm hearted crowd of worshippers who come to the daily love feasts.

HISTORY OF ALMANACS.

They Had Their Origin Before the Coming of Christ.

The history of written almanacs dates back to the second century of the Christian era. The Alexandrian Greeks in the time of Ptolemy, A. D. 100-160, used almanacs. Prior to the written almanacs of the Greeks there were calendars, or primitive almanacs. The Roman fasti sacri were similar to modern almanacs. Knowledge of the calendar was at first confined to the priests, whom the people had to consult, not only about the dates of the festivals, but also concerning the proper times for instituting various legal proceedings.

About 300 B. C. one Cneius Flavius, the secretary of Appius Claudius, learned the secret, either by the stealthy use of the documents in his master's possession, or, according to Pliny, by repeatedly consulting the authorities and by collating the information he obtained. It was really publishing an almanac when, as Livy relates, he exhibited the fasti on white tablets round the Forum. From this time the tablets containing the calendar, the festivals, astronomical phenomena, and sometimes historical notices seems to have been common. Research has brought to light numerous calendars cut on stone. One was found at Pompeii, cut upon a square block of marble, upon each side of which three months were registered in perpendicular columns, each headed by the proper sign of the zodiac.

None are so fond of secrets as those who do not mean to keep them. Such persons covet secrets as spendthrifts do money, for the purpose of circulation.—Colton.

DRAMA AND OPERA.

SEVEN DOLLAR SEATS AT GRAND OPERA NOT POPULAR.

The Fabulous Sums Drawn by the Singers. Melba Yearns For Society. Paderewski's Opera Probable for Next Season. Other Plays.

Melba, the greatest operatic singer of the day, is not unlike other mortals when she is off the operatic stage. When she is before the footlights singing in her incomparable way, her audience is in rapture. Her income is very large, for she is paid, I am told, $1,000 for each performance. In Europe she is regarded as the first singer, and this opinion is now shared by Americans who have heard her, although, in the beginning of her career here there were many critics who did not class her very highly. Nevertheless, she is now able to fill the Metropolitan Opera House, and her matchless voice is commented upon favorably by everybody. On the stage she wears superb gowns. Melba is very much in evidence in New York when she is not singing in opera. You may find her on Broadway, in the shops, at concerts, at first night performances, and generally she seems to be having a good time. She is in the prime of life; has splendid physique and apparent good health, and not one of our foreign visitors takes life more easily. She should, indeed, be content, but she is not. Like many other women in the artistic and operatic profession, she has longed for a glimpse into the charmed circle of New York's society, so called. Emma Eames has been welcomed by the society dames, but Melba, well—she is not yet on many visiting lists of our best people, as they like to call themselves.

Opera tickets at seven dollars a piece are not in universal demand even in New York. This is the price charged at Thursday evening performances of "Les Huguenots" when all the stars of the opera season appear, but the public do not respond, and very many vacant seats are the result. The cast for these special evenings is as follows: Valentine, Mme. Nordica; Malgherita, Mme. Melba; Raoul M. Jean de Reszke; Marcello, M. Edouard de Reszke; San Bris, M. Planbon; Conte di Nevers, M. Maurel; Urbano, Mme. Scalcoi; Dama d'Onore, Mlle. Bauermeister. These at least were the efficient artists who took the principal roles, six of them possessing the highest degree of talent, combined with its absolute perfection of cultivation. The five minor parts were done inefficiently enough to heighten by contrast the magnificent work of the bright particular stars.

The cost of these star performances to the management may be noted when one considers the salaries of some of the individual artists in the cast. Jean de Reszke, has no written contract with the management, but receives in addition to a fixed sum, a percentage of the receipts, which frequently makes his salary much more than $1,000 per night, and with his brother has received as high as $2,500 for one performance. Mme. Melba gets $1,000 and the management values Mlle. Nordica's services at $700 a performance, and Maurel gets about the same amount. The small attendance at the extra performances meant less loss to the direction than might be supposed, as the singers who appeared in them were generally engaged by the month and are liable to be called upon at any time. So the real expense of these performances comes only from the one or two principal singers in the cast.

That M. Paderewski has for some time past been engaged upon a Polish opera, is well known. Abbey & Grau will probably have the first rights for the United States. The opera is in four acts, and the story is modern, the scene being laid in the Cyrpathians, on the Hungarian frontier. The music in piano score has been finished for some time, and M. Paderewski is now occuping his leisure on the orchestration, which he expects to complete early in the spring.

Now and then one meets Frederick Gebhard in his old haunts in New York, with other men about town, but not often. He is not at all the Freddie Gebhard whose name was so much associated with that of Mrs. Langtry some years ago. Mr. Gebhard has married and settled down, and, moreover, he seems a model husband. He was always a man of athletic figure. Latterly he has grown stout, and appears more a prosperous man of business than a man about town. And such indeed he is, a man of business. He lives in good style, and he is to be seen at the theatre or opera with his wife. But no more is he to be seen turning night into day with boon companions. Indeed, he can bid his old companions, as King Henry bade Falstaff, to "think not of him as he was."

The emergence of Aubrey Tanqueray's second wife at Abbey's Theatre last week served to demonstrate the vitality of the play in which she is the central figure. The piece, after a year, which is generally long enough to exhaust the current pieces, is as interesting as it was at first. It will not grow stale, it seems, as long as it stands preeminent among the plays about it. Until others as good are given, there will remain abundant life in "The Second Mrs. Tranqueray." The interpretation of the leading role will be a popular task with other actresses than Mrs. Kendal when the play may pass out of her control, and there are many who could make the heroine a more sympathetic person, and thus add strength to the play.

Souvenir nights are advertised for "Bob Roy" at the Herald Square, "The Brownies" at the 14th Street and for "A Milk White Flag" at Hoyt's.

LINWARD.

Lincoln's Joke on Seward.

On the 9th the First Corps, commanded by Gen. Reynolds, was reviewed by the President on a beautiful plain at the north of Potomac creek, about eight miles from Hooker's headquarters. We rode thither in an ambulance over a rough corduroy road, and, as we passed over some of the more difficult portions of the jolting way, the ambulance driver, who sat well in front, occasionally let fly a volley of suppressed oaths at his wild team of six mules. Finally Mr. Lincoln, leaning forward, touched the man on the shoulder and said:

"Excuse me, my friend, are you an Episcopalian?"

The man, greatly startled, looked around and replied.

"No, Mr. President, I am a Methodist."

"Well," said Lincoln, "I thought you must be an Episcopalian, because you swear just like Gov. Seward, who is a churchwarden."—Century.

EIGHTY PERSONS KILLED.

Appalling Effects of Powder Explosions at a Fire.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 16—A fire occurred last night in the Butte Hardware Company's warehouse, in which giant powder was stored. While the firemen were at work about the building an explosion took place, killing a number of persons. This caused a number of people to gather about, and while the firemen and police were engaged in the place removing the dead and wounded another explosion occurred, killing or wounding nearly every man connected with the Butte fire department and many of the people in the street.

The latest reports of the number of lives lost indicate that it may exceed 80. The hospitals are filled with the wounded, who number altogether more than 150, many of whom will die. Buildings near the scene of the explosions were wrecked and plate-glass windows all over the city were broked. The damage to property is estimated at many thousand dollars.

Struck by a Train.

Thomas Meaney of Elm street, telegraph operator at the Westfield station of the Jersey Central, was struck this morning by the Philadelphia train which leaves here at 10:45, He received a scalp wound, and several fingers were broken.

His brothers brought him to this city on the 2:08 train this afternoon, and took him to his home, when a physician was called.

North Plainfield Would Like This.

Rev. W. E. Honeyman of North Plainfield was elected a vice-president of the New Jersey State Anti-Liquor League in Trenton yesterday, and chairman of a committee to present to the Legislature a local-option law, a feature of which will be to permit the Borough Council to control the licensing of saloons in its own territory.

—"The Provost Guard" is postponed indefinitely.

—The stockholders of Music Hall will meet Feb. 18, at 2 p. m., to dispose of the property.

—Henry Haurand has bought out Weinwurm's interest in the Central Hotel, add will be sole manager.

—Don't fail to hear that witty speaker, ex-Congressman Horr of Plainfield, in Souls Church, Park avenue, Friday night.

—John C. Christensen, coachman for H. P. Talmage of 515 Woodland avenue, found the lens of a coach lamp, which may be obtained by the owner at The Press office.

—A large pane of glass in a window over the United States Express Company's office, North avenue, was cracked this morning by the vibrations of a passing train and fell to the sidewalk.

—The men's meeting in Trinity Reformed Church last night was attended by a large number, many of them young. Curtis M. Thorpe led, and several for the first time testified to God's goodness. The Spirit pervaded the room, and all went away with a blessing. Tonight a meeting for everybody will be held.

—A horse and wagon belonging to George Lewis the Somerset street butcher, was standing in front of his store this noon when Car No. 5 of the street railway came along, frightening the animal. He started to run away, but for W. J. Tunison who happened along caught the horse just in time to prevent any damage.

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Dated Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 12, 1895.

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DEATHS.

LANG—In Mt. Bethel Monday, Jan. 14, 1895, John Jacob Lang in his 61st year.
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WOODEN—IN North Plainfield Monday, Jan. 14, 1895, Peter Wooden, aged 94 years, 7 months and 20 days.
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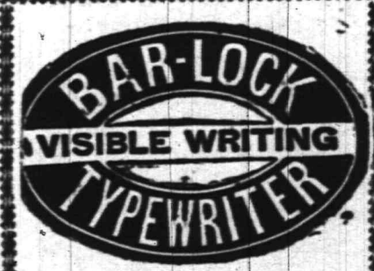

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NEWS FROM THE ORIENT

Wei-Hai-Wei Likely To Be Invaded.

Artist Villiers Denounces the Butchery at Port Arthur—The Japs Will Not Attempt to Reach Pekin This Winter—Have Not Lost a Ship Since the War Began.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 16.—The steamer Empress, of Japan, arrived last evening from the Orient. Mr. Frederic Villiers is among the passengers. When interviewed by a representative of the United Press, Mr. Villiers said in his opinion there would not be much more serious fighting this winter; possibly Wei-Hai-Wei would be invaded and likely captured. He said the Japanese would not attempt to reach Pekin during the winter, which has been very severe, especially on the Liau Tung peninsula. Between Tallian Wan and Chin Chow sixteen Coolies and a number of Japanese soldiers were frozen to death only shortly before he left Japan. Mr. Villiers is very emphatic in his denunciation of the Japanese atrocities at Port Arthur, and it is his purpose to go on a lecture tour and illustrate the scenes of butchery witnessed by him, a record of which his snap-shot kodak has preserved. He is also very severe on a brother correspondent, recently returned to New York, and whose conduct he says, came near costing him his life. Mr. Villiers will remain in Vancouver for a few days before proceeding to New York.

Since the 6th of July, 1894, Japan has had constantly at sea a navy of twenty-nine ships of war and twenty torpedo boats. Moreover, a flotilla of steam transports flying her flag have navigated difficult water all the while carrying troops, provisions, and war material. Yet during the whole period her only casualty has been the burning of one small transport, due to the overthrow of a lamp as the steamer lay at anchor in Talien bay. Not a ship has been lost; not a ship seriously disabled. It is a remarkably creditable record.

The headquarters of the first Japanese army in Antung have now been brought into telegraphic communication with the headquarters of the second army in Chin Chow. The distance is 180 miles. The line has been laid along the coastwise road, on the north of the Yellow sea. Some obstructions were encountered at the outset, but the first message was transmitted successfully on the afternoon of the 30th of December. There is little doubt that the division of troops now awaiting embarkation at Hiroshima will be carried to the province of Shan Tung for the purpose of attacking Wei-Hai-Wei. The division consists of men hitherto stationed at Sendai, that it to say, in the north of Japan. They are consequently inured to the severest form of winter. With them will be associated a division of the second army now in Liau Tung peninsula. That is why the second army has remained comparatively inactive since the taking of Port Arthur. The public expected that Marshal Omaya's forces would move northward to capture Fuchow and Kaiping, and ultimately work in co-operation with the left wing of the first army under General Katsura. But of the division and the brigade constituting the second army the brigade remains in garrison at Port Arthur, and the division is massed at Chin Chow, ready to embark from Talien and join the Sendai division's expedition to Shan Tung. If the loss of Wei-Hai-Wei finds China still insensible the Japanese will be prepared to deliver a crushing blow when the ice breaks up in March.

VIOLATING THE POSTAL LAW.

Express Companies To Be Warned Against Carrying Lottery Matter.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The postoffice department will, in a short time, issue a circular to express companies warning them against carrying matter in envelopes without a stamp as it is first-class matter, and according to the law, should not be transported unless enclosed in a stamped envelope.

This action will be taken to prevent express companies from carrying lottery advertisements. Quite a number of lottery circulars and other matter sent through express companies have been sent to the department by receivers of such matter. The lottery companies, since they have been prohibited the use of the mails, pay twenty-five cents to express companies to send letters that, if transported by mail would cost only two cents in postage. Where the lottery people send them in stamped envelopes by express the department has no redress. Frequently the express companies carry this matter to certain points on their lines and then mail it to destination. The attention of the department has been called to such cases.

Insurance Swindlers Fined.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 16.—Ten of the officers of the Fraternity Financial company, operating the short term insurance swindle, whose operations extended throughout New Englanw, Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia, and who secured over $1,000,000 were sentenced by Judge Jackson, of the United States court to pay $1,000 fine and costs for using the mails for fraudulent purposes.

No Lives Were Lost.

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—The most sensational feature connected with the reported accident to the tow of the towboat Boaz, is denied at the office of Thomas Fawcett & Sons, owners of the boat. Any loss of life or injury to any of the crew is denied in telegrams from Captain Souser.

Nine Persons Drowned.

City of Mexico, Jan. 16.—The dredge-boat Mount Waldo, belonging to the Central railway, bound from Tampico to Velasco, has been wrecked near Point Lobas Island. Captain Brook, his wife and two children, and five other persons were drowned.

Bishop of Elphin Dead.

Dublin, Jan. 16.—The Most Rev. Lawrence Gillooly, Catholic bishop of Elphin, died in Sligo last evening.

BROOKLYN'S TROLLEY STRIKE

Cars and Policemen Attacked with Stones by the Strikers.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 16.—Three thousand persons attacked another car on Prospect Park Plaza yesterday afternoon. The police again came to the rescue. A guard of policemen under Inspector MacKellar who were trying to get cars out of the barn at President street and Flatbush avenue clashed with a crowd. The men had massed on the reservoir bluff at that point and were armed with stones. Two cars came along, one going up and the other down town.

The men pelted them with stones. Some persons ran down from the bluff and hurled their rocks at close range. The motormen and conductors, who had taken the place of the strikers, first took refuge inside the cars. When they saw the assailants closing in on them, fearing their lives were in danger, they fled, leaving the cars unprotected.

The police saw the affray at a distance and ran toward the cars. When they arrived the the crowd retreated again up the hill. Inspector MacKellar ordered the police to charge them. The assailants at this time numbered about 200. They fired a parting volley of stones at the advancing policemen and retreated to the rear of the bluff.

The policemen then returned to guard the cars. The crowds rapidly grew larger. Inspector MacKellar telegraphed for help. While they were waiting nine of the strikers came around the bluff. The inspector succeeded in heading them off with a posse of his men before they could get back, then surrounded and took them prisoners and locked them up.

President Daniel F. Lewis, of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company, said last night that he did not think that the police force was able to cope with the situation, and that if had been the strike could have been entirely settled within eight hours time.

Mayor Schieren received a communication from Police Commissioner Welles to the effect that the police were fully able to look out for the interests of the railroad companies and that he should not need the assistance of the militia or any one in the enforcement of order or the protection of property and the lives of citizens.

At a late hour last night no further disturbance had taken place.

Lawyer M. S. Towons, representing Peter McNulty, of the firm of Wechsler & McNulty, of Bedford avenue and Fulton street, secured an order from Supreme Court Justice Gaynor to show cause why a writ of mandamus should not issued to compel the Brooklyn City Railroad company to operate its cars. Mr. McNulty says he is losing money every day, and if the cars are not operated shortly he will have to discharge some of his employes. Justice Gaynor made the order returnable on Saturday morning.

INDIANS IN WANT.

Without Means To Buy Food and Suffering from the Cold.

Wilmot, S. D., Jan. 16.—Anthony Hemming brought news of great suffering among the Indians on the Sisseton and Wappeton reservation during the last storm. He says that Two Son had to kill a pony to keep himself and family from starving. Before the storm came they picked the red berries that grow on rose bushes and eat them. That is all the food they have had for over two weeks. White Dog also has had nothing to eat except a dead horse he found and took home. At Hoop Hollow a child died from lack of food. The Indians have no means to buy either clothing or provisions. They have not had a payment since last July and their crops were a total failure, and the lakes that once were full have been dry for the last three years. There is no game for the Indians to trap. The government was to have made a payment in October.

GOV. HASTINGS SWORN IN.

Pennsylvania's New Executive Takes the Reins of State in Hand.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 16.—Daniel H. Hastings was yesterday installed as governor of Pennsylvania amid much rejoicing and with imposing ceremonies.

The new executive and his wife dined with Governor Pattison, the retiring executive. Then Mr. Pattison surrendered the executive mansion to Mr. Hastings. The inaugural ceremonies began at midday and lasted just one hour. A magnificent parade followed.

At 8 p. m., there was adisplay of fireworks in Market square and later a reception by the governor. The ball at the armory of the City Gays began at 10 p. m. The town was crowded with visitors from morning till night. The proceedings passed off without a hitch.

Cadet Dennett's Case Dismissed.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Secretary Herbert has rendered a decision in the case of Naval Cadet Dennett, of Maine, which has attracted so much attention. The secretary says a review of the case "generates a doubt in my mind as to whether Cadet Dennett is not innocent. I have therefore ordered the case against him to be dismissed."

Anarchists Arrested in Paris.

Paris, Jan. 16.—The anarchist Bayard and four others suspected of being connected with the bomb explosion in the Rue Monceau were arrested last evening.

Treasury Gold Reduced.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The gold reserve at the close of business in the treasury yesterday was reduced to $76,081,799.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR — Fair. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.29; winter patents, 2.50@2.85.

WHEAT—Dull. No. 2 red, 62¾c.

CORN—Quiet. No. 2, 52½c.; steamer, 50½c.

OATS—Fairly steady. No. 2 white, 37½c.; No. 2 mixed, 34¼c.

PORK—Firm, Extra prime, 13.50@16.00; mess, 12.75@13.25.

LARD—Quiet. January, 7.12.

BUTTER — Slow. Creamery, state and Pennsylvania, fresh extras, 23@23½c.; creamery, western extra, 25@25½c.

CHEESE—Dull. State, full cream fancy, 11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Dull. Western, 22c.

SUGARS—Firm. Granulated, 3 13-16@4c.

KILLED AND MANGLED

Men and Women Mowed Down Like Grass.

Cars at Butte, Mont., Containing Powder Explode with Terrific Force During a Fire—The Ground Strewn with the Injured and Dead Like a Field of Battle.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 16.—During a fire at the Montana Central yards last evening several cars of powder caught fire and exploded with tremendous force, killing a number of firemen and spectators and maiming many others. Several men are known to have been killed outright. There were three separate explosions, the first two breaking nearly every window within a radius of two miles. Owing to the excitement the extent of the casualties cannot be ascertained. The fire attracted a large crowd and hundreds were standing near when the first explosion occurred.

Men and women were mowed down like grass before a sickle but many were stunned by the force of the terrific explosion. Debris from cars and adjoining buildings were scattered high in the air for half a mile away, many of the flying articles striking people in the crowd. Every ambulance, vehicle and doctor in town was soon on the scene carrying off the dead and wounded. The ground was strewn like a field of battle with the injured and dead. Owing to the fact that there were still several cars of powder on the track and the report that one of the burning warehouses also contained a quantity of powder, few dared after the first explosion to venture to the assistance of the injured.

When they did they were met by the second explosion like a racking fire from an army. The second was soon followed by the third and the heavens were lighted with flames. The reports were heard and the shock felt for miles. After the third explosion the hospital corps and the police began the work of picking up the dead and caring for the wounded. Fifteen dead bodies were piled together and many of them being mangled to such an extent that they were not identified in the excitement. Every house in the vicinity was turned into a hospital. The scene after the explosion was beyond all description. Men and women wrung their hands and cried in agony. It is said that every fireman was either killed or fatally wounded.

At midnight it is known that between forty and fifty persons were killed outright by the explosion. The bodies of the dead are terribly mangled, many of them being blown to atoms.

The fire originated in the Royal Milling company's warehouse and spread to the Kenyon & Connell company's building and from there to the Butte Hardware company.

The city has been in the wildest confusion since the great calamity and it is impossible to secure the names of those who have lost their lives. The explosion is known to have killed three policemen, and the chief of the fire department.

The dead have been taken to the undertakers where the relatives and friends have gathered to identify the remains. Wounded are distributed among the several hospitals and nearly every citizen in the city has appointed himself a committee of one to aid in the work of relief. All the members of the fire department save three were killed. Plate glass was broken all over the city, very few stores escaping and the damage to property is enormous. All of the apparatus of the fire department was destroyed and every horse killed.

The powder was stored within the city limits in violation of the law and the indignation is intense.

SPOILED HIS WIFE'S LUNCH.

She Was Eating It with Another Man, and a Divorce Now.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Assistant United States District Attorney Tracy L. Jeffords came home from New York late at night, and espied through the window his wife lunching with Dr. Sigel Roush, a well known dentist.

After watching the progress of the billing and cooing he entered and booted the dentist into the street. Mrs. Jeffords is a plump and vivacious brunette, and occasionally writes for newspapers over the signature of Corinne Jeffords. She met the too fascinating doctor at a lonely summer resort in Virginia. Divorce papers are impending.

Crusade Against Fake Doctors.

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—The Allegheny County Medical society has taken final and decisive action on the proposed crusade against illegal practitioners. The society have the names of 48 persons who are known to have no diplomas, and who have not complied with the law by registering their names and their alma mater with the county prothonotary and paying a fee.

Armenian Affairs Improving.

Vienna, Jan. 16.—A dispatch from Constantinople says: "Relations between the porte and the Armenians have notably improved. Several prisoners in Armenia have been ordered released. It is said that Zekki Pasha's reports on the Sassoun affair, including one admitting that 1,720 persons were killed, have been removed from the Turkish war office."

Trust Cannot Collect.

Ottawa, Ill., Jan. 16.—The supreme court practically killed the Chicago Milk Shippers' association, or trust, in a decision declaring Charles Ford, against whom the trust had an account of $433 for milk, exempt from payment on the ground that the association is an illegal organization. This means they cannot lawfully collect any bill.

A New Pennsylvania "Limited."

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—Next Sunday the Pennsylvania line will put on a new train, another "Limited," which will run between New York and St. Louis. East of Pittsburg, it will be run both ways as the second section of the original limited. The train will be solid vestibuled throughout.

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6.37 P. M. WESTERN EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, dining car daily for Pittsburg, Chicago, Cleveland, daily except Saturday, for Toledo, Williamsport, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

8.24 p.m—SOUTHWESTERN EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping car, daily, to Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, and Memphis. Dining car Altoona to Richmond.

8 42 p. m.—PACIFIC EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, daily, for Pittsburg, Columbus, Chicago, and Toledo, daily, except Saturday for Cleveland.

For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 06 6.06, 9.36 a. m., 9.39 p. m.

Sundays, 1, 9 05, 9 36 a. m., 9 41 p m.

For Baltimore only 1 57 p. m., week-days.

For Newark and New York—2 02, 5 54, 6 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 07 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 33, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 13, 1 20, 1 56, 2 24, 2 40, 3 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 44, 5 15, 5 36, 5 45, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 25 7 59, 8 47, 9 10, 9 50, 10 08 11 02 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 2 02, 5 54, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 36, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 33, 3 45, 5 45, 6 45, 8 54, 5 48, 7 08, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30 9 15, 10 16, 11 46 and 11 56 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 06, 6 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43, A. M., 1 06, 1 27, 3 23, 5 08, 6 26 7 46, 8 42, 8 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 06, 6 39, 9 05, 9 26, 10 41 A. M., 5 40, 6 27, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City 1 27 p. m. weekdays.

For Bahway—1, 1 43 daily ex. Monday, 4 08, 6 44, 7 10, 7 59, 8 54, 9 46, 9 50, 10 59, 11 49, a. m., 12 46, 1 18, 1 27, 2 48 3 20, 3 39, 5 09, 5 58, 6 22, 6 40, 6, 6 06 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 45, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 46, 8 14, 8 55, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1, 1 43, 6 59, 8 43, 9 49, 10 28 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 2 47, 3 28, 4 50, 5 20, 5 40, 7 21, 7 27, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 12 35, 1 27, 2 48, 3 59, 4 38, 5 08, 5 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a. m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 38, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 55, 2 48 and 6 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43 A. M.; 1 06, 1 27, 2 48, 5 08, 6 16, 7 46, 9 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 55, 9 05 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 57, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2.48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m, 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 12 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

For Sea Side Park, Island Heights and Toms River—12 46, p m.

For Boston—8 46 p. m., daily.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 6 20, 8 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 10, 11 30 P. M 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 32, 6 20, 6 32, 7 20, 7 30, 8, 8 40 9 22, 10 04, 10 37, A. M., 12 05, 1 15, 2 07, 2 32, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 54, 6 34, 7 02, 8 30, 10 17 11 30 P. M. Sunday—5 02, 8 02, 10 00, 11 20, A. M 12 32, 1 45, 3 30, 6 32, 7 11, 8 22, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 12, 7 55, 8 3 0, 9 08, 10 08, 11 08 A.M. 1 15, 1 55, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 50, 5 35, 6 05, 6 40, 6 54, 7 55, 8 40, 10 08, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 44, 9 35, 11 30, A. M., 1 10, 3 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AN SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 46 2 08, 3 22, 5 45, 6 36, 8 05, 8 14, 8 34, 8 04, 8 10, 8 32, 9 13, 9 54 10 21, 10 36, 11 23, P. M. 12 36 night Sunday—6 45, 8 23 9 36, A.M., 2 08, 3 22, 5 14, 6 36, 10 18, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 00, 7 00, 7 26, 7 36, 7 46, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 3 05, 5 25, 6 25, 8 32, 6 35, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 46, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 02, 9 40, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 3 08, 5 05, 6 14, 6 36, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 36 A. M. 3 08, 6 36, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A. M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 36 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 32, A. M. 6 40, 7 00, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p.m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p.m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 57 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 27, 9, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 9 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 9 27, 5 28, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 27, 8,10 27 a.m., 1 18 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 27* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 38 p. m., 1 12 night.

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For Buffalo, Chicago and all points west, week-days at 9 54 a m., 8 22 p. m. Sundays 6 36 p. m

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Reading terminal, 4 10, 8 30, 9 50, 11 35 a.m., 1 30 3 50 5 15, 6 04, 8 26, p.m. 12 10, night.

Sundays—4 10, 8 30, 9 50, 12 55 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19, a m. 3 00, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 50, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 58, 9 06, 10 26, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 29*, 5 54, 9 03 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16*, 4 23 6 48*, 9 03 p. m.

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R. C. Pease, Dictator.
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T. A. Rogers, Secretary.

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Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst who, more than any other man, was primarily responsible for the recent uncovering of the apparently universal and appalling corruption of New York's police department by the Lexow Committee of the State Senate, takes issue with that body in that its work stopped just before the finish. The influence of Dr. Parkhurst's crusade against municipal corruption has been felt throughout the length and breadth of the land, and by the close of the present year there will hardly be a city whose various departments have not been overhauled in the interest of integrity and purity. Three years ago Dr. Parkhurst, who succeeded the late Dr. Howard Crosby as president of the Society for the Prevention of Crime in the metropolis, endeavored in a modest way and through official channels to close up some of the notorious resorts of the city. Repeated complaints upon heresay evidence were made to the authorities, but without result. Dr. Parkhurst then employed detectives, and personally obtained evidence of the violation of criminal and excise laws, but upon one pretext and another his charges were thrown out of court, and so utterly futile were his attempts at reform that he became thoroughly convinced that the police department and the courts were in league to defeat the ends of justice, and that blackmail was being levied upon every illicit avocation by the paid protectors of the peace.

In 1892 Dr. Parkhurst issued a manifesto as to the city's corruption, charging direct to Superintendent Byrnes, the head of the police department, the responsibility of the wholesale existence and protection of vice. He had found every conceivable obstacle in the path of the society's work, and he more than ever believed that Byrnes was either a fool or a knave. With a predeliction that he was not a fool Dr. Parkhurst continued his work, until it resulted in the appointment of the Lexow Committee. The work of that committee is pretty generally known. How patrolman, captains, pantatas, inspectors and their victims tumbled over each other in their readiness to give testimony, incriminating those in authority above them and

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and oftentimes themselves, has been a newspaper theme for several months. At five o'clock of the last day upon which the famous committee sat, Superintendent Byrnes was called to the witness chair. His testimony, most of which was given voluntarily and without interrogatories, was incipid in its tameness. The only features which relieved its monotony was his confession that he had prostituted his office by accepting from Jay Gould and others speculative tips upon Wall street upon which he had profited to the extent of $300,000, and his statement that his resignation was in the hands of reform Mayor Strong.

Remarking upon the work of the committee Dr. Parkhurst, among other things, says: In stating my position touching certain questions now lying before the public mind, I cannot express myself too appreciatively of the splendid work that has been done by the Senate committee and its talented counsel. There has been created through their instrumentality an epoch in the history of our city, and there has been secured at the polls a municipal revolution that would have been impossible except through their agency or agency of a similar kind. And it is but just that we go further than this and recognize the work of this committee and of its counsel as being the influence which is contributing very largely to similar municipal upheavals throughout the entire country. Mr. Lexow's committee and Mr. Goff and his associates do not stand in need of our commendation, but it is a pleasure as well as a duty to accord it, and it is accorded with earnest cordiality. We are justified in saying that, while the committee stood up to the rack magnificently through all the earlier portions of the investigation, they flinched at the crisis. The presumption is on the side of the Superintendent being as criminal as any other member on the force; so that the hesitancy to handle him as Williams was handled could not proceed from any prior conviction of his innocence. Wherever they have stuck in their fork they have found rot; and whether Byrnes be rotten or not he has been in rot for thirty-one years and has been the executive head of rot for the last two years. The presumption, therefore, was against him, so that the indisposition to handle him thoroughly must have been grounded in some other consideration than that of his presumable innocence.

There are two ways in which Mr. Byrnes has put the committee under obligations, and to that degree destroyed their independence. He put them under obligations by consenting to help defeat Tammany Hall, and it is to be remembered that this committee is first and foremost an anti-Tammany committee, and came down here for anti-Tammany purposes. We are not saying that it was stipulated that if we would secure an honest election it should be remembered in his behalf; but in the very nature of the case, favors have to be reciprocated. We are not going to disparage Mr. Byrnes's good offices at election; only it is to be remembered that he did nothing more than he ought to have done without being asked to do it, and nothing more than he had the same authority to do in previous elections, if he had only had the official courage to use his authority.

The second way in which the committee put themselves under obligations to him was by taking him into their confidence and allowing him to become confederate with them in breaking down the force. To the degree in which they obtained from Mr. Byrnes they put themselves practically under obligation to protect Byrnes.

Mr. Byrnes has repeatedly tried to play the same game with the Society for the Prevention of Crime, but we have refused to ally ourselves with a man that we believed to be more than any other one man responsible for the condition of the department. Byrnes hated us, and kept tab on us, and tried to make us contemptible in public esteem by showing that our agent was levying blackmail, which, as shown by the Lexow committee, was precisely what his agents were doing, and precisely what we are obliged to assume he knew his agents were doing.

A year ago he called together the reporters, and in terms of unrestrained bitterness published to the world a mess of blackguardism touching the motive of my work, the base impulses that inspired it, all of which was solid and contemptible falsehood. I am writing this without animosity, but he lied all the same, and the object of the lie was to break the power that I was exercising against the viciousness of his department.

In December, 1892, Byrnes said: A Society for the Prevention of Crime! That is a fine title for an association of men who have, from their leader down, provoked about every crime they denounced. Not only have they blackmailers among them; they have men who have been guilty of the most abominable practices, of acts which, when they are made public, you will find the utmost difficulty in describing in print." I cannot understand how men who are presumably decent, respectable members of society, can tolerate the idea of putting forth a number of spies to practice on the fears of these most unfortunate women; the cruelty of it amazes me. Are not these poor things sufficiently cursed as it is? Is not their condition sufficiently pitiable without its being necessary to further abuse and rob them? However, let them wait a little while. Let them wait until the public knows what has been done. There is law, fortunately, and the victims are not friendless as long as that law exists. I have read over very carefully the charges made by Dr. Parkhurst and as far as I could perhaps expect they corroborate what I have said about him and his methods. I have to thank Dr. Parkhurst for making the issue he has raised at last sharp and clear. He is not trying to suppress gambling or to repress the social evil. He is in the field to attack the police.

Now, that is Byrnes. He is the man we have had steadily in our eyes for three years, and he has had us just as steadily in his eye. As the community knows, our work has meant nothing but the overthrow of misrule in this city. Byrnes has known that as well as the public, and yet he has fought us. Now, why not have the Senatorial committee, through their counsel, made themselves familiar with these matters? We have urged that Mr. Byrnes should be asked, whether, prior to the Senatorial investigation, he was knowing of the rottenness of the police force. He either was or was not. If he was, and still kept his mouth shut, he was unspeakably vile, and if he was not he was unspeakably imbecile. Now, why did not the committee insist that Mr. Goff, in his characteristic manner should broil Mr. Byrens on that bifurcate dilemma? I am nothing but a minister, but if I had been a lawyer of Mr. Goff's ability, I would have put Brynes on that toasting iron, and I would have guaranteed to broil out of him all his reputability inside of one day's session, provided, of course, the committee would have allowed me to do so.

Let me complete, in conclusion, that I have no interest in this matter save a profound and passionate desire to see work that is thorough. Men with as much influence as Byrnes, who have been in the midst of iniqity clear up to their ears for 30 years, can fight iniquity if they want to, and if they are clean they will want to.

I am aware that many who are our friends will take exception to this statement. Some will say it is inexpedient. That is not a consideration that weighs with us. We are here for a principle, and we are here to stay. Compromises, evasions, shifts, and deals we believe to be inimical to everything in the shape of true progress and permanent effects.

Winter Wear.

A Bad Place to Carry Money.

In these days of gloved hands and pockets covered by wraps it is surprising to see how commonly men and women adopt the habit of putting pieces of money in their mouths. This applies to bills as well as coin, is more frequently done by men than women, and is a practice more observed on the street cars than elsewhere.

It seems so filthy and slovenly a practice that no cleanly person would adopt it, and yet it is often practised by the best and apparently most inteiligent class of men and women.

Apart from its vileness, the habit is a menace to health. Money gets into all kinds of infectious places and carries all kinds of germs. A bank teller of Vienna recently died from the effects of moistening his fingers with saliva when counting money.

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Fond motherhood! Bright light of fairest dawn,
Which through unbroken union gives
Hope of a happy, infantile good morn
To claim a father's love for the first born,
Until two hearts at last,
From out a baby path,
Shall know mature perfection lives.
—*Clive Newcome Elliot.*

New York, January, 1895.

Different Standpoints.

The late dowager Duchess of Montrose once won a big race, and, as was her custom on such occasions, she had invited a large party of guests at short notice to celebrate the event. Everything was got ready. The table decorations were especially fine, and they pleased her so well that she promptly ordered her head gardener, who had personally undertaken the arrangements, to go for a week's holiday at her expense. The favored retainer promptly obeyed the order and had what he thought was a splendid time. Returning at the end of his week, he was asked by the duchess to submit his list of expenses, and he did so, sending in what seemed to him a respectable bill. Her grace scanned it for a moment and then said:

"Look here, I told you to enjoy yourself thoroughly, and it is plain from this you have not done so. Mind, the next time I send you for a holiday I shall expect my instructions to be obeyed."—London Letter.

When You Eat Ice.

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CHAPTER V.—CONTINUED.

"It is certainly a misfortune to lose the jewels," said Etienne with calmness, the calmness of unbroken faith. "There is no other misfortune about it. We will take steps for their recovery. But as for Beauxlieux,—it is preposterous! No, no, two and two do not make three! That white flame of his burns without dross."

"Ah, I believe you!" the poor duchess cried. "And what balm you bring a sore heart! Oh, Etienne, what should I do without you!"

But when night came, and the duchess was in her own rooms again, the horror of doubt and fear overcame her anew. There was her son's portrait as Jean had drawn it—the sweet seriousness, the lofty gravity, the piercing eye, the tender mouth. The candle flickering under it gave it a seeming life. She flung herself down before it as if it were an altar. "How, how, how could I doubt you?" she cried. "And, oh, how can I help it!" she said, presently. She knelt at her prie-dieu for hours, but felt that help forsook her. She took the candlestick and went into her son's rooms—bare, studious rooms, without an ornament or luxury, only one picture on the walls, a face crowned with thorns. "He gave Himself for the love of man," Beauxlieux once had said. "And can I do less?"

As she went back the enormity of her own behavior overwhelmed her. But directly afterward she saw her handkerchief, fallen on the floor—one of several he had sent her—knowing she loved fine, sheer things, and had used coarse ones so long. She snatched it and tore it with her teeth; then as she walked the floor she paused at the great armoire where Olympe had put away the things of his childhood. She unclosed it and lifted the little frock. She recalled him in it, running to meet her, his hair flying, his arms extended, his sweet face overflowing with smiles. He had not forgotten how to smile then. There was the little cap, too; her own fingers had wrought it for him before he was born, and what hopes and what prayers she had wrought into it! Here was a scarf he had worn at his first communion; here were the curls, the silken curls Olympe had shorn from his dear head. She kissed them passionately; she wet them with her crying, a mother grieves so over the

FOR A MOMENT HE WAS SILENT.

memorials of the dead! She had no longer a child.

It was the next day that Beauxlieux came down from town to the chateau. The duchess did not go to meet him as usual. She sent for him instead to come to her. She was standing at her dressing-table, strewn with the empty jewel cases, white as alabaster, her long black gown sweeping round her, her eyes like those of a fate.

Startled by her appearance, he hastened toward her with an exclamation. But she threw out her arms in an interposing gesture. And then she wavered as she stood; and with a stride he was beside her, and, his arm about her, he had led her to a seat, and throwing himself on his knees before her, he drew her face over to his. "What is it, my mother?" he murmured. "What ails thee? Art thou ill? Art thou suffering? Lean on me, kiss me, dear, sweet mother."

She withdrew from his clasp and pushed him off a little, her hand flat on his chest. "Oh!" she cried, transfixing him with her great despairing eyes. "Oh! how could you, how could you do it?"

CHAPTER VI.

For a moment, Beauxlieux looked bewildered. He glanced round the room where the light of the dreary autumn day came in through the faded daffodil draperies as if the sun were still shining without.

"I do not understand you," he said. "What does this mean, my mother? What disaster, what misfortune—"

"What disaster!" she cried, sharply. "And you ask! You! Is there worse disaster than when a mother finds her son—Oh, I cannot say it!" tearing open the lace at her throat. "When she discovers—and a Beauxlieux—"

"Ah!" he exclaimed. "It is that, then. My faith, I had almost forgotten! I never dreamed it was going to affect you so, my mother—"

"Not your mother!" she almost shrieked. "Never the mother of—a—thief!"

"What!" he cried, instantly upon his feet. "Does anyone—even my mother—" and then with a look at her his old gentleness and pity and love were uppermost again. "My mother," he said gently, then. "My mother, were they not mine?"

"Then why not take them openly? Why creep in the dark to do so foul a thing—"

"In the dark? Why, it is true I did not consult you. It seemed to me unnecessary. I thought you would object, and there would be so much to be said. And then here in your seclusion I thought you might never know."

"And does all that make it any the less robbery?" with a piercing scorn in her tone.

"Whom have I robbed? I certainly had the right. And Pierre paid me good money for them. He has done well, he says, the rogue. If that is doing well, he has done wonderfully—on the Bourse, in all the big enterprises. His hotel is a palace in the Faubourg. By the most singular turn of fortune, it is the old Hotel Beauxlieux itself—"

"Do you mean—" she exclaimed. "No, it is too shameful to be true! Can a man acknowledge in this unblushing way that he robbed his mother of her diamonds and took money for them! That he crept through her room at night to make off with every jewel—oh, not that I valued the diamonds! I would so gladly have given them if you had asked. Oh, oh, oh, the cruel, the accursed things that make me despise my own flesh and blood, my own son! No, what am I saying? I have no son!"

"Stop, stop, my mother! Go softly here. Is it that the long monotony and disappointment have disordered you? Of what were you speaking? What is it that you say about diamonds?"

She threw out her hands toward the empty cases on the table, his eyes following the movement. For a moment he was silent and transfixed, and he remained silent with perplexity and wonderment. But, directly his quick wit had taken in the truth, he looked at her again, the tears sparkling suspended on her cheeks. There were tears in his own eyes. He took her hand. "My mother," he said. "I would not think that under any circumstances you could have believed this of your son. Do you not see how it is? Victorine took your jewels. Pierre has disposed of them, and with the price of them he goes into his enterprises. It is the meaning of his wealth. And it is with the money he receives for the Beauxlieux diamonds that he buys the Bieuxlieux titles!"

"What is it that I hear you say?" cried the duchess, half startled out of the one terror by a new one. "The Beauxlieux titles! What of the Beauxlieux titles?"

"Why, nothing, except that I sold them to Pierre last June, and it is the matter of which I have been speaking. Not yours, madame; not any title belonging to you; you still retain your address of honor, you are still the Duchess des Sarazines Beauxlieux, if you choose, douairiere. But those which were my own, have I any use for them? I, a man without a fortune, and with other views? In these days when thrones go under and empires disappear in the gulf, and man, man climbs out, my mother, I count it shame to hold titles, not won by myself, but won by men whose very ashes no longer exist! I say to myself—the titles, they are a voice, a breath, they are non-existent attributes. But with the money that foolish Pierre is willing to pay me for leaving him alone if he assumes them, what can I not do for the people that were given in trust to those ancestors of mine who betrayed the trust? It will buy land, houses, maintain the prophets, the priests, of liberty. Perhaps—who knows—buy dynamite."

"Beauxlieux!"

"It will, at any rate, make my mother at ease all her days, I said. What succor will it take to sufferers! And if by means of it I can forward the cause of their uplifting and their freedom—ah, were it only one man who had held his head like a beast's to the earth that I helped to hold it up in the face of God, it is better worth to me than all the titles of all my forefathers. And so I sold them to him; sold them every one. I, Louis Dagobert Clovis Francois Maria Angelique, no longer Duke des Sarazines Beauxlieux, Prince De Franche Haupte, Count des Aiguilles, Conte de Grandes Landes, Baron Boissy, and all the absurd rest of them, my mother!"

"And for what remains," he said, after a pause, "if it is honor to be Beauxlieux, the sale of no title can take that honor away. I am always and forever Beauxlieux," with an inexpressible pride of bearing.

"But it is impossible!" cried his mother. "I forbid it!"

"It is done," said Beauxlieux.

"But you do not confer titles—it is the king, the council, the ministers, the government—"

"The government confers no more. You forget that, whether one lives up to it or not, the motto now is liberty, fraternity, equality."

"You appall me! And, besides, he will not be allowed to wear them, the lache!"

"Who is to interfere? I shall not. Nor am I ever to marry. No!" as he saw the protest in her face. "Bring others into the world to sorrow, to struggle, to endure? No, no, there will never be anyone to disturb him. He appears in the world of Paris as the Duke des Sarazines Beauxlieux, and no one will ever be the wiser."

"But my son, Heaven forgive me—do you then assist at a fraud, a felony?"

"Hardly," said Beauxlieux, "the thing is too unsubstantial. What do the titles mean now in a republic? Nothing. He gives me a certain payment for leaving him to play his part in peace. My pride might rebel—but the money is so needed by those others, those poor creatures. And, moreever," said Beauxlieux, "I find the play sufficiently entertaining."

And then suddenly the duchesse threw back her head and opened her mouth with such a peal of laughter as in many a year before had not rung through that old pile.

"Victorine!" she cried, "Victorine the Duchesse des Sarazines Beauxlieux! Victorine! Oh, I see her now! Sieguer Dieu, but it is too amusing! Victorine!" And all her white teeth glistened and the tears rolled out of her eyes, tears of merriment, tears of joy.

"But not the less," she said, "if Victorine is a thief, if the Duchesse des Sarazines Beauxlieux is a thief, she must be brought to justice!"

"No," said Beauxlieux. "We, who are Beauxlieux, cannot afford to have the name dragged in the dust. All the diamonds in the world would not be worth it. And I have contracted with Pierre—I mean the duke—to that effect. If he in any way discredits the titles, I appear. Is it that you can forgive me now, my mother?"

"Oh, Beauxlieux," she said, rising and putting her hands on his shoulders, "there is no question of forgiveness. You could never forgive me, if there were. I could never forgive myself for my stupidity, my ignorance, my blindness, my crime! It is M. Etienne, Heaven bless him, who never doubted you. If he has something to hear, my son, he—he has also something to tell you. Oh, Beauxlieux, I am so happy, I feel as though I had wings!" And as she spoke, a level sunbeam broke from the low western clouds and fell across the room, and they saw gray sky and sullen sea transformed and glorified in a mist of gold.

Sometimes now in the summer months, the old chateau is gay with people; the family have come back. Beauxlieux and Jean are there for a time. But for the greater part of the year the only sound within its walls (save the quiet footfall of Olympe, who ignores the existence of her niece, and feels that ruin is abroad, and of the few servants there) is the echo of the rolling surf and the crying of the storm on the gray Atlantic. Mme. Etienne, who cannot afford to wear the title worn by Victorine, lives with her husband in Paris, a Paris that has no knowledge of her in her former estate, and with whose men of wit and science and poetry she forgets old titles and old glories. Sometimes she hears of Victorine flaunting in the finery she loves still as when she risked all in the forest by stringing herself with the stolen jewels that Pierre might see how well their glory became her—Pierre, who, taking advantage of the stepping stone of those diamonds, has gone on adding wealth to wealth. Mme. Etienne trembles only lest some misdeed of his shall throw a stain on the name that has lived a thousand years, unblemished. Sometimes indestructible recollections give her a pang. But when her son—completely effaced though he may be from the eyes of the great world, as he goes and comes, on the dangerous errands to which he has devoted himself—returns to her for a breathing space, when she feels the velvet embraces of the little bourgeoise girl who has been born to her, and turning her head looks into the eyes of the man who has been her protector, loving her in silence for so many years, she feels the old Basque peasant woman assert her claim, feels herself espousing the cause of the people down there in the dark, in her different estate, and knows that she is unspeakably happier than the childless and lonely masquerader in the splendor of the Hotel des Sarazines Beauxlieux.

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The Civil Service Commission takes this opportunity of stating that these examinations are open to all reputable citizens who may desire to enter the postal service, without regard to their political affiliations. All such citizens, whether Democrats or Republicans, or neither, are invited to apply. They shall be examined, graded, and certified with entire impartiality, and wholly without regard to their political views, or to any consideration save their efficency, as shown by the grades they obtain in the examination.

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A NEW FREEHOLDERS BILL.

Important Changes Proposed—Salaries Instead of Fees—Minority Representation.

Trenton, Jan. 16.—An important bill which gives promise of securing favorable action in the Legislature has been introduced by Senator Charles B. Herbert of Middlesex County. It is very sweeping in its provisions, and strikes at the root of the present system of county government through boards of chosen freeholders. Although this is Mr. Herbert's first term in the Senate, his appointment as chairman of the committee on railroads and canals, as well as his membership on other important committees, is evidence of his influence. Mr. Herbert is a law partner of ex-Judge William T. Hoffman. He was a member of the Assembly from Middlesex County in 1888 and 1889.

The bill referred to provides that at the next election to choose members of the General Assembly held in this State after the approval of this act, and every three years thereafter, there shall be chosen in the several counties in this State suitable persons to constitute the boards of chosen freeholders as follows: In counties of the first-class, seven persons; in counties of the second-class, five persons; in counties of the third-class, three persons; and in counties of the fourth-class, three persons, who shall be citizens of this State, and who shall have been for three years residents of the counties in whihh they shall be chosen. They shall hold their offices for three years and until their successors are elected.

The second section provides that each of the said chosen freeholders shall receive compensation as follows: In counties of the first class $2,000 each per annum; in counties of the second class $1,200 each per annum; in counties of the third class $1,000 each per annum; in counties of the fourth class $500 each per annum; and they shall receive no other compensation, fee, or emoluments whatever. Each board may elect a director, and may also elect a clerk who shall hold office at the pleasure of the board, and who shall receive such compensation as they shall determine. Each member shall take an oath to perform the duties of his office, and shall give a bond for the faithful performance of his duties.

The third section provides that at the county conventions each of the political parties authorized by law to make nominations in convention may nominate, and each elector may vote for, candidates for chosen freeholders as follows: In counties of the first class four persons; in counties of the second class three persons; in counties of the third class two persons; in counties of the fourth class two persons, provided that nominations in number as above specified in the several classes of counties may be made by petition as now provided by law; and in order that a fair minority representation may be secured on each board, the several boards of freeholders shall be constituted of the required number who have received the highest number of votes respectively. The terms of the boards to be first elected under this act shall commence on the first day of December next succeeding their election.

The bill will be reported for debate next week. It is said to be backed by the Sewell influence.

Degree 101.

Last evening at the regular council sleep of Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Tribe, 193, routine business was transacted, a large number being present. Two applications for membership were received during the session. At the close the Haymakers Council went into session, much enthusiasm being aroused by the initiation of six new members into the touching ceremonies attending this degree. Each new brother felt highly elevated as he gained a further knowledge of the secret work, and at the close by the unanimous request of the six brethren they were instructed in the mysteries of the one hundred and first degree, which was exemplified by Chief Haymaker Charles I. Young.

A Great Street Cleaner.

G. W. Brady of Brooklyn, who has been visiting G. M. Rittenhouse of East Sixth street, is the perfector of the Charlton Street Cleaner. The machine is built upon a principle entirely different from other street cleaning machines. The advantage of this sweeper is its method of conducting the dirt into an attached cart instead of leaving it along the streets to be gathered up.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

BLUE AND WHITE TEA.

Delightful Event at the Home of Mrs. Grant.

A most delightful tea was given by Mrs. Frank Sargent Grant of 59 Jackson avenue last evening to a large number of her friends both in Plainfield and New York

Progressive euchre was indulged in, Mrs. Charles A. Reed securing first prize for the women, and Julius Erickson the first prize for the men.

The general effect of the dainty dining room was blue and white. Tea was poured by Mrs. Charles Smith and Mrs. J. E. Childs of New York. Those assisting Mrs. Grant in receiving were the Misses Marsh, Miss Grant, Miss Dunham, and Miss Bisley of New York.

The guests included Mrs Sarah Coon, Miss Conklin, the Misses Martine, Mrs W W Myers, Miss Goreline, Mrs M A Marsh, Mr and Mrs Eugene Gross, Mr and Mrs J K Myers, Dr and Mrs D J Yerkes, the Misses Ida and Grace Yerkes, Miss Alice Randolph, Rev and Mrs Robert Lowry, Mr and Mrs Charles A Reed, Mr and Mrs Samuel Townsend, Mrs Charles F Stillman, Mr and Mrs Martin I Cooley, Miss Cooley, Mr and Mrs Walter McGee, Mr and Mrs H A McGee, Mr and Mrs C E Horne, Mr and Mrs H E Needham, Mr and Mrs A B Darby, Mr and Mrs Alexander Gilbert, Mr and Mrs George Tyler Rogers, Mr and Mrs Josephus H Howell, J B Yerkes. Mr and Mrs W J Boome, Mrs W T Kaufman, Mrs G P Suydam, Mr and Mrs C H Smith, Miss Gussie Runyon, David Lenox. Those from New York were Mr and Mrs Willis Paine, Mrs Isaac V Brokaw, Miss Brokaw, Mrs H Charles Ulman, the Misses Ulman, Dr and Mrs T R Pooley, Mr and Mrs I N Van Sickel, Mr and Mrs Frank B Currier, Mr and Mrs Arthur Scott Herendon, Mr and Mrs Sheppard Homans, Misses Homans, Miss Stevens, Mr and Mrs G W Whittemore, Miss Whittemore, Mrs W P Keating, Mr and Mrs C Bowyer Vaux, Mr and Mrs Leopold A Camacho, Dr and Mrs A H Goelet, Mrs M L Stevens, F A Brockway, and Mr and Mrs James Clark of St. Louis.

Success of the Scotch Plains Library.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—Perhaps the record made by the Scotch Plains Library during the past year, may not be devoid of interest to some of your readers.

The results of the year's work were reported at the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees held on Wednesday evening. The object of the undertaking was, in its inception, two-fold: first, the establishment of a free Public Library; and second, the opening to the young people of the village (boys and girls) of a reading room, supplied with magazines and illustrated newspapers, and also with games.

The attendance at the library rooms has been as follows: For January, February and March, 1,116; April, May and June, 876; July, August and September, 664; October, November and December, 864; total, 3,520 persons.

It is to be borne in mind that the population within reach of the library rooms, cannot number all told, men, women and children, over 1,000 souls.

The number of books drawn from the library for the four quarters of the year was 379, 271, 304 and 385, making a total of 1 339 volumes.

The library contains 930 bound volumes of which 503 were presented and 427 were purchased.

The books of reference (including the Encyclopedia Brittanica) which are not circulated, are frequently consulted by the brighter scholars in the public school.

If, as we in Plainfield are too apt to think, Scotch Plains is missionary ground, here is an outpost of culture which cannot be estimated in this life.

DAVID P. HALL,
Chairman Press Committee Scotch Plains Public Library.

Better Quarters of Their Own.

Robert & James Love, the grocers of 245 West Front street, intend removing from their present location April 1, on account of the increase of rent by the owner. Today they purchased of P. J. Kreitling the building at 257 and 259 West Front steeet, near Madison avenue. They will raise the present building up, put in a new front, and also build on the rear. When completed they will have a larger store than their present one.

His Injuries Not Serious.

Thomas Meany, who was injured in Westfield yesterday, as told in The Press, is resting quietly today and his condition is not thought to be serious. He had received a message about 10 in the morning to stop a fast train when it reached that point. He stepped out of his office to adjust a signal for the train, and slipping on the wet ties he fell on the track in front of the approaching express and was struck by the engine.

Methodist Meetings.

The following is the programme for the rest of this week: This evening Rev. Mr. Randolph, of the Grace Church, will speak; tomorrow and Saturday evenings the Drew Quartette will speak and sing; Friday afternoon at 3:45 a meeting for young people will be conducted by the members of the Quartette. To these services a cordial and general invitation is extended.

SHOOT, OFFICERS, PRIZES.

Brisk Opening of the Climax Club's New Year.

The stormy weather of yesterday did not deter the members of the Climax Gun Club from holding their monthly shoot. Fifteen members shoot their initial score of the year, and the distribution of prizes and the election of officers took place after the shooting. The officers elected to serve for the ensuing year are: President—R. B. Manning; Vice-President—Charles Smith; Secretary and Treasurer—D. H. Terry; Directors—T. H. Keller, John Darby, Thomas Brantingham, Dr. Zeglio, R. B. Manning, C. Smith and D. H. Terry.

The fortunate prize-winners of the year past were: Joseph Zeglio first, $5 in gold and a pair of Quimby hunting shoes; W Squires, second, receiving the same; R B Manning, third, leather gun case; V Swody, fourth, leather gun case; D H Terry and W Terry, 5th and 6th, received a shooting blouse and a gun case respectively; Scot Terry, seventh, leather shell box; Charles Smith, eighth, a hunting hat; D L Darby, ninth, a leather vest; Thomas Brantingham, tenth, shell box; W Williams, eleventh, hunting cap; Joseph Goodman, twelfth, hunting cap; "P Jay", thirteenth, hunting leggins.

Yesterday's shooting was done under trying conditions, and the scores made were good ones, particularly the 24 of Charles Smith. The results of the club shoot is as follows, the scratch men shooting at 25 Empire targets. C Smith, scratch, 24; T H Keller, scratch, 20; T Brantingham, scratch, 20; R B Manning, allowance 2, broke 25; D Terry, 1, 22; D Darby, 5, 24; Joseph Zeglio, 4, 12; "P Jay", 5, 20; "Scott", 3, 19; J Darby, 7, 20; W Squires, 3, 17; W Terry, 4, 19; V Swody, 6, 16; Joseph Goodman, 6, 13; "Williams", 5, 22.

The club has over 40 members on the roll, and is in a prosperous condition The Treasurer D. H. Terry reports as having over $100 of the club's funds in his hands. The club decided to raise the initiation fee to $5. and also to enter a team in the State League as done in former years. Last year the team finished in third place, but this year nothing but first place will please the boys.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Charles Fields is contemplating another trip to Avon Park, Florida. He has invested in some property at that place, and intends settling there.

James A. Baker is troubled with rheumatism again.

Hezekiah Hand is kept quite busy in his line, having had three sales in less than two weeks.

Frederick Clark, the liveryman, has invested in a new horse.

George Johnston and Wm. Trayno resumed their duties as jurymen today.

John Patterson of Morristown is visiting Wm. C. Stanbery of Mountain avenue.

Miss Sadie Walpole has returned home from a month at Haverstraw with her sister.

Miss Lottie Raymond of Plainfield spent part of Monday visiting old friends in town.

Norman Dunn of Mountain avenue, who has been confined to his bed with the grip, is reported much improved.

The soliciting committee appointed by the Choral Union to secure new members, met at "the Manse" Wednesday evening. Ten new names were added to the list.

Miss Tennie Balsam has returned to her home in New York, after spending several days with her aunt, Mrs. Hosinger.

A warrant is out for one of the boys, by name Montross, for throwing stones at the Italian who was struck last week. The boy is not at home, having made a sudden visit to friends in the city.

The choir of the Baptist Church will meet Saturday afternoon in the church.

The Sons of Temperance have postponed their installation of officers until the next regular meeting.

Pebbles to Prevent Explosions.

A young man of pleasing address has been selling to people in the towns along the Jersey Central small brown pebbles, such as can be picked up on the shores of Newark Bay by the bushel.

These stones, he said, were invested with a magic power. They would prevent lamps from exploding. One stone was sufficient for each lamp, no matter what the size of the lamp might be. He sold them at 25 cents each.

One woman who bought six, in consideration of her large purchase was given a reduction of 25 cents. She gave the peddler a five-dollar note and he went to get it changed. She has not seen him since.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

GROCERS AND THEIR DEBTORS.

The New Jersey Dealers Want a Wife's Property Made Responsible—J. A. Smith of Plainfield at the Front.

Trenton, Jan. 16—The fifteenth semi-annual meeting of the State Retail Grocery Merchants, Association was held today in Young Men's Christian Association Hall. About 100 delegates, representing 20 associations, were present.

Secretary J. C. Henrie of Paterson read a report, which showed that delinquent debtors owed the members of the association $480,326.24. The number of debtors is 14,965. The association discussed the proposed law making a wife's property liable for necessaries of life in her family. The grocers say there is nothing unreasonable in such a law. No law should compel the innocent to suffer. The grocers were not compelled by any moral right to support a family when the wife had property and the grocery bill was not paid, and the support of such a family should come from the property.

The association elected the following officers: President—James P Sullivan, Morristown; Vice-presidents—William Wilkie, Harrison, and J A Smith, Plainfield; Recording Secretary—John C Henrie, Paterson; Treasurer—E S Atkinson, New Brunswick; Financial Secretary—W W Gilby, Westfield.

STILL IN THE RACE.

C. Y. M. L. Bowlers May Yet Win the Trophy.

Last evening's game on the Montgomery alleys in Newark between the C. Y. M. L. and the T. A. B's was a hard fought contest from start to finish and was anybody's game until the last frame. At the call of time the contestants jumped into the ring and began to spar for points, the round resulting in a draw. In the second round the T. A. B's cross counters got in their work with telling effect and at the close of the round their opponents were outpointed by 55 pins. The history of rounds 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 varies little from that of round two, but in the tenth the C. Y. M. L got their second wind, jumped into the ring as fresh as daisies, shook hands for the wind-up and went at their opponents hammer and tongs, every man of them making a strike or a spare. It was an old time Garrison finish, and when the scorer called "1462—1428 C. Y. M. L." the boys did nothing tut fall over each other for joy, and yell themselves to a standstill as the trophy loomed up again on the not far distant horizon. The valiant Sergeant who lies awake nights thinking of a way to make two strikes with one ball, easily headed the totals last evening with 189 pins to his credit.

The score:

C. Y. M. L.		T. A. B.	
Carty	178	Whalen	153
Delehanty	147	Ritt	124
Waters	140	Clifford	154
Gallagher	138	Byrnes	144
Kiley, W	133	Gilroy	160
Wierenga	131	Kearns	154
Kenney	121	Hay, O	139
Kiley, P	189	Tracey, J	106
Lynch	159	McBarron	141
Hibbits	128	Breen	133
	1462		1427

BY FRAMES:

C. Y. M. L. 133 247 410 553 700 859 1008 1167 1305 1462
T. A. B. 133 302 469 624 740 882 1018 1172 1323 1428

Umpire—P. Butcher. Scorer—T. Owens.

Progressive Hearts.

A very enjoyable card party was given last night at the home of Miss Lillian Schoonmaker of Putnam avenue. Progressive hearts was the game of the evening and an exciting contest was the result. After an elaborate collation the rest of the evening was spent in dancing.

During the evening Miss Alice Schoonmaker and Fred H. Freeman rendered a piano duet very acceptably. Those who enjoyed Miss Schoonmaker's hospitality were: Miss Percy Emmons, Miss Lillian Glenn, Miss Clara Long, Miss Elsie Jobes, Miss Florence Serrell, Miss Bessie Baldwin, Miss Jane Schoonmaker, Miss Alice Schoenmaker, Volney F Green, Allen Taylor, Sydney R Titsworth, Benjamin O Bowers, Jr, Clifford Crane, George P Smith, Seymour P Smith, Jr, Arthur Freeman and Fred H Freeman.

Ex-Congressman Horr.

Don't fail to hear Plainfield's own great orator, ex-Congressman Roswell G. Horr, the famous wit and story-teller, lecture in All Souls Church, Park avenue, tomorrow night.

—In the cases of Hand against Freeman, on contract, and Hand against Freeman, landlord and tenant, judgment was rendered yesterday by Justice Newcorn in favor of plaintiff.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

POLITICIANS AFRAID.

Republican Legislators Afraid of Losing the Liquor-Interest Vote.

A despatch from Trenton says the local-option question is likely to annoy the Republican Legislature this year. The Republican leaders had hoped to escape this sort of temperance legislation just on the eve of a gubernatorial election, but the organization formed by Rev. W. E. Honeyman and other leading workers proposes to force the question to an issue.

As was told in The Press yesterday, their executive committee, of which Rev. Honeyman is the head, was instructed to have a local-option bill introduced in the Legislature, with a special clause giving the Borough Council control of licenses. It was said at the meeting that one of the Republican leaders was asked if this Legislature would pass a local-option bill. He replied: "For God's sake don't talk about any temperance legislation year when the election of a Governor is so near."

When the Republicans passed the last local-option bill, it was done after a big struggle. They expected to gain the support of the prohibition element in the State by their action, but they estranged the German vote of Newark. Essex County, which had previously gone Republican, has been in the Democratic column ever since until last Fall. The Republicans fear the consequence of any more temperance legislation, though the party policy has been in that direction.

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

John P. Apgar is engaged putting a new roof on George Huff's house.

Walter Smith was attacked with grip yesterday morning and was unable to attend to his store trade until nearly noon.

William Morris is now a full-fledged mason. He gave up the oil business here for the latter.

The teachers' meeting of the M. E. Sunday-school will be held this evening at the home of Thomas J. Todd.

The Standard Oil Company have built new tank wagons which hold twelve barrels of oil for the supply of their Jersey trade. Mr. Bond of Newark has charge of the wagon that supplies this vicinity and made his first trip through here yesterday.

Miss May Gise is contemplating a visit with friends at Catasauqua, Pa.

The personal effects of Mrs. Mary Laing were sold at auction yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Laing has rented rooms in the Dr. Brakeley Building.

Bartley Kelley came home sick with the grip, Tuesday.

Yesterday Leonard Leach brought home some very pretty designs of steel clippings from his shop at Bound Brook.

It is reported that a new store building is to be erected on North avenue in the near future. A hall suitable for a lodge room is to be put in the second story.

John Dunn has had great success with his bread business and is gaining custom each day.

F. H. Gise put in a new stock of cigars yesterday. He now has the finest in town.

Yesterday's shooting match was the outcome of a sort of jealous feeling which exists among our sporting fraternity. It is the beginning of a series of challenges that must necessarily follow, as already three gun clubs have been organized in this place simply because of this jealous feeling. Lots of fun in store for Dunellenites. Send a few of those pigeons to the Dunellen correspondent of The Press.

Even the rain and disagreeable weather yesterday did not postpone the shooting contest between T. W. Sisty and W. H. Carman on one side, and C. Lindzey and Charles Giles on the other. The match was the outcome of a challenge published through The Press by Sisty and Carman to shoot with any two men in Dunellen or New Market. The challenge was accepted by Lindzey who selected Giles for his second, naming yesterday as the time for the shoot. They were all on hand at the hour designated, and ready for the contest. Each was to shoot at ten live birds, single barrel, with gun below the elbow. The following score was the result: W. H. Carman, 9, T. W Sisty, 7, total, 16; C. Giles, 8, C. Lindzey, 6, total, 14. Of course outsiders were not enlightened as to how much money was put up on a side, but the writer was informed that the winners would receive a small retainer. W. H. Carman says he will not quit the contest business, and when he has time will gun for pleasure. The winners received many cheers from those about.

A New County Road.

Judge VanSyckel in the Union County Court yesterday appointed County Collector Edward M. Wood of Elizabeth and ex-Freeholders James T. Pierson of Westfield and William T. West of Linden as Commissioners to assess the costs, damages, and expenses of laying out a new public road through Cranford.

Death of George H. Kidder.

George H. Kidder, Past Grand Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of New Jersey, died at his home, 80 Academy street, Jersey City, from a complication of diseases. He was 60 years old, and leaves a widow and four adult children.

A PLAINFIELDER'S TRIP.

He Gives His Fellow Townsmen the Pleasure of His Reminiscences.

A. M. Powell gave his "Glimpses in Europe" last evening at the old Friends' Meeting House, this being the second entertainment in the course.

The house was well filled, and the wish was expressed that the lecture might be repeated in an audience room better adapted to the purpose.

Mr. Powell described in a chatty familiar way a number of the most prominent and interesting places he had visited in Great Britain, Paris, Switzerland, Belgium and Holland.

The lecture was illustrated by about 75 excellent lantern slides selected by Mr. Powell and exhibited by Messrs. Gavett and Hallock.

Through the kindness of an English Friend, Mr. Powell had the privilege of attending a debate in the House of Lords, which was participated in by Lords Roseberry, Salisbury, Hartington and the Lord Chancellor who, unlike our own Vice-President, has the privilege of joining in the debate. Mr. Powell spoke very highly of Lord Roseberry as an orator, comparing his manner to that of the late George William Curtis, and then commented on the peculiar custom of voting by taking a "division", when all the members leave the chamber and are counted as they return by opposite doors.

In referring to the condition of the peasant women abroad, he mentioned seeing many in Munich engaged in the hardest kind of manual labor, such as carrying hods of mortar to the tops of buildings on ladders.

He saw Swiss women carrying immense bundles of hay on their heads down the mountain paths to the stables below, and who then showed their industry by knitting on the way back. Gov. Hawley, a fellow-passenger with Mr. Powell, reported seeing a woman carrying her ponderous burden of hay, and knitting at the same time.

Reference was made to a temperance anniversary of the Choral Union held in the Crystal Palace at London, (a view of which was shown), where a chorus of five thousand, all total abstainers, gave a concert in the afternoon, and another five thousand abstainers, all of them from the City of London, gave a second concert in the evening. The audiences, the speaker said, could better be reckoned by the acre than by numbering, so vast were they, some forty thousand having been admitted through the gates.

BY THE WAY.

—The Plainfield Bowling team will bowl a practice game with the Colts on the Trade Temple alleys this evening.

—Summons was issued yesterday by Justice Newcorn in the case of Gambrill against James Conneely, on contract, returnable Jan. 23.

—A water pipe burst at the house of Gen. Negley Tuesday evening, doing considerable damage. A handsome pair of plush portieres, valued at $150, was almost ruined.

—Miss Grace Perkins, a pupil of Dr. Wm. Mason, wishes a few more piano pupils; Mason system taught. Address Miss Grace Perkins, care of F. J. Miller, 335 Carleton avenue.

—The Camera Club has furnished its rooms with several handsome settees, which have been arranged artistically about the room. Arrangements are being made for an exhibition of slides soon to be given.

—Iona Council, Daughters of Pocohontas, have recently purchased several additional articles of paraphernalia from New York outfitters, which were used for the first time at the regular meeting of the Council last evening.

—The Y. M. C. L. A. of Elizabeth will be the guests of the Plainfield Bowling Club tomorrow evening in this city. A very interesting and lively game is expected, as the visitors have won the cup twice, and are trying very hard to secure it permanently.

—The extensive alterations that Edward White is making in his store cause no interruption in the large business that this house is doing. With double the floor space, they can display double the inducements to buyers who are looking for the place to make their money go as far as possible.

—Charles H. Hoyt has probably succeeded in pleasing more people than any other comedy writer of the age. Mr. Hoyt's masterpiece in comedy "A Texas Steer" will be presented in Music Hall Jan. 21, and there is no doubt the amusing old Texas Congressman, his bright daughter, the Negro politician, and the Investigating Committee from Texas will meet with the royal welcome that has always been theirs in this city.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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FRANCE'S GRAVE CRISIS

Casimir-Perier Condemned for Resigning.

Paris Still Intensely Excited—The Duke of Orleans Leaves London—M. Brisson in the Lead for the Presidency—Emperor William Regrets That a Change Is Necessary.

Paris, Jan. 17.—The resignation of President Casimir-Perier is regarded in the most serious light. The French press condemns his resignation as a "running away from fire." The opinion among others is that France is now in the throes of her most menacing crisis, that the action of Perier shows absolute instability of political conditions in France.

The city is intensely excited. Although the regulations forbid street venders from starting out with their wares before 8 o'clock in the morning (an ordinance which includes prohibition of the sale of newspapers by criers), the newsboys were allowed yesterday to begin their sales before daybreak. The streets were early filled with yelling boys, whose cries informed many persons for the first time of the resignation of the president.

The announcement came like a thunderbolt to thousands of persons, and every one was asking the reason for the president's sudden and seemingly unnecessary action. Various reasons were given by the newspapers, but none of them seemed to satisfy any great number of the people.

London advices state that the Duke of Orleans, chief of French pretenders, left London with his suite for Dover, where he will hold himself ready to start for France in case political developments favor his cause.

The conference of senators and deputies in the Palais du Luxembourg last night to elect a new president, finally dissolved shortly before 8 o'clock without taking a vote. In consequence of the refusal of M. Waldock-Rousseau to be a candidate, the union republicans and the union progressists have put forward as their choice M. Felix Faure. This leaves M. Brisson and Faure the principal candidates.

According to the latest estimates, M. Brisson will obtain 330 votes on the first ballot of the national assembly to-day.

Messages from Berlin state that Emperor William was informed early in the morning of the French president's resignation. He took his coffe rather hastily, and then drove alone from the Old Castle to the French embassy, where he had a long interview with M. Herbette.

The emperor expressed his high opinion of the president, and his regret that the sudden change had been deemed expedient.

REVOLUTIONARY SOCIALISTS.

Issue a Manifesto Denouncing Casimir-Perier.

Paris, Jan. 17.—The revolutionary socialists have sent out a manifesto in which they denounce Casimir-Perier as the representative of financial feudalism. They appeal to the people to obliterate the bourgeois government and to erect in its place the social republic, not hesitating to use violence if the men in power offer resistance. The manifesto has some effect upon the lower classes and has increased the general feeling of uneasiness. M. Lepine, prefect of police, has taken steps to suppress disorder at short notice in any part of the city.

Stole Champion Sky High.

Worchester, Mass., Jan. 17.—The stable of Harry W. Smith was broken into and the champion highstepper, Sky High, was stolen. The horse was driven desperately and evidently escaped from the thieves for about midnight he wandered into the stable yard of Flagg's hotel at North Crafton, utterly exhausted and bleeding from several wounds. Sky High has taken several prizes in the annual New York Horse shows, being the champion high stepper, and a prize tandem and light coach horse.

Defied the Judge.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—A jury in the United States court created a sensation yesterday by defying Judge Seaman and refusing to bring in a verdict in accordance with the court's instructions. The case at issue was the $25,000 damage suit of Marie Cahill, a girl, who was run over and crippled in 1892, by an engine of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, on the leased tracks of the stock yards company.

Will Put His Money on Schmehl.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Charles L. Hopkins, backer of Pedestrian Henry Schmehl, offered to wager John Chamberlain, of Washington, the backer of Edward Payson Weston, from $5,000 to $10,000 that Schmehl would walk from San Francisco to New York in less time than Weston, barring Sundays if desired, both to start together.

Corbett Lectures to Students.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 17.—Champion James Corbett appeared in a new role here last night at the invitation of the faculty of the medical department of Vanderbilt university. He delivered a lecture before the medical class on physical development. He was listened to attentively by the students and made a very clever argument.

Ex-Gov. Pattison Nominated.

Philadelphia, Jan. 17.—The democratic city convention yesterday nominated ex-Gov. Robert E. Pattison as the party's candidate for mayor of this city. The vote was 823 to 79 for Col. Banes. The convention was the most turbulent that has assembled in this city for a long time.

DESPERATE OUTLAWS.

Members of the Cook Gang Shoot a Man and Two Women.

Muskogee, I. T., Jan. 17.—James French and MacWilliams, the bandits who robbed Nash's store at Fort Gibson Monday night, rode up to Joe Gladd's house midway between Tahlequah and Fort Gibson last night and entered the room in which a boy was sleeping. They threatened to kill him if he did not tell where his father kept his money. The boy said he did not know and the desperadoes called to Mr. Gladd to get up. Gladd supposed they were friends and opened the door. He recognized French and Williams and at once shut the door and barricaded it. French ordered him to come out or he would set fire to the house. Gladd made no reply and the bandits began a fusilade through the door with their Winchesters. They left without entering. Gladd was shot in the arm, his wife in the elbow and his daughter in the arm, leg and thigh. The condition of the daughter is critical. The furniture was smashed by the bullets. The family could not get anyone to dress their wounds till morning when the old man rode to Tahlequah. Gladd is a wealthy German. The night before French and Williams met the Tahlequah hack containing eight passengers four miles from Fort Gibson, and attempted to hold it up, but the driver would not stop. A large posse of Tahlequah citizens and Indian sheriffs left for the mountains in which French and Williams are said to be hiding.

THREATEN TO DESTROY COLON.

Workmen Demand That Their Wages Be Raised.

Colon, Jan. 17.—Excitement prevails here among the native population, and the American residents are anxiously hoping for the arrival of a United States war vessel.

This state of affairs is due to the fact that placards have been posted in a number of public places announcing that a plot has been formed to destroy Colon by fire, and that this will be done if wages are not promptly raised in proportion to the cost of living.

The plotters are also threatening to destroy the property of the Panama Railroad company, an American concern, and they have threatened to kill the freight agents of the railroad.

The Americans and Europeans are taking measures to defend themselves and their property, and more serious trouble is anticipated.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

An Express Train Crashes Into a Derailed Car.

Hinsdale, Mass., Jan. 17.—There was a narrow escape from a serious railroad accident on the Boston & Albany road at West Jericho Ledge, about a mile west of this place at midnight. An eastbound freight train passing the point broke in two, and three cars were derailed, one flat car being thrown across the westbound track. Express No. 37, which left Boston at 7 o'clock last night was just due and the trainmen had barely time to leave the freight when it rushed by, crashing through the flat car and knocking it to pieces.

No one on the express was reported hurt, and the express after a short stop, went on to Pittsfield. The platforms on the express were torn off. A wrecker was sent from Pittsfield and the tracks were cleared by 9 o'clock this morning.

Each Win a Game.

Cleveland, Jan. 17.—A large crowd saw Ives and Schaefer play billiards last night at the Cleveland Athletic club. The table was more like a cellar door than a billiard plane which makes Ives big run remarkable. Two 300 point games were played, the first being straight rail in which Ives made a run of 132 but lost the game. Score: Schaefer, 300; Ives, 242. The second game was 14 inch balk line and was won by Ives. Score, Ives 300; Schaefer, 43.

Immigrants Landed at New York.

New York, Jan. 17.—The annual report of the Ellis Island Immigration bureau for the year ending Dec. 31, 1894, has just been made public by Commissioner Senner. It shows that during the year just ended the total number of immigrants landed at the port of New York was 167,665, of which number 98,031 were males and 69,634 females.

Falsified the Records.

Omaha, Jan. 17.—George H. Bowring, cashier of the broken bank of Stuart, was arrested on the charge of falsifying the records in order to deceive the bank examiner. Bowring obtained in July, 1893, a $2,000 note from a Stuart business man simply to use until the bank examination was over. The falsification has just been detected.

Bad Spanish Dollars.

London, Jan. 17.—The Central News correspondent in Madrid sends this dispatch: "A sensation has been caused by the discovery that 24,000,000 spurious Spanish silver dollars are in circulation. The coins are of the full mint weight; many are even slightly superior to the standard."

Gettysburg Electric Road Sold.

Gettysburg, Pa., Jan. 17.—The Gettysburg Electric railway has been sold to J. Luttrell Murphy, of Chicago, and Walter B. Kendall and John A. Connelly, of Philadelphia. The price paid is equivalent to $250,000. The purchasers obligate themselves to complete the road to the Maryland line.

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A APPALLING DISASTER

Butte's Citizens Stunned by the Calamity.

The Dead Horribly Mutilated—Portions of Bodies Picked Up All About the Scene of the Explosion—Houses Wrecked as if by a Cyclone—Only Three Firemen Escape.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 17.—The appalling wreck of life and property by the explosion has increased with further developments. The mangled remains of 6 human beings are at the morgue and more are missing. Over 100 are injured, many of them fatally. Every hospital in the city is crowded.

The citizens who escaped appear to be stunned and unable to fully realize the extent of the calamity.

Most of the dead are so frightfully mangled that identification is impossible. Heads, arms, legs, and other parts of bodies were picked up all about the scene of the explosion within a radius of five blocks. Fingers brains, and fragments of flesh were gathered up with shovels and deposited in baskets. Between the Northern Pacific and Great Northern depots, a space of about 300 feet, the ground was literally covered with parts of human bodies and with the dead and injured. The scene was one of horrifying, absolute destruction. Houses in the vicinity were as thoroughly wrecked as if a cyclone had passed through them. Otto Flotto says that while assisting in carrying off the dead and wounded he saw an object passing through the air and upon investigating found it to be a human head. Many of those killed contained no marks or bruises, having been killed by the concussion. Many were seriously injured by flying bricks, stones, and other debris at a distance of several blocks from the explosion. The concussion was felt for miles and many of the largest buildings like the Ousley block and Lewisohn building rocked like cradles.

A woman whose name was not ascertained, was so affected by the shock that she gave premature birth to a child in the street. It was reported by some of the rescuing party that several human ghouls while pretending to assist in the work, went through the dead and injured and robbed them. The dead body of a small boy, John O'Leary, was picked up in East Gold street, several blocks from the scene, after the second explosion had occurred. There were no marks on his body and he was evidently killed by the concussion.

Only three working firemen escaped being killed. Chief Cameron was blown to atoms, and the only thing found of him was his belt attached to a charred portion of his body. The firemen who escaped were David Moher, David McGee and J. H. Flannery.

McGee gives the following version of the appalling catastrophe:

"After reaching the fire we laid 1,000 feet of hose and Flannery stayed at the hydrant. I drove up to the building with the hose and then drove back about 200 feet and stopped. A moment later the first explosion occurred in the building and the flames burst through the roof but no one was hurt by this explosion. The boys then went back to the building again thinking the danger was all over.

"Jack Sloan came over to the wagon and got an axe and started to cut an opening to the building. My brother William got in the back of the wagon and advised me to drive further away for fear of another explosion. I told him there was no danger and got down to blanket the horses. I usually get off on the inside nearest the fire but this time the horses were between me and the fire and it is fortunate for me that such was the case. Just as I pulled the blankets down from the seat and spread one of them out to throw it over the horse, the second explosion came. I did not see anything and only remember hearing the awful roar and being knocked down.

"When I recovered a moment later I found the wagon partly on top of me with the tongue across my breast and the off horse was lying on top of me. The blankets had caught fire. Pieces of wood were burning all around me and I was momentarily choked and bewildered. I struggled to get loose but I was unable to free myself. People were screaming all around me, and crying for help. I could hardly make my voice heard. After a while a man came along and I begged him for God's sake to help me out. With his assistance, I managed to get out from under the weight that was pinning me down and struggled to my feet. I limped but was getting along slowly when a couple of men came along and carried me to the Harrison house. From there I was brought home. The last I saw of Jack Sloan he was pounding away at the door and when I saw Cameron last he was taking the kinks out of the hose between the wagon and the burning building. All of the other boys were close behind Sloan and they were certainly all killed."

Co-operative Plan Abandoned.

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—A special from Shawnee, O., says: "The co-operative plan of operating the mine at Shawnee has been abandoned. Captain Turney, of Columbus, the proprietor of the mine, stated to the miners that the only contract he could guarantee was one for 6,000 tons and the miners, after considering the matter decided that it would be best not to go to work upon that plan."

A Celebrated Racer Dead.

Freeport, Ill., Jan. 17.—May Marshall, 2:08½, by Billy Wilkes, died here of lung fever. She was owned by M. E. McHenry, who refused $10,000 for the mare. Her world record for pacing mares was made at Nashville, Oct. 19, 1893.

Killed by Avalanches.

Madrid, Jan. 17.—Avelanches have broken over several villages in Asturias and many persons are said to have been killed.

More Gold for Export.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The treasury lost yesterday $500,000 in gold taken out at New York for export. This reduces the gold reserve to $75,464,003.

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The Eskimo children are not indulged in a largely varied diet. But they are introduced to the family meals at a very tender age, and they are allowed to gorge themselves until they can eat no more. The Eskimos have been called a race of gluttons. That is unfair. They are primitive, uncleanly, and, in a passive way, wild. But it is unfair to stigmatize as gluttony the necessary replenishment of their greatly depleted organisms. The waste of carbon entailed by daily Eskimo life, with its active exercise and its constant exposure to severe temperature is enormous. The conditions of Eskimo life are so hard that the children are forced almost at babyhood to join in the daily occupations of the adults. So it is not strange that we find them gorging themselves like their elders. They eat seals' flesh, walrus beef, and bears' flesh; sometimes raw, sometimes partly cooked. Rats do not altogether escape the family pot. They suck blubber.

They devour all manner of eggs. The eggs of the eider ducks are their favorite dainty. They eat birds and fish, and mollusks, when they can get them. They depend very largely for sustenance upon the Iceland moss. Indeed, to many of the Eskimos, Iceland moss is what maccaroni and olives are to the Italians—what rice is to the Hindoos. The Iceland moss contains a bitter property which is nauseous to European palates, and when used as a food, not a drug, is very detrimental to health. But the Eskimos extract or neutralize this property. They chop the lichen into small bits, steep it for days in water in which is quicklime or salt of tartar.

Then they dry it, powder it, mix it with the flour of the knot grass, and make it into cakes. Or, if they have reindeer's milk with which to eat it, they boil it.

The Eskimo children go to no school. They learn nothing approaching book lore, save only the words of a few plaintive songs, and the superstitions of the Schaman, who is the medicine man, the priest, the conjuror of many of the Eskimo tribes.

Quaintly enough, Schaman is pronounced *showman*. And he is a showman indeed, and the children adore or fear him exceedingly. He makes wind and rain, casts out evil spirits, and is both medico and father confessor to the tribe.

In Greenland he is called Angekok Angekokism and Schamanism are nearly, if not quite, identical, and they embrace all the religion of which the Eskimo children of the far north ever hear. Of course the Eskimos who have migrated down toward the northern end of Anglo Saxon and of Norwegian civilization have been modified in many ways.

If the Eskimo child goes to no school of the ordinary kind, it goes to the most thorough of all schools, and in the busy academy of industrious daily life it learns completely each of the few things that it is necessary for an Eskimo man or woman to know.

The boys learn to find the nest where the wild sea birds lay their eggs. They learn to catch the eider ducks and to rob them of their soft warm down; they learn to fish in many odd and efficacious ways.

They learn to gather dry moss, to catch drift wood if any comes in their way and to extract blubber. These three things are their only fuels. They learn to make implements of peace and war, hewing them with stones out of stone. And they learn to wage war. Not with their fellow men but with the elements, and with the great sea monsters and the richly furred animals, from whom they wrest food, fuel, garments, and often the possibility of life itself.

They learn to disguise themselves in inflated sealskins, and so are able to creep up quite close to these, the most timid of all mammals. They learn to hunt the otter, the beaver, the sea horse and the ermine, the bear and the wolf. They learn to spear the salmon, the walrus and the whale. They learn to build canoes and snow huts. They learn to catch the wild birds with hand nets.

They learn to build sleds of the tusks and bones of great animals, to fashion lamps and kettles of soapstone, and to inlay their oars with quaint designs of ivory like bone and of walrus teeth. They learn to drive the long, mad teams of Eskimo dogs, and if they live in Labrador they learn to drive the wild reindeer.

The Eskimos live so near nature's cold north throne; they see so many wonders, which we cannot even dream, that they must always have for us a weird, strong fascination.

They know the marvel of 10,000 icebergs moored upon the black frozen sea. They see the superlative splendor of the Aurora Borealis. They know the sun that for months never sets. They know the night that for months never lifts.

The Eskimo girls learn to cook in a crude but adequate fashion. They learn to cure the skins of beasts and birds and to fashion them into rude garments. They learn to tend the soapstone lamps, which are their only fires, and must not go out, and to keep them always well fed with hunks of blubber.—Pall Mall Budget.

Very Likely.

When Whistler and and Wilde were intimate the artist named a cat which was presented to him "Oscar," as a tribute of affection to the poet. In due time Mrs. Whistler appeared at the studio door one morning, and announced:

"Dear! What do you think has happened? Oscar has kittens!"

A Long Felt Want.

Harry—Billy, did you read about that fellow who patented a self-opening umbrella?

Billy—Yes—but I'm going to beat him—I'm getting up an umbrella that will drop all to pieces the minute it is stolen.—Smith, Gray & Co's. Monthly.

One Man's Gain.

Mrs. Visitor—I hear that you have gained your lawsuit; and now of course you will go abroad?

Mrs. Athome—Oh, no! we can't afford to—but our lawyer sails next week.—Judge.

The Musical Prodigy.

"It strikes me that he has a good deal of assurance to call himself a boy pianist. He must be all of 25."

"Guess he is; but he plays like a boy of nine."—Indianapolis Journal.

THE SUN'S FASHIONS.

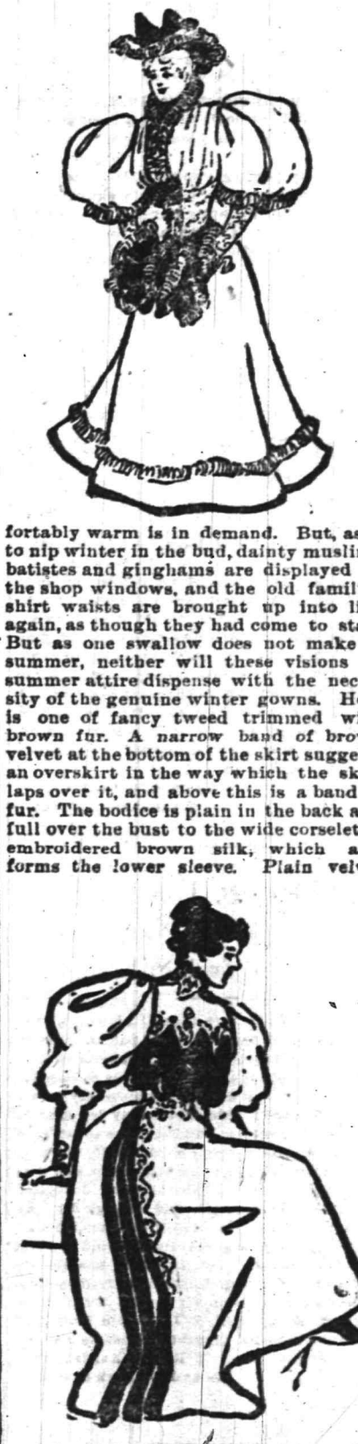
ANYTHING WARM AND COMFORTABLE IS FASHIONABLE.

Fur at This Season Can be Used as Lavishly as One's Means will Permit. Plainer Fabrics that will Stand the Crush of Outer Garments are in Vogue.

The midwinter fashion budgets are not especially fruitful in prophecies or productive of new ideas in modes, but any garment which suggests warmth has at least some elements of interest in these frigid days. Fashion repeats itself again in the revival of the old redingote or ulster which appears under the name of driving cloak, or pelisse, according to the elegance of the material of which it is made. Velvets, satin brocades, fancy velour, and rough and smooth cloths are used in its construction, and at present fur is the trimming. It is made almost tight fitting, double or single breasted, and finished at the neck with a collar and wide revers of fur, or two or three capes if preferred. One of the freaks of fashion is double revers of two kinds of fur, one

narrower than the other, and mink and Persian lamb make a desirable contrast. Some of these long coats are edged with fur down the front and blue Venetian cloth, trimmed with Persian lamb and jet, makes a very handsome garment for carriage wear. The one illustrated is of dark blue faced cloth, lined throughout with fur, double breasted and fastened with buttons. The seams are strapped and the collar is of Hudson Bay sable.

In gowns there is nothing absolutely new, yet there is no end to the variety in styles and trimming. Just at present anything which is fur trimmed and comfortably warm is in demand. But, as if to nip winter in the bud, dainty muslins, batistes and ginghams are displayed in the shop windows, and the old familiar shirt waists are brought up into line again, as though they had come to stay. But as one swallow does not make a summer, neither will these visions of summer attire dispense with the necessity of the genuine winter gowns. Here is one of fancy tweed trimmed with brown fur. A narrow band of brown velvet at the bottom of the skirt suggests an overskirt in the way which the skirt laps over it, and above this is a band of fur. The bodice is plain in the back and full over the bust to the wide corselet of embroidered brown silk, which also forms the lower sleeve. Plain velvet



may be used instead of the silk, and is quite as pretty. Satin ribbon to match the velvet is used for the bows. Velvet and satin ribbons are very fashionable for dress trimmings, and a few spangles adds greatly to their effect. For example, a rough brown cloth dress with a plain skirt and close fitting bodice is trimmed with black satin ribbon about six or seven inches wide. It forms bretelles, or shoulder straps, plaited in to about two inches at the waist, meeting at the back and following the line of a full yellow velvet vest in front. One long end falls down each side of the front almost to the bottom of the skirt, and irridescent spangles, in graduated rows, trim them up about a quarter of a yard. The spangles appear again on the shoulders, and the collar and belt are of yellow velvet.—New York Sun.

TRILBY WILL SET THE FASHION.

Pretty Women Will Go Barefoot to Bathe in the Sea Next Summer.

It is said that fashion next summer will kindly permit ladies at seaside resorts to bathe without stockings, and stylish young women are already having their feet prepared for next season's campaign. Many feet which look just too captivating for anything in shoes and stockings are not altogether lovely when exposed to view, and feminine owners of such defective extremities are now invoking the aid of the pedicurists to make them presentable. Civilization and tight shoes have inflicted many wrongs upon the human understanding, and many ladies recognize that if they are to make impressions upon the masculine heart, as well as upon the sand, with their feet next summer, they must put themselves upon a better footing.

There are comparatively few Trilby feet in real life; few which are perfect in form and entirely free from blemish. Nevertheless, Du Maurier's rhapsody over the beauty of Trilby's foot may be to a certain extent responsible for the general note of preparation for the exhibition of feminine feet next summer. Many women who have read his novel may be anxious to prove that they too have something in that line, not entirely unworthy of admiration. And why should not a pretty foot inspire the poet and the artist quite as much as a hand or a lady's eyebrow?

Great execution has been done with the feminine foot through all the centuries. Even with its charms concealed by shoes and stockings, it has proved one of the most formidable of womanly weapons. With it woman has lured man on, and on, and on; and with it, when she has wearied of playing with him, she has administered the coup de grace. But when it shines forth next summer in all its loveliness, unadorned by anything but its own beauty, it will be simply irresistible. No bachelor will be safe at the seaside. The most hardened and cynical will capitulate at the sight of the thousands of snowy feet pattering over the sandy beach in unconventional freedom, or demurely presented for masculine inspection and approval. But what will the girls of Chicago do?—Baltimore Sun.

ODD SOURCE OF REVENUE.

Millions Made On Misfortune and Carelessness.

The Government of the United States makes many thousands of dollars every year through the carelessness or misfortune of people with whom it has business to transact. Uncle Sam can figure out pretty well before the beginning of a fiscal year that so many thousand dollars will be put to his credit on "profit and loss" account before the year is over. This profit will come from bonds and bank notes destroyed and never presented for redemption, from money orders which are lost and never duplicated, and stamps which are not put to the use for which they were intended. These profits are never cast up, because debts of the Government are seldom outlawed. But they are as real as though they were credited to Uncle Sam on the books of the Treasury.

Of course it is no fault of the Government that this profit accumulates. Every effort is made to find the man to whom the Government is indebted, and every reasonable opportunity is given to him to claim the amount of indebtedness. In the case of a lost or stolen bond he has simply to prove ownership and give an indemnity bond to protect the Government against loss. In the case of a Treasury note injured by fire, he has to send in the charred remains and the Treasury experts will decipher, as far as possible the value of the pile (its original value) and the money will be restored to him. In the case of a money order, both the remitter and the remittee are advised again and again that the money remains unpaid.

Still, claims against the Government aggregating many thousands are left unpaid every year, and the total of even the last 30 years will run far up into the millions. Even in the matter of unpaid money orders the Government has just made an accounting of $1,300,000 earned in the last 30 years and now turned into the Post Office Department fund, probably never to be repaid to the owners of it.

The greatest source of unearned income of course, is the destruction of Treasury notes. Nearly $15,000,000 have been made by the Government up to the present day as nearly as can be estimated, by the destruction of Treasury notes.

Played Craps in Church.

At a revival meeting in progress at the United Brethren Church, Jeffersonville, Ind., an unusual occurrence took place recently, resulting in George Perry being bodily ejected by a courageous pastor, the Rev. A. M. Colvin. No sooner had Perry entered the edifice than he walked up the centre aisle and seated himself in the midst of the congregation, where he began a game of craps with an occupant of the pew. During his discourse the pastor's attention was attracted incidentally by the snapping of fingers and it was with difficulty that he could locate the sound. Soon his eyes centered on Perry and his companion.

Without further ceremony the reverend gentleman walked out of the pulpit to where Perry was seated. He demanded the dice and stakes, which were surrendered. The pastor then proceeded to put Perry out. He remonstrated, but Mr. Colvin whipped out a knife as a persuader. The sight of the weapon caused Perry to submit. Perry was not only taken to the threshold of the church, but the determined pastor held to his man until he was landed in jail and a charge of disturbing a religious meeting slated against him. Perry's partner escaped.

Duplicity.

"So you think she is two faced?"

"Certainly. I have seen her when her own showed through."—Detroit Tribune.

The blood goes to every part of the body. The sap goes to every part of the tree. A man's religion should go to every part of his life.—Ram's Horn.

Prayer is a golden key, which should open the morning, and lock up the evening.—Bishop Hopkins.

Men are born with two eyes, but with one tongue, in order that they should see twice as much as they say.—Cotton.

Never take your Christianity from Christians, but ask yourself, "How would the Lord have me act?" and follow him.—Sel.

A mote in the eye makes the whole world look wrong.—Ram's Horn.

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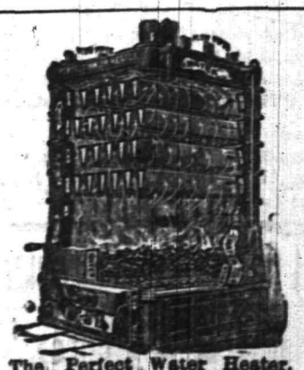

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS

Brave Soldiers In the Modoc War.

On the 17th of January, 1873, the United States forces attacked Captain Jack's famous stronghold in the Klamath "lava beds." The following pithy and concise report by the commanding officer, General Wheaton, led to the overtures by the peace commissioners which ended in the Canby massacre three months later:

"We attacked the Modocs on the 17th with about 400 men, good men, 225 of them regulars. We fought the Indians through the 'lava beds' to their stronghold, which is in the center of rocky fissures, caves, crevices, gorges and ravines, some of them 100 feet deep. In the opinion of any experienced officer of regulars or volunteers, 1,000 men would be required to dislodge them from their almost impregnable position with a free use of mortar batteries. No troops could have fought better than all did, advancing cheerfully against an unseen enemy over the roughest rock country imaginable.

"Our loss in killed and wounded is about 40. I have never before encountered an enemy, civilized or savage, occupying a position of such great natural strength as the Modoc stronghold, nor have I ever seen troops engage a better armed or more skillful foe." The actual loss was 11 killed and 21 wounded.

What made the task of the soldiers extra hazardous was the treachery of some armed Klamath "friendlies," who went along as scouts, but at the last moment deserted to the Modoc camp.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Morgan's Victory at the Cowpens.

The anniversary of the battle of the Cowpens (1781) falls on the 17th of January. On that date General Daniel Morgan and his valiant lieutenants, William Washington and John Eager Howard, broke the power of Tarleton's British partisans in the Carolinas. Lord Cornwallis, the British commander in the south, had sent the notorious Tarleton with 1,100 picked men to drive Morgan's force across the North Carolina border. Morgan accepted battle at the Cowpens, an eminence on the north side of Thicketty mountain. His troops were posted in three lines, the foot militia in front, the regular infantry next, the regular cavalry and mounted militia being held in reserve.

Tarleton opened the battle at 9 o'clock in the morning with a heavy cannonade and discharge of musketry. On seeing the preparations of the British, Morgan had addressed each line of his troops separately. The militia in front included the best riflemen of his corps — Carolinians burning for revenge on Tarleton's marauding Tories — and to them Morgan appealed to stand firm and take sure aim. Two volleys, he told them, would finish Tarleton's men.

COLONEL WASHINGTON.

The British rushed to the attack, pouring a deadly fire of bullets into the American skirmishers, who retired upon the flanks of the first line. The latter fired two volleys, as instructed by Morgan, but did not fall back until the enemy resorted to the bayonet, when they joined the second line and reserves in good order. Upon the main line, commanded by Colonel Howard, and Morgan in person, the British then devoted their full energy, but the American regulars held their ground. Tarleton's line began to yield, and calling up his reserves he ordered that the American flank be assailed. The movement succeeded, and Morgan's second line broke in confusion. At the same time Tarleton's cavalry legion, 350 strong, fell upon the American rear, encountering Colonel Washington and his sabermen, the "Old Guard" of the field. Washington charged the British horse, driving it back in confusion. Cheered by this turn of affairs, the Americans rallied and destroyed Tarleton's command.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Col. Moore Welcomed.

(New York Evening Post.)

Col. Waring's first acts as street cleaning commissioner vividly illustrate the difference between running the department for political purposes and for the benefit of the city. He reduced the general office expenses to the amount of $7,000, and he appointed as deputy commissioner a well-known civil engineer and contractor, Col. Chas. K. Moore, whose politics nobody knows anything about. Nobody can mistake the significance of such performances. They show that this important department of the city government is to be run on business principles.

—Al Heritage of Jersey City and John Benner of Fanwood will shoot a match at 25 live birds each, on the Climax grounds tomorrow.

—Rev. Dr. Byman who delivered an illustrated lecture on "London" last evening in the Monroe Avenue Chapel, will deliver another lecture tonight on the United States. All are invited.

—City Treasurer A. Titsworth has received from B. Holmes, County Superintendent, $12 652 84, being 90 per cent. of the State School tax, for the support of the public school, and has deposited in the bank to the credit of the Board of Education.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

T. S. Armstrong is ill with the grip.

Dr. Clark, who has been seriously ill, is better today.

Miss Alberta Irwin of Putnam avenue is ill with the grip.

Ira Huff of East Front street has gone to Jersey City to work.

Mrs. Jacob Benner of Orchard place is seriously ill at her home.

A. D. Shepard and family have gone to New York for the Winter.

Mrs. H. Dunn of Park avenue is convalescent from a recent illness.

Mr. Freeman of Watchung avenue is detained at home with the grip.

Frank Putnam is one of the latest to suffer from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Merrill of East Fifth street is visiting Rayville friends for a few days.

William M. Stillman is expected home from Bermuda Saturday, January 26.

Miss Edith Beach of Watchung avenue is another of the victims of the grip.

Clarkson Wilson of Somerset street is confined to the house with rheumatism.

Walter E. Probasco of East Front street is slowly recovering from the grip.

Miss Mabel Wilson of Putnam & DeGraw's is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. L. C. Van Nest of Duer street is confined to her home by an attack of the grip.

Mrs. McClymont's home on Steiner place is quarantined on account of scarlet fever.

Joe Trainer of LaGrande avenue is confined to the house with an attack of the grip.

F. A. Dunham leaves town tonight for a business trip to Pittsburg, Buffalo, and other cities.

Miss Jennie Frentz of Scotch Plains is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Putnam of Orchard place.

Mrs. L. B. Bromfield of East Sixth street is slowly recovering from a serious attack of influenza.

The youngest daughter of R. H. McCullough of Steiner place is suffering from an attack of grip.

Miss Marguirite VanZandt of Madison avenue is confined to her home with a severe attack of the grip.

Auguste Saltzman is ill with the grip; and his daughter, Mrs. A. S. Fritts, is threatened with pneumonia.

Mrs. Marsh of East Sixth street, who has been confined to her room with rheumatism, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Stephen Fitz Gerald of Somerset place fell on the sidewalk this morning and fractured one of her arms.

Mrs. Horace Martin of North Plainfield, accompanied by her two sons, are visiting Mrs. Martin's sister in Manasquan.

Little Henry Moore and his sister Charlotte of East Sixth street are confined to the house with a severe attack of the grip.

Benjamin Doane of LaGrande avenue is able to be out again after being confined to the house with a severe case of that old enemy, the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin I. Cooley and family of Rockview avenue take up their residence at Hotel St. Stevens, New York, Friday, for a few weeks.

Miss Ella Frentz has received word from her parents telling of their safe arrival in Charleston, S. C. From there they went to Avon Park, Desota County, Fla.

William J. Kitchen of J. Hervey Doane's jewelry store will attend the dinner to be given by the Alumni Association of Graduate Opticians at the Cafe Columbia, New York, this evening.

Mrs. J. U. Kipp of Central avenue is confined to the house by the grip. Miss Bertie Kipp is at home attending to her mother through her illness, from which she is recovering slowly.

The two youngest children of Mrs. Samuel Bingaman, Levi and Mary, of Richmond street, are up again. They have been victims of the grip. Mr. Bingaman's mother also has been confined to her bed with a severe cold.

A $15 Blow.

The long blow of the borough fire gong at 4:30 yesterday afternoon was caused by the contact of an electric light wire. Before the safety plug could be pulled out coils had been burnt out at a damage of $15, and the tapper in Chief George Fairchild's house on Grandview avenue was burned out, the fused rubber falling to the floor in a blaze and burning the carpet. Mrs. Fairchild was greatly alarmed.

Death of Col. Kean.

Col. John Kean, father of John Kean, Jr., died at his home at Ursino Lake this afternoon at 1:20, aged 81 years. He leaves a wife, four sons and four daughters.

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Good Time in a Good Cause.

The Women's Society for Christian Work of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church met in the church parlors yesterday afternoon for sewing. Refreshments were served from 6 to 8 and in the evening a sociable was given to the friends of the society. The good things were under the able care of Mrs. A. H. Lewis and Mrs. Nathan Randolph, and, of course, proved a very successful and enjoyable part of the sociable.

The literary programme was under the able direction of Harold Tomlinson, and consisted of a recitation by Miss Ethel Titsworth; a selection, "Sleep, Darling, Sleep", by a quartette composed of Mrs. C. H. Dunham, Mrs. Robert Gorton, Miss Ernestine Smith, and Miss Louise Lewis; a recitation by Miss Kizzie Naegle; and a song by the quartette. Each number was rendered in an excellent manner and was loudly applauded.

After the programme was completed, games were introduced. The name of some prominent author was written on a slip of paper and pinned on the back of each person in the room. Thus everyone knew the names of all except the one on his back and tried to guess that one from the questions asked him. This excited a great deal of merriment and interest and led to conversation both amusing and instructive.

The evening closed with a game called "Jacob and Ruth" which caused much laughter and was a fit closing for a very enjoyable evening.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The number of laths at the Babcock Building for the new lodge rooms is 65 000.

—Gosten Smalley of Greenbrook has broken ground for a new house near the bicycle track on Randolph road.

—A stageload of young people from Plainfield went last evening to Metuchen, where a dance was held at the home of Mr. Gaskill.

—A prayer meeting will be held in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed Church tonight at 8. A welcome is extended to everybody.

—Edward White, for the convenience of the public, will put a letter-box in front of his store at the curb, and also have stamps and other postal stationery on sale.

—Mrs. Charles Keller fell on the icy sidewalk in front of her home on Race street this morning. She injured her back so severely as to cause her to take her bed.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

DEATHS.

KOCH—In Washingtonville, Monday, January 14, 1895, Anna Margaretta, wife of J. H. Koch, in her 68th year.

Funeral from her late residence Friday, January 18, 9 at the house and 10 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church this city. Interment in Lutheran Cemetery Brooklyn. Train leaves Plainfield at 8:06.

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TONIGHT

EIGHT O'CLOCK.

Miss Addie Parker Jackson, Elocutionist.
Miss Kathryn Krymer of Brooklyn Contralto.
Miss Grace Parsons of New York Soprano.
Mr. Alfred Holmes, Barytone.
Mr. P. L. Conde and Miss Whiton, Violinists.
Proceeds in aid of Church Furnishing Fund.

ADMISSION.....FIFTY CENTS

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MUSIC HALL,

R. C. Varian & Co., Lessees and Managers.

Monday, Jan. 21

IF HOYT'S

A Texas Steer

was ever worth the price it is this season. Best company ever seen in it. New scale of prices—25, 35, 50, 75c, $1. Box office now open.

☞ Coming—The Ivy Leaf.

NORTH PLAINFIELD TAXES.

In conformity to law, the Taxes and Assessments against property in the Township and Borough of North Plainfield,

Remaining Unpaid

January, 31, 1895.

Will be recorded at the County Clerk's office as the first lien against your property, after which the names of such

Delinquents will be published.

H. N. SPENCER,
Collector.

1-17-12

MEDICATED

Sulphur and Vapor Baths,

followed by a thorough rubbing with alcohol; a wonderful help for rheumatism and skin diseases. For men only; hours 8 to 11 a. m., 2 to 8 p. m. H. HORNISH, 26 North ave., Plainfield, N. J. Refers to Drs. Probasco, Endicott, Fritts, Tomlinson, Geo. W. Rockfellow and T. S. Armstrong. 8 27

Joseph E. Mosher,

Agent for

H. J. Hayden & Co.,

WAR CLAIMS ATTORNEYS, WASHINGTON, D.C

All claims put in our hands will receive prompt attention.

Call at the Crescent Cigar Store for fine cigars

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

10 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

Plainfield, N. J.

Waisted Feeling.

The discomfort a lady has in a poorly fitting corset.

Buy Your Corsets at Peck's.

We are closing out about thirty lots of

Fine Stationery at 25c Qr.

Worth from 30 to 60c.

Only two quires to each customer.

R. C. RAND,

140 West Front st.

SEBRING, CLOTHIER,

Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

$15 suits for $10.

$12 ulsters for $8.50.

$15 overcoats for $10.

Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

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IT WILL PAY YOU

TO VISIT

EDSALL'S

Commercial Palace, Babcock Build'g

During the annual

January Clearing Sale,

NOW IN PROGRESS.

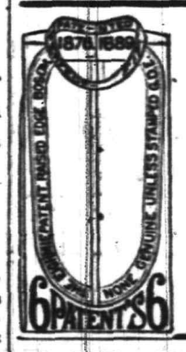
Hundreds of articles in the various departments are being closed out at cost and below cost.

EDSALL'S.

These Cold Nights

A pair of the Alfred Dolge Felt Slippers or House Shoes are a great comfort. They are the only pure wool felt shoes made in this country.

DOANE & EDSALL.



Here It is Again!

The very same, this year, last year, next year.

The Eighmie Shirt.

Best in the business and just as cheap.

HALLOCK, Men's Outfitter,

109 West Front street

AT YOUR OWN PRICE.

Odds, Ends and Remnants.

Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd,

73 Market St., near Plane St.

We find, after stock taking, several styles of Bedroom Suits, Parlor Suits and different patterns of Carpets that we do not intend to keep any more, and we will close them out at nearly your own price.

Parlor suits	$20
Bedroom suits	$10
Brussels carpet, per yard	50cts
Extra super ingrain carpet, per yard	50cts
Cotton chain ingrain carpet, per yard	25cts
Good bed lounges	$7
Parlor stoves	at your own price.

Note the name Amos before entering the store.

PORTLAND RANGES—The leading range in the city, and we will wager $25 that that there is more sold of that range than any other in the city. Why? Simply because it is the cheapest. Cheapest because it is the best; good baker, good draught and several improvements connected with it make it the most complete range manufactured. Easy terms.

STORING FURNITURE—At 88, 90 and 92 Bank st. You will find the largest and most complete storage building in the State. All locked rooms at reasonable rates. Furniture packed and moved with vans in city or county at moderate charges.

Telephone 580.

AMOS H. VAN HORN, Limited,

73 Market Street, nearest Plane street Newark, N. J.

Oil Heater Stoves,

Miller Lamps,

10 piece toilet sets decorated $1.25.

Gavett's,

Next to Post-office.

STEAM IS TOO SLOW.

ELECTRICITY PROMISES TO SUPERSEDE IT IN EVERYTHING.

A Successful Storage Battery will Revolutionize the Application of Power to Machinery. A Telephone in Which You Can See the Person You Talk to.

Marvelous discoveries made in the study of electricity have stamped this as the electric age and the old year of 1894 as one of the brightest periods in a new world-making era. Electricians declare that the age of steam is nearing its close; that this powerful agency, so potent in the development of the century, is soon to be superseded by the still more powerful and all-producing fluid—electricity.

Men are to-day millionaires who a few years ago were almost penniless, and were enriched solely by presents made to them of electrical invention stocks which the original owners considered worthless. This is notably the case with some large holders of Telephone stock.

Since the perfection of the telephone the advance in the application of electricity to the conveniences, comforts and necessities of business and life has been rapid and bewildering. And yet, electricity is still a mystery. Its subtle force still defies analysis, but the Teslas, the Edisons, the Hertzes and others continue to study, delve and experiment, and what other marvels are to be produced before the end of 1895 imagination is incapable of predicting.

Electric locomotives are entering into use, and electricians are confident that in the propulsion of railway cars steam will ere long be discarded. The success of electric motors for railways has been conclusively shown during the past year. Electricity has also displaced the old-fashioned horse power on canals, and manufactories are run by its power.

In all the cities of consequence on the face of the civilized globe the electric light has assumed proportions which threaten to ultimately extinguish gas illumination.

But perhaps the most important of recent discoveries in this wonderful force is the transmission of power over long distances. Rome, Italy, now gets its water power from the Falls of Tivoli; Sacramento, Cal., is preparing to use water power in the same way, the source of supply being distant twenty miles, and a company is arranging to distribute the wonderful energy of Niagara Falls all over New York. The motive power for the running of countless industries is soon to be taken from the New Jersey lakes and operated by electricity.

Inventors and discoverers, have, in the last twelve months, placed before the public thousands of contrivances, useful and ornamental, with electricity as their basis. From Edison's laboratory have come the kinetoscope and the kinetograph, reproducing by the union of photography and electricity the most rapid motions and changes of human, animal and vegetable life. It is said that from the same prolific source an invention is soon to come which will faithfully reproduce renditions of grand opera, portraying the costumes, facial lineaments and voices of those who take part in the representation.

This is to be done with the kinetoscope and the phonograph on a large scale. Private persons are to be in a position to give grand opera to their guests in their parlors, with perhaps, Patti, Melba, Eames, Nordica, the de Reszkes, Plancon, Tomagno and other lyric artists of to-day, in the roles for which they are now celebrated.

Only a few Sundays ago a person intimately acquainted with the work of Mr. Edison informed a Sunday Advertiser reporter that the Wizard has practically completed an instrument that will do this, and that the coming marvel may be credited to the inventions in electrical apparatus of 1894.

In domestic economy electricity has played a most important part during the past twelve months. Electric stoves for cooking and heating and electric apparatus for the laundry are among the new things. No fires are to be made, there is to be no dust nor smoke. Just press a button or turn a knob and the machinery of the household is put to working.

Inventors have been hard at work perfecting the storage battery, and now it is said the great difficulties hitherto in the way—weight and dimensions—have been overcome. A prominent electrician says that the storage battery has been brought to such proportions that it can be attached to a bicycle or a tricycle, and a lover of the wheel may save his pedal exercise by letting electricity do the work for him, while he speeds on his safety through the country.

If 1894 has been so prolific in the discovery of new uses for electricity, what will 1895 bring forth? It is predicted that inventions will soon be made by which the person talking to another over the telephone will not only be able to distinguish the voice, but also to see the image of the person with whom he is communicating. It was only lately that the long-distance telephone was perfected, and it is said that the telephone company and allied corporations have stored in their headquarters appliances and inventions which will vastly improve the present service.

Wonderful indeed has been the last year in electrical improvement; more wonderful will be 1895.—N. Y. Advertiser.

A Story of Tolstoi.

Leo Tolstoi, the Russian novelist, who has ideas of his own as to the right of the community to punish its offending members, saw the other day a policeman take an individual into custody. He at once walked up to the constable and said:

"Can you read?"

"Certainly, sir."

"Have you read the Scriptures?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then you forget that they command us to love our neighbors as ourselves."

The minion of the law, quite taken aback, stared at the Count; then, after a moment's reflection, made answer:

"And pray, can you read?"

"Yes."

"Have you read the police regulations?"

"No."

"Then read them."

How About This?

John Burns, M. P., says he will return to America next fall and lecture. Would a reasonable cash consideration induce him to stay away?—Chicago Tribune.

Jagwell—You can't get the truth out of a woman when you ask how old she is.

Wigwag—Oh, yes, you can. She usually tells you it's none of your business.—Philadelphia Herald

—Senate Lodge, K. of H., meets tonight.

—Happiness abides in the home of those who trade at Peck's.

—Boehm's bargains astonish everybody, and delight economical buyers His ad specifies some of them, but his store holds many not mentioned. The great granite sale is on in the basement.

—Shaving prices down to the half cent is mighty fine work. That what the Two Vans have done, and their full-column price list in The Press today affords an opportunity to make better use than ever of the money in hand.

—J. H. Tier & Son commenced cutting 9-inch ice Tuesday morning and worked nearly all Tuesday night and all day yesterday in the rain. They have 20 men at work. If the weather keeps moderately cool they will gather a full crop this week.

—Theodore Kurzhals, while walking on Park avenue yesterday, slipped on the ice and fell quite heavily to the sidewalk. His right arm, which had been sprained a few weeks ago, was given a severe shock and is now very sore from the effects of the fall.

—Do not fail to hear the charming contralto soloist, Miss Kathryn Krymer of Brooklyn, in the Congregational Church this evening; also Miss Addie Parker Jackson, the talented elocutionist. It will be a most enjoyable entertainment. Admission, 50 cents.

—A large and enthusiastic party was present at Zouave Armory Hall, Elizabeth, last evening enjoying the annual Railroad Men's Ball. Many from Plainfield, Dunellen and Roselle were in attendance. Peter Schneiderwind and wife of this city led the grand march. Many westbound guests came up on the paper train.

—The W. C. T. U. deserve great credit for their earnest efforts to please the Plainfield public and help their treasury by the series of entertainments just concluded. The public have not given the patronage they should, but the series has been most enjoyable. Tuesday night Mr Conde's boy orchestra was superb, and Marshall P. Wilder was as ever inimitable.

To tell the town of his new store
My neighbor scattered posters wide.
I used The Press—a page or more;
My store was filled; my neighbor—died.

PINKHAM'S
Vegetable Compound
Is a positive cure for all those painful
Ailments of Women.
It will entirely cure the worst forms of Female Complaints, all Ovarian troubles, Inflammation and Ulceration, Falling and Displacements, of the Womb, and consequent Spinal Weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the *Change of Life.* Every time it will cure
Backache.
It has cured more cases of Leucorrhœa than any remedy the world has ever known. It is almost infallible in such cases. It dissolves and expels Tumors from the Uterus in an early stage of development, and checks any tendency to cancerous humors. That
Bearing-down Feeling
causing pain, weight, and backache, is instantly relieved and permanently cured by its use. Under all circumstances it acts in harmony with the laws that govern the female system, and is as harmless as water. It removes
Irregularity,
Suppressed or Painful Menstruations, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Bloating, Flooding, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility. Also
Dizziness, Faintness,
Extreme Lassitude, "don't care" and "want to be left alone" feeling, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, flatulency, melancholy, or the "blues," and backache. These are sure indications of Female Weakness, some derangement of the Uterus, or
Womb Troubles.
The whole story, however, is told in an illustrated book entitled "Guide to Health," by Mrs. Pinkham. It contains over 90 pages of most important information, which every woman, married or single, should know about herself. Send 2 two-cent stamps for it. For
Kidney Complaints
and Backache of *either sex* the Vegetable Compound is unequaled.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills cure Constipation, Sick Headache, 25c.

All druggists sell the Vegetable Compound, or sent by mail, in form of pills or Lozenges, on receipt of $1.00. *Correspondence freely answered.*

You can address in strictest confidence,
LYDIA E. PINKHAM MED. CO., Lynn, Mass.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Curtis M. Thorpe and DeWitt C. Ivins of Plainfield, New Jersey, under the firm name of Thorpe & Ivins, and transacting the coal, lumber and mason's supply business at Nos. 301 311 Watchung avenue, in said city, expired on the second day of January, 1895, pursuant to the terms of the articles of partnership. The said DeWitt C. Ivins is authorized to settle all debts due to and by said co-partnership.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 12, 1895.

CURTIS M. THORPE,
DE WITT C. IVINS.

Having purchased the entire interest of Mr. Curtis M. Thorpe, of the firm of Thorpe & Ivins, we will continue the business under the firm name of DeWitt C. Ivins & Co., Capt Wm. B. Ostrom having this day been admitted as a partner.

DE WITT C. IVINS,
WM. B. OSTROM.

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VAN'S 2 VAN'S

"ECONOMY" SALE,

Friday, Jan. 18,
Saturday, Jan. 19,
Monday, Jan. 21.

Bleached Pillow Muslins

1⅛ yard wide.....8c yd
1¼ " .....9c yd
1½ " .....11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins.

2 yard wide.....14c yd
2¼ " .....15c yd
2½ " .....16 yd

YANKEE NOTIONS.

Good pins.....1c paper
Basting cotton large spools..1c each
Hair pins all sizes.....½c paper
Darning cotton.....½c card
Wire tea strainers.....1c each
Nutmeg grater.....1c each
Carpet tacks.....1c paper
Mustard spoons.....1c each
Lamp wicks.....½c each
Moulding hooks.....½c each
Hooks and eyes.....1c card
Hooks and eyes (patent....3c card
Safety pins all sizes.....2c dozen
Curling irons all sizes.....3c each
Jet-head mourning pins.....3c box
Black pins.....4c box
Curtain pins.....2c dozen
Wire coat hangers.....3c each
Corset steels covered.....5c pair
Ball darning cotton.....2c ball
3 yard velvet binding.....3c piece
Sink hovels.....5c each
Sink scrubs.....3c each
Stove cover lifters.....3c each
Egg whips.....3c each
Soap shakers.....8c each
Toilet soap.....3c cake
Pot chains with handles....5c each
Asbestos stove mats (bound) 5c each
Coffee pot stands.....3c each
Sad iron stands.....3c each
Toilet paper.....5c package
Ammonia.....5c bottle
Shoe dressing.....5c bottle
Standard glass lamps complete.....15c each
Barbours linen thread.....4c spool
Covered dress stays.....2c dozen
Stockinet dress shields.....8c pair
Pure rubber dress shields..10c pair
Black sewing silk 80 yds....4c spool
Wash tubs small.....35c each
" medium.....55c each
" large.....75c each
Wood water pails.....10c each
Seamless ½ hose.....4c pair
Mens heavy white shirts and drawers.....29c each
Bone hair pins.....1c each
7 inch horn bones.....3c dozen
8 " " " .....4c dozen
9 " " " .....6c dozen
10 " " " .....7c dozen
Hair crimpers 2 dozen.....5c
Machine oil.....5c bottle
Blue Seal Vaseline.....5c bottle
Gents linen collars.....8c each
Shelf oil cloth.....5c yard
Gloria silk umbrellas.....89c each
1 yard bleached muslins—Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy all at 6½c yard

Van EMBURGH,
CORNER STORE,
Babcock Building.

A CORN-CURE THAT CURES CORNS.

We have never said much about our Corn Cure—though it is one of the best made—because the market is full of cures, so-called. But such positive testimony to its merits has recently been volunteered that we feel justified in "talking up" this little specialty. Our COLLOID CORN CURE is easily applied, gives relief quickly, and will cure every case of Corns, hard or soft, that can be cured, if used as directed. Sold in square vials with brush for applying. REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY, Park and North avenues.

CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. Dr. Edwards

Will remain one week longer until 7 a. m.,
Thursday, January 24.
CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,

one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Can be consulted at the City Hotel, Room 2, one flight up. 1 9 6

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

BOARD—To let, pleasant room, good neighborhood, central location, home comforts; a few table boarders also taken. 303 West 4th street, near Central avenue. 1 10 tf

GREAT sacrifice; for sale, 3 properties 5 minutes from depot; 2 with modern improvements; price less than mortgage. For particulars address O, Thorp, 325 West 2d st. 1 17 3

SALE by auction; antique and other furniture in old Norton property, 5th st. and Park avenue, on Saturday, Jan 19, at 2 o'clock sharp. T. J. Carey, auctioneer. 1 17 2

TOP buggy wanted. Address S. T. H., care Press.

WANTED—Clerk in Insurance office. Apply between 8 and 9 a. m., 163 North avenue.

WANTED—A thoroughly competent nurse. Call at 703 Watchung ave. 1 12 tf

WANTED—A reliable girl for general housework. Call 905 West Front street. 1 16 2

WANTED—House 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; reasonable rent; possession April 1. Address "Ed", care Press. 1 17 tf

$3,000 TO LOAN on bond and mortgage Charles L. Moffett, att'y, cor. Park and North aves 1 16 2

MIDDLE aged woman wants situation as cook and laundress; prefers good home to high wages. Call 23 Harmony street. 1 16 2

WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

WANTED—May 1, house with improvements, stable, grounds; $30 to $35 rent. Address Permanent, care Press. 1 11 6

NINE-room house and stable for sale or to let; 112 Lafayette place; rent $18 per month. Stable to let, room for 6 horses; $10 per month; Watchung ave. Do you intend to move in the spring? If so, call and get a list of houses I have to let and for sale. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. Office open every night from 7 to 9 o'clock. 1 14 6

EIGHT-room house for sale or to let 69 Manning ave; price $3,100; rent $18 per month. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung ave. 1 14 6

$10,000 TO LOAN, amounts to suit; gilt edge real estate. Mulford, broker. 1 14 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 1 4 tf

ROOM to let with or without board. 321 East 5th st. 12 29 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

TERRILL & COLE,
Undertakers and Embalmers
200 West 2d street.
Next to Trinity Reformed Church.
First-class livery attached.
Telephone 158 11 26 y

H. Hand,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER.
15 YEARS EXPERIENCE.
Residence and postoffice address
SCOTCH PLAINS, N. J.
Office in Plainfield at Terrill & Cole's livery, 200 West 2d st. 1 12 tf

RECEIVER'S SALE
.....OF.....
Personal Property
AT HOTEL NETHERWOOD,
.....ON.....
Tuesday, January 22,
at 10 a. m.

The subscriber, receiver of Hotel Netherwood Company, will sell at public auction, on the premises, at the hotel, all the goods and chattels and Personal Property of said Company, consisting of large quantities of carpets, furniture cutlery, silver and glassware, linen table cloths, sheets, towels, napkins, etc.; Also bed clothes, blankets, comfortables, counterpanes, 60 porch chairs kitchen utensils. Also feed pump, deep well pump, boilers, Young & Thomas engine. Also all laundry machinery, washers, wringers, French mangle, etc., tables, diningroom ware and hundreds of articles too numerous to mention.

A grand opportunity. Terms made known on day of sale.

W. E. CODINGTON, Receiver.

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SPECIAL SALE
. . . . IN BASEMENT.

The economical buyer will take advantage of the sale of Granite ware in our basement this week. These are

First-Class Goods--Not Seconds.

We handle only the best and sell them at astonishingly low prices. The Prices we have put on this Granite ware is less than the wholesale price.

Tea Pots, 2 quart, 52c., regular price, 69c.
" 1 " 45c., " " 53c.
Tea Kettles, 91c., regular price 99c
Lipp Sauce Pan, 19cts. " " 25c.
" " 29cts. " " 35c.
" " 31cts. " " 37c.
" " 43cts. " " 49c
Wash Basin, 23cts. regular price, 27cts.
Water Pails, 12c., regular price, 17c
Cedar Tubs, 50c., 60c., 75c.

SPECIALS:

Laundry Soap 3c. cake, Washing Powder, 3c. cake. Silexo, 4c. cake. Pearline ½lb. 4c package

DINNER SETS.

100 piece Dinner set $6.75, $7.29, $7.99, regular price, $9, $10, $11. For other articles necessary in your kitchen or dining room call and price our goods,

Turn Your Search-Light

upon our display of Dress Goods, also the low prices and you can plainly see that our prices and quality of goods can not be equaled in the city. Just received a new supply of those Flannels 38-inch wide, all-wool, 25c, worth 40c, 15 pieces changeable worsteds, one yard wide 15c, worth 25; 10 pieces Scotch Plaids, 7-8 yard wide 12½c worth 20. All of our 65c Cashmeres and Serges reduced to 50c for one week only,

Coats and Capes.

We have simply torn the linings out of the prices on our Coats and Capes, We are satisfied to close them out at less than it costs to manufacture them

Remnants

of all descriptions on our centre counter at at just half their value. These remnants containing enough for waists or skirts and the prices we have placed on them can not help but sell them. Don't forget Granite Sale in Basement,

BOEHM'S,
113 WEST FRONT STREET.

M. Powers & Son,
Superior quality of
LEHIGH COAL.
No. 2 Coal Only $3.75
In the yard A No. 1 Kindling Wood.
Yard and office, 763 South Avenue. Down town office 171 North avenue, opp. depot. 1 11 tf

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Mosler Patent Safes.
(fire and burglar-proof) in general use
All Over the World
Lowest prices Special attention and information given by
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118 West 5th st., Plainfield N. J.
Large assortment of second-hand safes in first-class condition at low prices.

BAR-LOCK VISIBLE WRITING TYPEWRITER

Writes every letter in sight of operator. Does most of the work, in writing AUTOMATICALLY, and yields in the time thus saved additional work.

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Ladies heavy ribbed vests - 25 cents
" " pants - 25 cents
" merino vests and pants 33 cents
Men's shirts and drawers - 35 cents
Children's heavy seamless hose 12 cents
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No profit here for us. We don't want any garment we have and they are yours at your own price

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"I consulted physicians and took their treatment, but got no better. They said it was a severe case of prostration of the nerves but they could not help me. I took many kinds of medicines, but without benefit.

"I continually grew worse until, if the least excitement came over me I was completely exhausted, and obliged to give up entirely and go to bed. I was a complete wreck for about two years. During this time I doctored continually but without any good results, for I had pains all over my body and suffered awfully.

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There are thousands of persons who are not sick with any particular disease, but are just out of order, have weak nerves and tired bodies. They do not eat or sleep well and wake tired mornings with dull-feeling head and coated tongue. They don't feel well, have lost their snap and energy, and work has become an effort. All such people will find in Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy the magic wand which will make them well.

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THE INCOME TAX FIGHT

Senator Hill's Amendment Defeated.

Urgent Deficiency Bill Passed—Currency Talk in the House—Republicans Claim To Be Ready to Support a Proper Measure—Mr. Simpson Creates Merriment.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The debate on Senator Hill's amendment to the urgent deficiency bill, in reference to testing the constitutionality of the income tax, occupied most of yesterday's session, and ended in the rejection of the amendment by an overwhelming majority. Mr. Vest's reminisences of the events of the last session while the tariff act was hanging in suspense between the two houses, were of considerable interest and importance, and his declaration that the president ought to call congress in extraordinary session immediately after it adjourned without proper financial legislation, attracted attention.

The urgent deficiency bill was finally passed and the senate at 5:45 adjourned till to-day.

In the House.

The usual dreariness of debate in the house upon general appropriation bills, the Indian bill being under consideration, was relieved by an unexpected digression into the cause of the defeat of the Carlisle currency and banking bill. It was precipitated by Mr. Walker (rep., Mass.), who made the statement that the republicans were ready and willing to support a proper measure for the relief of the country. To this, Mr. Warner (dem., N. Y.) responded that the republicans were seeking an excuse for their action in defeating the rule for the consideration of the Carlisle bill, in connection with those democrats who had voted with them, and he said the statements of the gentleman from Massachusetts were a mere pretence.

Mr. Money (dem., Miss.) speaking for the free silver democrats denied responsibility for the failure of the rule, and charged it upon the committee on rules who had refused to permit an understanding to be had that a vote on the Bland free silver substitute should be taken.

Mr. Catchings (dem., Miss.) defended with some feeling the action of the committee on rules, saying it had been dictated wholly by the instruction of the democratic caucus.

Mr. Reed (rep., Me.) said that the situation, in a nut shell, was that the Carlisle bill fell of its own weight, because everybody recognized that it never could have received the votes of a majority of the house. The duty that devolved upon the democrats was to give the government sufficient revenues to meet expenditures; that would restore the credit of the government and relieve the general financial situation.

Mr. Simpson (pop., Kan.) raised a laugh by stating that in view of the reluctance of the old parties to assume responsibility for the defeat of the Carlisle bill, he would be proud to take it for the populists. He would also propose a plan for relief, as both the old parties were backward in that respect; use silver to pay government obligations; coin the silver seigniorage in the treasury and issue treasury notes. Messrs. Bland dem., Mo.) and McRae (dem., Ark.), also contributed to the digression, which then closed.

FOR POLITICAL ECONOMY.

Donation of $50,000 for a Chair in the Catholic University.

Washington, Jan. 17.—It is learned here that at the banquet which followed the dedication of the "Sancta Maria Home" for working girls, at Providence, R. I., recently, Mr. Joseph Banigan, the well known rubber manufacturer and the founder of many charitable institutions, handed Bishop Keane, his special guest on that occasion, a check for $50,000, to found a chair of political economy in the new school of the social sciences of the Catholic university of America, in Washington.

Tried To Wreck Trains.

Palmer, Mass., Jan. 17.—James Lambera was arrested last evening on information furnished by Charles F. Thompson, held for breaking into the state primary school. In October, of 1893, obstructions were placed on the New London, Northern railroad track and the offense was repeated in November. Thompson has confessed that he and Lambert did this.

A Ticket Agent Missing.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 17.—Howard Jolly, passenger agent for the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad and ticket agent for the Cotton Belt route in this city, has been missing nearly a week and his friends and bondsmen are alarmed. He was heard from in Kansas City last Thursday. His accounts, it is alleged are short nearly $3,000.

Central Pacific Six Per Cents.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The first bonds issued 30 years ago in favor of the Central Pacific railroad, known as the 6 per cent. subsidy bonds, became due yesterday and the treasury under the law began their payment. The first batch amounts to $2,362,000 and interest since Jan. 1, 1865. No more of these bonds will be due this year.

E. F. Shepard's Personal Property.

New York, Jan. 17.—M. L. Ransom, who, some months ago, was appointed by the surrogate to appraise the value of the personal property of the late Elliott F. Shepard, finds that the par value of the personal property left by Mr. Shepard is $939,246.20, and the appraised value $1,037,556.16.

Montana Elects Senators.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 17.—Lee Mantle, of Butte, and T. H. Carter, of Helena, were elected United States senators in joint assembly. Both are republicans. Mantle gets the short term and Carter the long one.

Lord Randolph Churchill Sinking.

London, Jan. 17.—The bulletin issued by Lord Randolph Churchill's physicians at 10:25 last evening says that the failure of the heart is very marked and the patient's weakness is increasing.

LIVED TOO HIGH.

Labor Leader Burns' Constituents Excited.

London, Jan. 17.—The publication of stories describing the luxurious manner in which John Burns, the labor leader and member of parliament traveled during his recent visit to the United States, and the description given of the life which he led aboard the Cunard steamship Etruria, "eating turtle soup and hobnobbing with millionaires," are causing much excitement among his constituents in the Battersea division of London.

The Evening News devotes a page to describing the travels of the labor leader. Mr. John W. Benn, M. P., who accompanied Mr. Burns to the United States, last evening explained to a large audience at Assembly hall, Mile End Road, this indulgence in luxuries.

He said that he was ill and consequently obliged to travel first-class. Therefore he asked Mr. Burns to share his cabin, that the latter might nurse him.

TESTED HAYWARD'S NERVE.

Twin Sister of Catherine Ging Faces Him.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 17.—Harry Hayward's nerve did not desert him when the state's attorney brought the supposed murderer of Miss Catherine Ging suddenly face to face with Miss Julia Ging, of Auburn, N. Y., the twin sister of the murdered woman. The meeting was arranged for the purpose of trying the nerve of Hayward, no intimation being given him. The prisoner looked up calmly in his cell, bowed and said:

"From appearances, I should say this was Miss Julia Ging. Is not this Miss Ging?"

The woman gave a nod of affirmation only. Hayward went on to protest his innocence, and declared he could convince Miss Ging if he had a long talk with her. His visitor repeated the prisoner's words:

"Time will tell."

BATTLE OF KAI-PHING.

Liu Outgeneralled and Many High Officers Killed.

London, Jan. 17.—The Times correspondent in Tien-Tsin says:

"Authentic details of the battle of Kai-Phing are scanty. It appears that the Japanese outgeneralled Liu. Among the 2,000 killed were many high officers. General Shui and Ma were near the scene with a sufficient force, but they held aloof."

The Times correspondent in Pekin telegraphs:

"There are riots and lootings in the provinces of Shan-Tung and Pe-Chi-Li. The mission stations are believed to be safe, but the missionaries would be wise to retire to the coast."

ILL TREATED AN AMERICAN.

Struck by a Turkish Officer, Who Will Be Punished.

Constantinople, Jan. 17.—Upon the representation of United States minister, Mr. Alexander W. Terrell, the captain of gendarmes of the town of Kausa, in the Sivas district, has been summoned to this city in order to undergo punishment for ill-treating Mr. Hubbard, an American missionary. It seems that Mr. Hubbard was on his way to call upon an Armenian friend when the captain stopped him, demanded his passport, took him to a police station, and struck him. Mr. Hubbard was finally released, and placed the matter before the United States minister.

Mrs. Meyer Discharged.

New York, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Marie Meyer, wife of Dr. Henry Meyer, the celebrated poisoner, was discharged in the court of general sessions yesterday for lack of evidence. Mrs. Meyer was charged with being an accomplice of her husband in the poisoning of Ludwig Brandt or Baum, in a flat on Thirteenth street, for the purpose of securing insurance money upon the man's life, and the case attracted wide attention. Dr. Meyer was convicted and sentenced to state's prison for life. He is now serving his sentence.

Murderer White Sentenced.

Malone, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Isaac White, who has been on trial for over a week for the murder of Mary La France, his mistress, on the St. Regis Indian reservation, near Hogansburgh, on the night of August 21 last, was found guilty last evening and was sentenced by Judge Kellogg to die in the electrical chair at the Clinton state prison during the week beginning on March 8.

Fought for Blood and Money.

Kenton, O., Jan. 17.—A savage prize fight with four-ounce gloves took place near here between Sherman Johnson and John Munson, for $100 a side and a purse of $200. Johnson was declared the victor at the end of the eighteenth round. Both men were terribly punished. There had been bad blood between them and they met to settle it.

"Manon" a Success.

New York, Jan. 17.—Massenet's opera "Manon" was produced last night at the Metropolitan opera house with Miss Sibyl Sanderson in the title role. It was Miss Sanderson's debut before the American public and it was entirely successful.

Speaker Crisp Ill.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Speaker Crisp did not attend yesterday's session of the house. He has been under the doctor's care for several weeks. His trouble is not serious.

Admiral Erskine Succeeds Hopkins.

London, Jan. 17.—Vice-Admiral J. E. Erskine has been appointed to the command of the North American station to succeed Vice-Admiral Sir John O. Hopkins.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR—Fair. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.85.

WHEAT—Dull. No. 2 red, 62½c.

CORN—Quiet. No. 2, 51¼c.; steamer, 49¼c.

OATS—Fairly steady. No. 2 white, 37½c.; No. 2 mixed, 34c.

PORK—Firm. Extra prime, 13.50@16.00; mess, 12.75@13.25.

LARD—Quiet. January, 7.00.

BUTTER—Slow. Creamery, state and Pennsylvania, fresh extras, 23@23½c.; creamery, western extra, 25@25½c.

CHEESE—Dull. State, full cream fancy, 11¾c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Dull. Western, 21½c.

SUGARS—Firm. Granulated, 3 13-16@4c.

WILLING TO ARBITRATE

Concessions from Trolley Car Strikers.

The Strike May End To-Day—No Serious Acts of Violence Committed—Cars Run Under Police Protection—Armories Guarded by Volunteers—Loss to the Companies.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 17.—The third day of the battle between the trolley companies and their employes resulted in a slight advantage for the companies. Three lines out of the 48 tied up were operated under police protection, but the ranks of the strikers are still intact. Late in the day the striking motormen and conductors laid certain propositions before the state board of arbitration, which may result in a settlement of the strike by compromise to-day. Pending such an outcome there was a truce in hostilities, and rioting was not resorted to.

Practically the surface lines of the city were paralyzed. The public, as usual, was the greatest sufferer. The great army of residents of the city who are engaged in business in New York, had much difficulty to get to the bridge and ferries. The elevated roads were unable to carry the crowds, although they pressed every car into service and worked their employes extra time. A severe storm of rain, snow and sleet prevailed all day and added to the misery of the pedestrians, who plodded through the sloppy streets to and from business. Hackmen did a rushing business at fancy prices, and all kinds of vehicles were pressed into service. Shoppers, and people upon pleasure bent remained at home, and the big dry goods stores were empty all day.

No serious acts of violence were committed by the strikers, and though the entire police force of the city was on duty there was little for the blue coats to do.

The fear of violence or a disinclination to patronize trolley cars operated by green hands kept the public from patronizing the few surface cars that were running. President Lewis, of the Brooklyn Heights company, said he had plenty of applicants for the strikers' places and would put on many more cars, but for the lack of police protection. Each car is run with a policeman on the front platform and another at the rear end. As the total Brooklyn police force numbers only 1,700, and as large details are necessary at the car houses and stables and at threatened points along the lines of the different companies, the number which can be spared from regular patrol duty is inadequate to operate many cars. Running cars is therefore largely a question of police protection. There has been talk of asking aid of the sheriff and of having the militia ordered out, but there is no disturbance of the peace to warrant such action. The armories are guarded by volunteers from the different regiments as a precaution, but unless the situation undergoes a decided change there will be no bayonets in this strike.

Labor leaders stated last night that the men were willing to make concessions on some points, but would insist upon the recognition of their organizations by the signing of an agreement to succeed the one which expired December 31 last.

The state board of arbitration will lay the propositions of the men before the presidents of the roads and will expect a reply to-day. In substance the strikers propose that both sides waive all demands, and submit the whole matter to the board of arbitration for decision, each side agreeing to abide by the result.

Chairman Edward Feeney, of the board of arbitration, said that he believed from talks he had had with the presidents of the roads and with the leaders, that some arrangement will be made by which the strike will be called off.

Master Workman Connolly says that not one of the 6,000 men on strike has deserted, that he is assured of outside financial aid, and that the men can hold out indefinitely if no agreement is made by the companies.

The tie-up of the Brooklyn trolley lines is costing the companies a mint of money. It is estimated upon the basis of the figures furnished by the different companies of their average daily traffic, that they have been losing between $30,000 and $40,000 a day ever since the strike began.

It is estimated that the daily gross receipts of the Brooklyn City company line are about $20,000. The Atlantic Avenue company receives about $9,000 a day from passengers, and the De Kalb and Franklin avenue system about $3,500 a day.

A Traveling Salesman's Suicide.

Buffalo, Jan. 17.—Robert T. Palmer killed himself by shooting at his home No. 1,036 Bouck avenue, last night. For several years he had been employed as a traveling saleman by E. K. Tryon & Co., of Philadelphia, manufacturers of sporting goods. His friends can assign no cause for his rash act.

Reunion of Mosby's Command.

Alexandria, Va., Jan. 17.—The re-union of Mosby's command in this city brought together about 150 of the survivors of that historic band, including Colonel Mosby, Lieut.-Col. Chapman, Major Hart and Captain Chapman. Many of the men have never met since the command was disbanded in 1865.

The Ohio's Tributaries Booming.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 17.—There has been a heavy rainfall in the mountains south of here and the tributaries of the Ohio are booming. Timber rafts by the hundreds have started from the headwaters. They are composed of the finest quality of wood.

Decorated with Black Eagle.

Berlin, Jan. 17.—Emperor William has conferred upon Count Shuvaloff, the retiring Russian ambassador, the decoration of the Black Eagle.

Midwinter Carnival.

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—Great preparations are being made here for the midwinter carnival that will be held during the latter part of January.

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For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 3 37, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 10 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 3 33, 5 06, 6 36, 7 46, 8 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 9 39, 9 06, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12 7 20 7 46 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

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For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

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For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 06 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 06 p. m., week days.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 6 30, 8 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 10 45 A. M., 1 10, 2 00, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 5 20, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 6 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 8 32, 6 ...6 39, 7 26, 7 32, 8, 8 46 9 32, 10 06, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 34, 6 34, 7 02, 8 30, 10 17 11 32 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 32, 10 06, 11 30, A. M 12 32, 1 45, 3 20, 6 36, 7 11, 8 32, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

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Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AN SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 46 2 06, 3 22, 5 45, 6 06, 6 05, 6 14, 6 54, 6 54, 6 06, 6 19, 8 22, 7 12, 7 54 8 21, 10 26, 11 22 P. M. 12 26 night Sunday—6 45, 8 26 9 54, A.M., 2 06, 3 25, 6 14, 6 55, 10 16, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 30, 7 00, 7 36, 7 56, 7 46, 8 20, 9 06, 9 46, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 46, 2 06, 3 25, 4 26, 5 26, 6 56, 8 17, 8 45, 11 06, P. M. Sunday 6 25, 8 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 06, 1 20 5 06, 6 45, 8 02, 8 04, 9 40P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 3 06, 5 06, 5 14, 6 26, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M. 3 06, 6 26, P. M.

Leave Easton 8 06, 7 00, 8 56, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m, 5 06 p.m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.*

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 06 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 36 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 p.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 06 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 9 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 6, 10 27, a. m 1,18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 9 37, 6 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 06 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 6, 10 27 a. m., 1 18 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 46, 9 40*, 10 48, a. m., 12 46, 2 09*, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 09*, 5 14* 6 39 p. m., 1 12 night.

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RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA, Reading terminal, 4 10, 8 30, 9 10, 11 35 a.m., 1 30 3 40 5 15, 6 04, 8 25 p.m. 12 10, night.

Sundays—4 10, 8 30, 9 30, 12 35 a. m., 3 30, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—2 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19 a.m. 3 40, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 55, 12 19 p m. 3 30, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 55, 9 06, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28* 5 54, 9 05 p. m Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16*, 4 32 6 45*, 9 03 p. m.

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WHERE WASHINGTON QUARTERED IN COLONIAL DAYS.

Commodore Vanderbilt Courted Sally Lake Within Its Historic Walls. In Turn the Home of Royalists and Patriots. Relics of Ancient Times.

We have no Tower of London, with its horrible and bloody memories, yet we have many places where cluster interesting bits of history, tragic in some instances, pathetic and romantic in others, and comical and humorous in the extreme in many others. The old Austin house on Staten Island is one of these places where history records not only the sublime but the ridiculous under one roof.

This charming old residence, the ancestral home of the Lake family of Staten Island, was built somewhere about the year 1710, and is situated on Pennsylvania avenue, Clifton, Staten Island, north of the Quarantine station and near the waterside, with a beautiful lawn where lilacs and wistaria bloom in their season and venerable shade trees, moved by the breezes of New York Bay, nod their welcome to the approaching visitor. The waters of the bay lap the foot of the lawn, making music in harmonic cadence to the sighing wind through the branches of the tall trees. Many other buildings of ante-Revolutionary days have passed into oblivion, but it seems as if one has been preserved expressly to keep in memory the historic associations which cluster about it.

During Revolutionary times this old mansion was in turn the abode of Loyalists and Patriots, and a scene of love occurred there which ended in a tragedy and which has given rise to the story that some of its chambers are haunted.

This same house was Lord Howe's headquarters when he came to New York in 1776 with his 10,000 red coated British troops and bloodthirsty Hessians, and later on under the same roof Benjamin Franklin and Lord Howe discussed the terms of peace.

A good story is told of how near General Washington, commander-in-chief of the Continental Army, came to being captured by some of Lord Howe's marauders at this house. It was while the campaign was on in New Jersey that General Washington ventured over on Staten Island, accompanied by a portion of his staff. Noon found them at the Lake homestead, where Washington was a welcome guest at all times, and while they were sitting at dinner a troop of British cowboys and Tories rode into the dooryard and began to hitch their horses. They had evidently been riding hard, and several of them showed evidences of fighting, as they were covered with blood. They were in bad humor, that was evident, and as they caught sight of the American officers' horses they at once surrounded the house and prepared to close in on its inmates, who they knew must be of considerable importance from the trappings on their horses.

Just as Washington and his aides were about to make a fight for their escape there came a shout from the road leading to the south, and the British marauders flew to their horses and scampered away. In a minute, two companies of continental dragoons swept into the yard with Richard Henry Lee, "Lighthorse Harry, the Gamecock of the Santee," and Col. Aaron Burr, the quartermaster of the Continental Army, at their head.

What makes the old house especially interesting at the present day is the history told by a pane of glass in one of the windows. On this window pane, which is carefully guarded, is scratched the words: "Sall Lake, C., 1812." To the uninitiated this does not stand for much, but it meant much for the man who left his mark there, and the man was Cornelius Vanderbilt, the elder, better known as "The Old Commodore."

Many years ago Mr. John H. Austen, while acting as a member of the crew on Commodore Vanderbilt's yacht during an amateur race, called his attention to the old house and told him how it had charmed him when a boy and that he had made a resolution to own it if he was ever able to buy and it was for sale, and that it had finally came into his possession.

"I know the place well," returned Commodore Vanderbilt. "I courted my first love in that house and she was one of the prettiest girls I ever saw. Her name was Sally Lake, and the Lakes were at that time wealthy and I was poor. I loved her, but her mother was a worldly wise woman and objected to my courting her daughter. When I asked the reason the old lady said:

"'Well, Corneil, if you want to know so bad I'll tell you. You're a poor shack, and you will never be able to support Sally as a woman of the Lake family should be supported, and I won't have her marry such a poor devil as you are.'"

The Commodore then told Mr. Austen that on a certain window pane in the upper story he would find the inscription: "Sall Lake, C., 1812." He said he had cut it there while the beautiful Sally stood beside him, he with one arm about her waist, while he used the diamond ring on her finger to cut the inscription. The letter C., he said, stood for his own name, and the figures for the year.

It is said that both Mrs. Lake, who objected to Sally's marrying "such a poor devil" as Cornelius Vanderbilt, and Sally lived to see the "poor shack" worth $20,000,000 and become the king of American financiers. If that be true, and it doubtless is, there must have been an amount of deep thinking on the part of the scheming mother and the fickle Sally.

Since Mr. Austen has owned the old house, and that is for over two score of years, he has gathered many articles of historic value within its walls. Between the huge oak beams which form the ceiling timbers are panels of English deal taken from a British ship captured during the Revolution. In his parlor is a link and bolt of the great chain which was stretched across the Hudson at Fort Clinton, West Point, to prevent the British from ascending the Hudson, the chain having been made by Peter Townsend, the grandfather of Mrs. Austen. A portrait of the patriotic blacksmith is also among the relics as well as many other articles of lesser value.

Ample Compensation.

"Will you kindly take off your hat?" said the gentleman behind the girl with the mammoth headgear, "I won't see my $1.50 worth of the show if you don't."

"No, sir," replied the girl, amiably, as she turned around and smiled serenely upon him. "You may be deprived of a show worth $1.50, but please to remember you are permitted to see a hat worth $35. —Chicago Record.

ACROSS THE ISTHMUS IN '49.

A Lady's Experience During the Gold Excitement.

From a recent work of Sarah Merriam Brooks the following experiences are taken:

At the end of nine miles of railway on the Isthmus, passengers and baggage were transferred to boats on the Chagres River.

"Our boat took twenty people and the baggage, which was piled in the centre in a sort of pyramid. The boat was a flat bottomed affair, with a seat which ran all around the inner edge. The outer edge was provided with a wide board, which served as a sort of promenade for the boatmen. They had large poles which they stuck from the prow of the boat into the bottom of the river, and held there while they trotted back, and the boat glided along under their feet. We had eight of these boatmen—big, black fellows, almost naked. Desperately ugly in looks, they proved equally so character. For the first hour or so it was cool and the river was shaded by trees. Then the sun came out with a fierce heat which caused the perspiration to pour off the boatmen in copious streams, and eventually made them discard their solitary garment. The female portion of our company sought the seclusion of their umbrellas, whereupon the gentlemen commanded the boatmen to resume their garments. A stormy scene ensued, with the result that at the first hut we came to on the bank of the river our men deserted and left us to our fate. Their excuse was they wanted breakfast, but after waiting an hour for them, and being nearly suffocated with heat, a delegation of well armed men sought them out and found them fast asleep under the trees. They were yelled at and prodded with sticks, but being half drunk it was hard work to awaken them. After much threatening with knives and pistols, they sullenly came down to the boat, our men bringing up the rear with their weapons very much in evidence.

"They stopped that night at Taveneer. The boat was run up on a beach, and we all got out, so cramped, sore and miserable altogether, as to make walking, even the short space required, almost an impossibility.

"After a supper, which they could not eat, had been offered, the travellers climbed a ladder into a loft. After we were all up the men looked around for their separate quarters, and lo and behold! there was only the one garret for us all. The beds were single cots—no pillows, blankets, or bedding of any kind. There were not enough cots for even the women and children, so the men had to take the floor.

"The crying of children with fever and thirst, the chattering of monkeys, the shrieks of night owls, and every form of expression possible for paroquet made night hideous. It seemed as if every tree in the dense forest by which we were surrounded was the home of beast or bird and teeming with life which had been hidden away or slept during the day. Then the woods were as silent as is every living thing had been suddenly struck dumb.

"There was another sleepless night, which was divided into watches for fighting the numbers of flying and creeping things, which, attracted by our light, would swarm in the moment a door was open. The morning light showed us many dead things which made us shiver, slain by a vigorous hand wielding a woman's shoe—our only weapon.

The next morning my breakfast consisted of some black liquid in a coffee cup and a piece of dark bread. Dipping the bread in the cup we ate what we could, hoping for noting but to sustain life until we reached the steamer.

"It was a novel experience, reaching the steamer. There was no wharf or landing place. All about in the water were natives, big and little, old and young, and among these small boats were tossing idly about. Further out nearer the steamer many large barges or lighters were hurrying along, each one trying to get its human freight first on board.

"I saw all this, but still wondered how are we to get there? All at once, without a word of warning, I was grabbed from behind. One black arm was around my waist and another under my knees, and I was lifted up and carried straight out into the water. I wanted to scream, but a laugh from the doctor and a shout from Lena, who was treated the same way, changed my mind. The water deepened so gradually that it seemed a long time before we reached one of the small boats which I had looked upon as idle things, and into which we were dumped without ceremony. Our lighter was the last to reach the steamer, and as we came up to her there were still two to unload before our turn came. It was high noon, and the heat was intense. I doubted if I could live until those boats were unloaded."

The Race of 1895.

After all, Valkyrie III. will come next autumn to make the ninth attempt to regain the America's Cup into the possession of Old England. We felicitate the yachtsmen of both countries on the making of the match—those of America for not letting themselves be rattled by irresponsible chatter and bad manners on both sides of the ocean, though mainly on the other side, the Royal Yacht Squadron for the reconsideration of its unwarrantable resistance to the deed of gift, and, lastly, his Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, for pulling his fellow boatmen out of a muddle into which courtesy didn't lead them. We confess that during the late unsatisfactory stage of the negotiations for this coming race our confidence in his Royal Highness as the "first gentleman of Europe" was somewhat shaken. Extraordinary as it may be, the attack on the legal validity of the instrument by which an American club holds a challenge cup presented by American owners was made chiefly by English yachtsmen or by those here representing them.

The Old, Old Question.

Young man on the downward road,
As you wander round about,
Stop a moment and reflect—
Does your mother know your route?
—Chicago Tribune.

That man may last, but never lives,
Who much receives, but nothing gives;
Whom none can love, and none can thank,
Creation's blot, creation's blank.
—Gibbons.

Look full into thy spirit's self,
The word of mystery scan!
What if thy way to faith in God
Should lie through faith in man!
—Bright.

There is more poison in the handle of a spear than in the point.—J. R. Lowell.

MRS. LEASE ANGRY.

She Settles a Hotel Bill Incurred in Behalf of the Populist Party.

It was a hard matter to find a member of the Populist party who took a prominent part in the late campaign in this county yesterday. Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Lease quietly came to the city Sunday night. The object of her visit was well known to the Populist leaders, and they made themselves scarce during her stay. She left the city early yesterday afternoon, and they then began to appear from over the State line.

One mission Mrs. Lease came down on was the settlement of her hotel bill of $4.50 contracted while making speeches in this city for the Populist Central Committe during the campaign. She left the bill unpaid with the understanding that the Central Committee would pay it. After the campaign was over, and the committee failed even to make an excuse for not paying the same, Mr. Allmon, the proprietor of the hotel, sent the bill to Mrs. Lease. She in turn forwarded it to the Populist Central Committee, and the members of the committee refused to pay it. Mrs. Lease was very angry when she heard of this, and wrote a very spirited letter to the committee, in which its members were arraigned in harsh language. That is the reason the members of the committee made themselves so scarce.—Kansas City Times.

Sir Walter Scott's Dogs.

Sir Walter Scott was a great lover of dogs, and always had fine ones around him. One day, in conversation with a friend, he said:

"Those dogs," pointing to two fine hounds lying on the hearth, "understand every word I say."

The friend expressed his doubts of this statement. Sir Walter, to prove it, took up a book and began thus to read aloud:

"I have two lazy, good for nothing dogs, who lie by the fire asleep and let the cattle ruin my garden."

Both dogs instantly sprang up and ran out of the room, and finding no cattle in the garden returned and lay down by the fire. The baronet again read aloud from the book the story. Again the dogs ran out and again returned disappointed and lay down. The third time their master told the story, when instead of going out the dogs came up to him and looked him in the face, whined, and wagged their tails, as much as to say, "You have made game of us twice; you cannot do it for the third time."

To Get Rid of Them.

What is the matter with sending Mary Lease, Wheels-in-His-Head Waite, Jerry Simpson, and others of that stamp, over to Europe to tell the people over there what uncout savages they are? English and French people come to America to do this, and charge admission.—Atchison Globe.

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THE PRESIDENT GIVES OUT AN INTERVIEW ON HAWAII.

Echoes of the Sugar Scandal of Last Session. The Government Saloon Again Attacked. Sugar Bounty Unconstitutional. Cleveland and Hill.

The crusade of Senator Allen, begun the other day against the privileges granted to one Page, who keeps a restaurant in the national Capitol, will no doubt be appreciated along the shores of the Platte, however it may be on the left bank of the Potomac. The Nebraska Senator says that Mr. Page, occupies, free of charge, seven or eight of the best rooms in the splendid building, four being devoted to the dispensing of food to hungry Senators; that the Government through the Senate's contingent fund, pays for every stove and range in the kitchen and every article of kitchen furniture. It pays for every pound of fuel used in Page's cooking, for all his lights, and even for all the ice, the latter alone to the tune of about $300 a month. Last year, as Mr. Allen is informed, the ice bill was over $3,000, and the Government also paid for washing Mr. Page's rooms and cleaning his carpets. In looking over the bills for 1892, Mr. Allen found a purchase on one day of 170 yards of Axminster carpet and 106 yards of other carpet for the restaurant, at $2.50 per yard put down, making $680 for that item alone. A few years ago the kitchen was remodelled and fixed up, and the bill was $11,000, paid by the Government. In addition to the annual interest on that sum represented in the permanent fixtures, the Government pays, it appears, "fully $700 a month," for what is consumed in the form of ice, fuel, lights, and so on, or about $8,000 a year.

The Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, through Justice Shepard, has delivered an opinion affirming the decision of Judge McComas in the District Circuit Court refusing to grant the application of the Miles Planting and Manufacturing Company of Louisiana for a mandamus to compel the Secretary of the Treasury and the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to make an examination of the sugar produced by the company, preliminary to the payment of the sugar bounty for 1894, which Secretary Carlisle refused to pay on the ground that the new Tariff law repealed the bounty provision of the McKinley act. The most interesting feature of the Court's opinion is its practical declaration that the granting of bounties is unconstitutional.

It is announced here that John J. Ingalls will cancel his dates to lecture in Iowa and other States and arrive at Topeka on the 14th to witness the inauguration of Gov.-elect Morrill. This has created a stir among the Senatorial candidates, who vie with each other in declaring that Ingalls cannot possibly win the Senatorship. The contest is exceedingly animated, but J. R. Burton is in the lead, and his friends say he will certainly win. The first ballot will probably stand: Burton, 28; Ady, 17; Thacher, 17; Leland, 16; Hood, 19; Smith, 5; Ingalls, 4, and Hatfield, 1. The estimate is made from the inside figures secured by the managers of the various candidates.

There is no doubt whatever that President Cleveland did send Senator Hill a friendly autograph letter, asking him to dine at the White House that memorable Thursday night, and everybody in Washington is wondering what it all means.

President Cleveland's statement touching the unpublished features of his Hawaiian policy caused the greatest surprise in Washington. The President's methods of communicating with Congress are both various and unusual. Sometimes he adopts the plan of the Constitution, which has been followed by his predecessors, and sometimes he transmits his views by means of personal letters to members of the House or to the Governor of Georgia. In this particular case he has struck out a new path for himself. He has replied by a newspaper interview to words spoken in debate by a Senator. In his statement the President said: "Soon after the overturning of the late government of the Queen I investigated that transaction, and was satisfied that there had been such an unjustifiable interference in aid of that movement, on the part of the representatives of the government of the United States in its diplomatic and naval service, as to call for correction, not only to rectify what seemed to be a wrong done to others, but also, through that rectification, to ward off what appeared to be a danger to American honor and probity. Fully appreciating the constitutional limitations of my executive power, and by no means unmindful of the hindrances that might arise, I undertook the task. Having failed in my plans, I committed the entire subject to the Congress of the United States, which had abundant power and authority in the premises."

The Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia has rendered an opinion sustaining the decision of Judge Cole in the case of Messrs. Chapman and Macartney, the stock brokers who refused to testify before the Senate sugar investigating committee regarding individual speculations by Senators through their firms. Judge Cole's decision overruled a demurrer filed by the brokers to the Government indictment. The other recalcitrant witnesses are Henry O. Havemeyer, John E. Searles, President and Secretary, respectively, of the American Sugar Refining Company; E. J. Edwards and J. S. Shriver, newspaper correspondents, and Edward A. Seymour, stock broker. The offence charged in the indictments is punishable by a fine of not more than $1,000 nor less than $100, and imprisonment in jail for not more than twelve and not less than one month.

ROGER LEWIS.

The Baptist Minister's Home.

Did you ever hear of the word pastorium?

The word is the coinage of Dr. M. B. Wharton, the Baptist minister, formerly of Montgomery, Ala. He found a lamentable absence of words to indicate the residence of a Baptist preacher—the Methodists with their parsonage, Episcopalians with their rectory, but a Baptist minister had no name for his home.

Mr. Wharton settled it. Pastorium was the word.

It has now gone into the language.—Atlanta Journal.

A Needed Reform.

Methinks that for mankind 'twould be a splendid thing, indeed,
Now that divorces cheap do rule the day,
If the solemn marriage service should quick be changed to read:
To love, to honor, and to stay.
—Buffalo Courier.

FAMOUS DAYS OF THE DELEVAN.

The Old Albany Hotel Was the Haunt of State Legislators for Half a Century.

Politicians of the older time have had their memories quickened by the fire that destroyed the famous Delavan House at Albany. No doubt the stories that the walls of the noted rooms in the hotel could have told would have discounted all other reminiscences, but the walls were wisely silent in their day, and even now the people who are best fitted to talk are equally dumb on many interesting subjects. Indeed, it is doubtful if the political history that is yearly made in this city is ever faithfully written. There are times and occasions when the truth itself is dangerous.

To two of the rooms peculiar interest attached from such associations. These were parlors 57 and 454. In 57 that noted old warrior, Dean Richmond, for many years held forth to the confusion of his opponents in the political field. In it Stephen A. Douglas received his friends when swinging round the circle in the Presidential campaign of 1860. Andrew Jonnson also had his quarters there when he visited Albany with Grant, Seward and others in his search for a renomination to the Presidency. The memory of the big reception which was given the party is yet clear in the recollection of many who then enjoyed the scenes which accompanied the event. Governor Hoffman also had rooms on this corridor when he came to Albany for his inauguration in 1869, and subsequently Tilden, who was his campaign manager, also came to the Delevan when his own turn came in the whirligig of politics.

Most of all, this parlor was remembered as having been occupied by the lordly Conkling in that notorious contest known as the Platt-Conkling fight. It was there that Arthur received the news of the assassination of Garfield while in the very heat of the campaign that did not end in the vindication of either Mr. Platt or Mr. Conkling. Possibly this was the fiercest and most far reaching of all the struggles which made the old Delevan House noted far and near. It certainly involved the most men, and others besides Mr. Platt yet live to regret it. No other event has been more generally recalled by the fire, except, perhaps, the Senatorial contest between Morton and Miller, which resulted in the landing of the astute Hiscock, whose cards were played by "Jim" Belden. The combination of the Morton and Hiscock forces left Mr. Miller outside the breastworks and also left memories that are bitter even to this day.

Even livelier scenes are recalled by the mention of parlor 454. This was a part of the suite occupied by Tweed in his palmy days, when tradition says he had doors cut through and a private staircase put in to suit his own ideas of convenience and security from observation. Connolly and Genet and all those who became more or less famous through the methods used to overcome opposition and do business made this suite their headquarters. For some reason the idea prevailed that this room was lucky, and it was much sought after by aspirants for political honors, especially Speakership candidates. General Husted, in his day, would have reckoned himself homeless when a fight was on unless he was housed in its familiar walls.

THE WONDERFUL GRAND CANYON

More Impressive Than Niagara, More Beautiful Than the Alps.

There are many wonders within the limits of the Yellowstone Park, but of them all there is nothing so wonderful as the Grand Canon of the Yellowstone River. One can at no season of the year view this tremendous gorge without a sense of awe at the work of the Titanic elemental forces which have hollowed it out of the enduring granite of the hills. There is an impression of unspeakable solemnity conveyed by this giant spectacle, and no American looks upon it without a sense of absolute humility and insignificance. The thought, the meaning, the expression of the Grand Canon is something the human mind is unable at first to grasp. There is no coup d'œil possible there; there is no definite thought resultant upon any single glance at the Grand Canon, no matter how comprehensive, or how perspective that may be.

The Grand Canon refuses to be compassed at a glance. It demands faithful, patient, humble study. More impressive than Niagara, more mighty than the sea, more beautiful than the Alps, it offers to the visitor an enigma capable of solution only after long and reverent acquaintance. To attempt to see the Grand Canon in an hour on a day is rediculous. To attempt to see it as one of a crowd is a wrong to one's best self. To study it hour after hour, to drink in with unabated zest the same view time after time, day after day, to see the mountain lights and shades give a thousand differene expressions to the face of nature, and to learn some new feature even at the last visit to some point of view—these are the things which make the visitor and observor at first curious, then wondering, and then we may say worshipful. Not even the most blase world trotter was ever heard to express disappointment with the Grand Canon of the Yellowstone, and it is singular to notice the universally respectful and subdued comment upon it by even the most casual and flippant visitor.

There are very few persons who have seen the canon in winter time, and it may be well believed we made the most of our rare privilege. It was risky work approaching the great walls on the skis, but we managed to get to different points commanding full view of the main portion of the canon and of both the Great Falls and the Upper Falls of the Yellowstone. The Great Falls were encased in vast white columns of ice on each side, and from them arose a noble pillar of dense white vapor. Never again shall we see a more remarkable sight than that thus presented to us on that clear winter morning.—Phila. Press.

The Mysterious Disappearance Syndicate.

A Mysterious Disappearance Syndicate has been discovered to exist. Two Atchison men who disappeared were members of it. The syndicate provides a place for them to go to, making an exchange with men in some other part of the world who want to disappear. Shortly after the disappearance of the two Atchison men, it is claimed two strangers of retired habits, evidently not wishing to be known, came here, and have lived here ever since. It is claimed they were exchanged for the Atchison men.—Atchison Globe.

It is very natural for a young friend and a young lover to think the persons they love have nothing to do but please them.—Pope.

How They Grew a Bell.

At the beginning of the last century the only church bell at Grosslaswitz, Germany, was so small that its tones were not sufficient to penetrate to the ends of the village. A second bell was badly wanted, but the village was poor and where was the money to come from? One Sunday when the schoolmaster, Gottfried Hayn, was going to church, he noticed growing out of the churchyard wall a flourishing stock of green corn, the seed of which must have been dropped by a passing bird. The idea suddenly struck him that perhaps this one stalk of corn could be made the means of procuring the second bell they wanted so much. He waited until the corn was ripe and then he plucked the six years on it and sowed them in his own garden. Next year he gathered the little crop thus produced and sowed it again, until at last he had not room enough in his garden for the crop, and so he divided it among a certain number of farmers, who went on sowing the ears until, in the eighth year, the crop was so large that when it was put together and sold they found that they had money enough to buy a beautiful bell.—Harper's Young People.

How to Tell Them Apart.

The essential difference between a painter and an artist is that the painter is almost always certain of a steady job. —Somerville Journal.

Almost as Bad as Living Pictures.

Mr. Backbay (serving the dinner)—Will you have your turkey with or without dressing?

The Boston Young Woman (blushing furiously)—I certainly want it fully dressed.—Chicago Record.

EXCAVATIONS in Babylon have brought to light a number of bricks, the stamps on which prove them to be at least 4,000 years old. They appear to be as good now as when they were first baked.

And They All Were Silent.

"Why," asked the philosopher, "why is it that a man, the noblest created object, why is it that a man should have such doubts of his ability to win a woman's affection when he considers the success in that line of a pop eyed, pudding shaped, pretzel tailed pug dog?"

But the assembled listers answered him not.—Indianapolis Journal.

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—Collector H. N. Spencer publishes today his annual reminder to tax delinquents.

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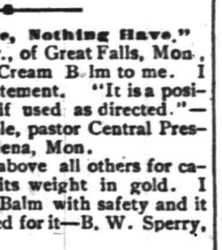

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DR. CLARK GETS BETTER.

His Household Annoyed by Letters Suggesting Remedies.

Dr. C. H. Clark of East Second street, whose serious illness has had the attendant feature of constant hiccoughing not uncommon in elderly people, is slowly and steadily improving under the care of Drs. Jenkins and Hallock. His hiccoughs have been eight to the minute, but yesterday morning, at the end of the seventh night and the beginning of the seventh day of the hiccoughing, Dr. Clark fell asleep and for about fifteen minutes slept naturally without a hiccough. On his awakening the trouble immediately reasserted itself, but Dr. Jenkins, who was present at the time, feels much encouraged by the little interval of cessation. He ascribes this to the use of the homœopathic preparation of hyoscyamus, which throughout has seemed to have an alleviating effect. So long as it shows any good effect at all the other remedies of which so many have been suggested will not be tried. Most of them are impracticable in this case, since the patient's weakened condition renders any but mild remedies too dangerous. Meantime the letters of advice keep coming, but so long as Plainfield has faithful and reliable physicians the whimsical and often nonsensical suggestions will not be heeded. The hiccoughs are growing lighter under the treatment of Drs. Jenkins and Hallock, and they are confident he will be cured.

They'll Save the Horses from Falling

In talking with The Daily Press yesterday about the use of rubber-protected shoes on the fire department horses, Chief Doane said that the same kind of shoes had been adopted on horses in the New York department with good effect, and that Chief Bonner had put them on his own horses. The rubber sole to the shoes is of similar consistency to that used in bicycle tires, but is more highly vulcanized. In the saving on floors alone they are a benefit. The new floor in the Headquarters had to be roughened with a crowbar before the horses could stand on it, and the danger of dashing to fires over slippery pavements is well known. The foot of a horse is as sensitive as the foot of a man, and the troubles that afflict a horse are often traced to improper care of the feet. The patent shoes are considered as being easier for the horses to wear, and as the horse has to keep his shoes on all the time what is easiest to wear is a matter of great importance. The sample shoes for Plainfield have arrived and will be tried at once.

Rooters, Attend!

Don't forget the contest of the series for the Journal League trophy at the Trade Temple alleys this evening. The Y. M. C. L. A. bowlers, who have held the trophy for two years, must be defeated tonight, and every rooter in the club is expected to invite their rooting friends to carefully file their voices in anticipation of the requirements of the evening.

Cut His Ankle with an Axe.

While Anthony Armstrong was felling trees on W. L. Freeman's property on South avenue, Netherwood, last Wednesday the axe slipped, severely cutting Mr. Armstrong in the ankle, and rendering him unconscious. A physician was hastily summoned from this city, who found it necessary to take several stitches in the ugly gash. Mr. Armstrong will be unable to walk for a week.

Col. Moore's Improvements.

Col. Charles K. Moore, New York's new deputy commissioner of street cleaning, has already succeeded in improving the service, by adding three more scows to the number already in use for carrying away the city's garbage. He says he hopes to have a full fleet of twelve or thirteen in operation in a day or two. Heretofore only seven or eight scows have been in use.

Where is John Heneesy?

John Heneesy of North avenue, Netherwood, who went to Newark Tuesday to purchase oil, has not been heard of since and his wife becoming anxious at his continued absence started out in search for him this morning.

—Frank Splane, an employe of Homan's blacksmith shop, met with a painful accident yesterday. In shoeing a horse, the third finger of his right hand was caught between the shoe and the hoof, and was crushed severely. It will be several days before he will be able to use the hand.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

SAYS HE PAYS TOO MUCH.

A Plainfield Householder Warns Local Merchants of Their Alleged High Prices.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: Won't you oblige me by publishing the enclosed most sensible and pertinent article on the present cost of living, and the strained relations between the consumer and butcher and grocer and candlestick maker, as to the cost of living, etc.

(From The New York Sun.)

Thoughtful people are impressed with the circumstance that notwithstanding the hard times, from which the whole country is suffering, prices, especially for the absolute necessaries of life, remain practically unchanged.

It is true that a dollar will go much further nowadays in the purchase of dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes and furniture than ever before; but in the matter of rents, groceries, bread, butchers supplies, poultry, fish, fruits, vegetables, etc., the prevailing prices to tenants and consumers are as high as, in some cases higher even, than they have averaged for some time. Why is this? There seems to be no good reason why prices should not be scaled down and adjusted to the existing condition of things.

And in the case of many things which are really necessary there is even less excuse than that of hard times for the failure to cut down prices. With a large surplusage of wheat—so large that in some parts of the West it is being fed to hogs—the price of flour has gone down very materially, and yet the price of bread remains as before. Bakers profits have been increased certainly 33 per cent. at least by the reduced cost of flour. Why should not the people have the advantage of this? If bakers can sell bread for one-third less than formerly and still make as large a profit per loaf, why should there not be a reduction?

It is probable that not less than 90 per cent. of the fresh meat retailed in this city is brought, already dressed, from the great Western slaughter and packing houses, and is furnished to our butchers at a cost far below that of years ago when it came from local abattoirs. The difference is doubtless as much as one-third, but the prices remain at the highest figure ever reached.

In a similar manner it might be demonstrated that in the case of almost every article in the list of necessaries the cost to the retailer is much less now than it was some years ago, but the consumers have no benefit therefrom. The cost of the labor involved in the production, preparation, and handling of these supplies has much to do with the price at which they may be sold, and wages have been reduced all along the line in almost every kind of business, because "times are hard". But nobody save the employer has profited by the reduction. The consumer has still to pay as much as he did when wages were 10 to 33 per cent. higher than now.

The result is that people do not live nearly so well as they have been accustomed to living. They are compelled to economize, and they can do so only by reducing the quantity and variety of the necessaries and the luxuries as well which they use; and this they do. This, of course, narrows not only the volume of trade, but the field for employment also, most noticeably, and will undoubtedly have other effects which it will be more difficult to formulate and estimate. It is the duty of all to live as well as possible, due regard to prudence in expenditure and care to avoid excesses and unhealthy excesses being had—a matter which is of itself of great importance and entirely aside from the question of the injustice of dealers in maintaining the high prices of those prosperous times when it cost them more to do business and far more for the goods in which they deal. Poor living affects a man's morals and mentality as surely and unfavorably as it does his body.

Retailers have no right to increase their profits at a time when their customers are suffering from reduced incomes; nor is it good business policy to prefer an increased profit with smaller sales rather than to keep up and perhaps increase their sales with a reduced profit on each article.

If this admonition was needed in New York, how much more so in Plainfield? For if there is a town or city in the State of New Jersey where the consumer is more imposed upon, I should be glad to hear of it.

As to the simple question of bread, and in which the vast majority of poor are intimately concerned, it is a simple outrage that they should be compelled to pay ten cents a loaf for bread when the bakers can purchase their flour (such as they use) at from $3 to $4 per barrel, that formerly cost from $8 to $10. New York is much more highly favored in this respect than we are, for loaves of bread can now be purchased there from 2½ to 3 cents a loaf.

Take the question of meats. Butchers are wanting 18 to 20 cents for roasts, and 18 to 22 cents for steaks, the same grades being retailed in Washington market at 14 cents; and turkeys and chickens that were selling here at 18 cents (both articles of export) could be had in Washington market for 14 cents, now 10 and 12 cents.

The same course was pursued in 1870, and some years thereafter, in attempts to force the consumer to pay exorbitant prices in Plainfield. This was resented by a majority of commuters, and baskets without number could be seen on the morning trains to come back in the baggage car. This is now obviated by the great convenience of the express company, and a large number of citizens are now doing their marketing in Washington market again. This is a great injury to Plainfield. M.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Hinrichs and son Bert will spend the rest of January in Galveston.

James Clarkson of East Second street is out again after an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Wm. Colthar has been confined to the house several days with the grip.

Miss McGinness of Somerset street has returned from a visit with relatives in Westfield.

Mrs. A. M. Gillem and daughter Miss Emma are at home again, after a visit with relatives in Newark.

Borough Clerk James K. Arnold is slowly improving. He was able to be at his store a few hours yesterday.

The marriage of Miss Maude Agnes Bowers to Theodore Banks takes place in Grace Church Wednesday, Jan. 23.

Alexander Manning of Watchung avenue, an employe of Boice, Runyon & Co., has been ill with the grip several days.

George Kesselring, the Park avenue barber, is ill with the grip, but pluckily sticks to business a few hours each day.

Harry, youngest son of Joel D. Hedden of Somerset street, who has recently recovered from pneumonia, is now quite ill with the grip.

Mrs. Baker of East Fifth street is ill with the grip. Mr. Baker has just recovered from a severe attack of the same prevalent disorder.

The friends of George P. Smith of Central avenue will be glad to know that he is out again after two weeks of suffering with an injured foot.

Mrs. Wm. Humes and daughter of New York city are visiting Mrs. H. C. Ostermoor of Belvidere avenue. Mrs. Humes is Mrs. Ostermoor's sister.

Wm. Bartindale leaves the service of VanBuren & Timpson Monday to enter the real-estate business in New York. He will be missed in Plainfield.

Miss Carrie Bolby of Asbury, Warren County, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Ella Bolby of Netherwood avenue, is now visiting friends in Hoboken.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bovey, who are spending the Winter in New York city, paid a flying visit to Mr. Bovey's parents on Somerset street yesterday afternoon.

Thomas Clarke, who formerly pumped the organ in the Crescent Avenue Church, is about to leave Plainfield and live with his son, Thomas Clarke, Jr., in New York city.

Mrs. W. T. Weeks and family, who have been boarding at the Woodside Cottage, Netherwood, for the past two months, returned to their home in Brooklyn yesterday.

Miss Kathrine Newton Haines, who has been spending the past ten days with Mrs. W. L. Brown of Berkley avenue, Netherwood, has returned to her home in Norristown, Pa.

Rev. P. F. Nielson, pastor of the Danish Evangelist Lutheran Church of Philadelphia, who has been visiting Jeptha Ericson of South avenue for the past few days, returned to his home yesterday.

Robert Whitecar of East Fifth street is again in town. Mr. Whitecar has been filling an engagement with one of the Winter circuses in Chicago. He is at the head of his profession, and his many Plainfield friends welcome him back again.

Five of the teachers in the North Plainfield public school are victims of the grip. They are Miss Petrie of the Ninth grade, Miss Claypoole of the Fifth grade, Miss Emery of the Fourth grade, Miss Kellogg of the Third grade, and Miss Balz of the Second grade.

Martin Wooden of the Royal Baking Powder Company, and William W. Wooden the Califon hotel keeper, were welcome callers at the office of The Daily Press yesterday, brought to Plainfield on the unhappy errand of the funeral of their departed kinsman, Peter Wooden.

At the charming progressive-euchre party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Herring last night the winners of the handsome prizes were: First—Miss Lizzie Cock, J. P. Mason; second—Mrs. Wm. E. Lowe, H. M. Stockton; third—Mrs. H. M. Stockton, George H. Goddard.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.

Programme of the Gathering to Be Held in Plainfield.

Following is the programme proposed for the twenty-sixth annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of New Jersey, in Plainfield, Feb. 14-17:

February 14.

THURSDAY EVENING.

5–7—Reception to delegates at Association Building.

First Baptist Church.

7:30—Song Service, conducted by B. Frank Butts.

8:00—Welcome Address, Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., Plainfield.
Response—A. H. Seigfried, President of State Association.
Report of Ladies Auxiliary Conference.

8:30—Address.

February 15.

FRIDAY MORNING.

At Association Building.

9:15—Bible Hour. "Power by the Spirit". J. H. Elliott, Clifton Springs, N. Y.

10:15—Report of Committee on Permanent Organization.

10:30—Review of 1894.
Conducted by Sumner F. Dudley, of Orange, N. J.

11:15—"Esprit de Corps in Association Work". Edwin F. See, Brooklyn, N. Y.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

2:00—Simultaneous Sectional Conference in rooms designated.
(Delegates are requested to attend the Conference on that department of the work in which they are engaged in their home Association.)
(1) Education Work.....Room 1
Exhibit of results of Educational Work.
George B. Hodge, New York.
(2) Bible Study.....Room 2
"Methods of Bible Study in Associations."—J. H. Elliott.
(3) Men's Meetings.....Room 3
"How to arrange for successful men's meetings."—W. A. Ventor, Trenton.
(4) Boys Work.....Room 4
(5) Physical Work.....Room 5
"Summer Athletics."
D. A. MacPhie, Plainfield.
(6) Delegates from small towns and unorganized places.....Room 6
Conversation—"What shall we do?
John F Moore, Albany, N. Y.
(7) Railroad Men.....Room 7
Emergency Work—H. A. Leese, Elmira, N. Y.
"The Association as a Christianizing and Refining agency."
H. L. Peabody, Trenton.

3:00—Recess.

3:15—(In Association Hall.) Address.
"Why believe the Bible is the Word of God?"—W. H. Sutton, Montclair.

4:30—7. Parlor Conferences.
(1) Presidents and Directors.
D. W. Richards, Orange, presiding.
"Finances"—John A. Campbell, Trenton.
(2) Physical Directors, at residence of Dr. E. W. Hedges, 741 Watchung avenue.
(3) Boys Work.
(4) Railroad Work.

4:30—7. Members' Congress in Association Hall,—Led by Charles T. Kilbourn, Orange.

FRIDAY EVENING.

Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church.

7:30—Song Service, conducted by B. Frank Butts.

8:00—Report of State Executive Committee.
E. Drake, Chairman.

8:30—Address—Dr. Theo. L. Cuyler, of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Offering for State Work.

February 16.

SATURDAY MORNING.

At Association Building.

9:15—Bible Hour. "The Power of the Holy Spirit received."
J. H. Elliott.

10:15—"Our responsibility to young men who confess Christ in our meetings."
Walter C. Douglass of Philadelphia.

11:00—Association Educational Work; Opportunity verses obligation.
W. B. Millar, New York.

11:30—Report of Committee on State Committee's Report.
General Business.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

2.00—Sectional Conferences.
(It is suggested that delegates attend a different conference from the one attended yesterday.)
(1) Educational Work.....Room 1
"What to do and how to do it", followed by informal discussion; A. B. Clemens, Plainfield, Geo. B. Hodge, New York.
(2) Bible Study.....Room 2
"Study of the Bible as literature; illustrated by a study of The Song of Songs".—W. D. Murray, Plainfield.
(3) Men's Meetings.....Room 3
How to conduct men's meetings.—H. A. Cozzens, Newark.
(4) Boys' Work.....Room 4
(5) Physical Work.....Room 5
"New methods of interesting business men in the gymnasium."
(6) District Work.....Room 6
Wm. E. Drake, Jersey City.
(7) Railroad Work.....Room 7
"Best results in railroad work; in what direction are they to be secured."—W. E. Fenno, New York.

3:00—Recess.

3:15—(In Association Hall). Address; The Holy Spirit. Jno. T. Swift, Tokyo, Japan

4:30—7—Parlor Conference for College Delegates, at the residence of Fred H. Andrews, 818 Central avenue.
R. E. Speer, Presiding.
"The Ministry as a Life Work,"
In the Home Field—
Thos. G. Sherman, Jr., Montclair
In the Foreign Field—
H. J. Scudder, New Brunswick
Conversation—"New Ideas in Association Work"—led by J. R. Swain, Princeton.

SATURDAY EVENING.

First Baptist Church.

7:30—Song Service.

8:00—Address—"A Working Creed for a College Man."—Robt. E. Speer, New York.
Address—Thos. Cockran, St. Paul, Minn.

February 17.

SUNDAY.

9:00—Preparation Service.
(In Association Hall. For delegates and members of the Plainfield Association.)—Leader, R. E. Speer.

2:30—(Association Hall.) Prayer for work for Young Men in Foreign Mission lands.—Leader, John T. Swift.

4:00—Men's Meeting, Music Hall. Address—"An Old Love Story."—J. H. Elliott.

4:00—Boys' Meeting in Association Hall.

4:00—Woman's Meeting, Trinity Reformed Church.

7:30—Union Services in Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, and First Baptist Church.

7:30—Railroad Men's Meeting in Methodist Church.—J. R. George, Dover.

9:00—Farewell Meeting in First Baptist Church.

UNCLE PETER AT REST.

Many Aged People and Others Attend His Funeral.

The funeral services of Uncle Peter Wooden, held at the old house on Somerset street which is so familiar to every one in the city as Uncle Peter's homestead and which has stood so many years against the ravages of time, were as simple, as he, in honor of whose memory the weeping friends had gathered, could possibly have wished. And yet they were grand in their simplicity, a fitting benediction to him whose life has always been one of simple, earnest, humble faith in his Creator. Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, who for many years had been Uncle Peter's pastor, spoke from Prov. xvi: 31: "The hoary head is a crown of glory, if it be found in the way of righteousness." "Nothing in holy writ," said the Rev. Dr. Lewis, "could more appropriately apply to the simple life and unwavering faith of him whose memory we gather here to honor". All who knew him had suffered a personal loss, for he was at once counselor and friend, his very life standing a silent monitor to point the way to heaven. He joined the church in 1843 and had been a regular attendant ever since, showing his Christianity in quiet deeds of mercy, and many are those who have occasion to remember his kindness of heart toward all who were in need. Dr. Lewis spoke of his happy home life, of his children, long since dead, of his companion and helpmate Aunt Margaret, who journeyed over life's rugged pathway by his side for fifty years and passed quietly to her reward in the very room where now lay the earthly semblance of Uncle Peter, looking as natural as though he had fallen asleep, as in very truth he had, in Jesus.

A notable feature of the solemn occasion was the very large number of old people, many of them lifelong friends of the decedent, who were present. Alfred Bonnell, whose ninety years sit lightly on his shoulders, stopped a moment to chat of Uncle Peter to their old friend, Mrs. Caroline B. Spencer, who is young at 87, and in this quiet company of mourners Mrs. Agnes Pangborn 73 and Abel Stewart 78, not to mention Ethan Lanphear 75 and Ralph Conover who is nearly 80, seemed quite young compared with P. M. French and Randolph Smalley who are nearly 85, and who stood in silence, not far from Mrs. Wakefield and Joseph A. Powlinson who are both in the immediate neighborhood of 75. Probably never before in the city, if indeed for many miles around, were gathered so many good old friends and fellow Christians to mourn the loss of one whom to know was to honor and respect and love. Dr. Lewis spoke feelingly of Uncle Peter's many friends who gathered to take a last look at the peaceful face, not because of his extreme age but because of the desire to do honor to the sterling Christian character and noble simplicity of the life of him who had passed beyond.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Joseph and Frank Hubbard, J. D. Spicer and Dr. Clawson, church associates and friends of decedent. The interment was in Hillside.

BY THE WAY.

—Contractor Jacob Kriney has completed a three-story double frame house for Wm. J. Ford on Jackson avenue, Netherwood.

—The prayer meetings that have been held nightly in Trinity Reformed Church for the past two weeks will be continued tonight at 8. Everybody is welcome.

—Only perfect goods are wanted by the careful housewife, and only perfect goods are sold at the store of A. M. Griffen, 119 East Front street, where the selling price of granite-iron ware was reduced Jan. 1.

—If you are out for shoe leather tomorrow, take a look at Doane & Edsall's window. Their specials for this week are men's and women's shoes, value $1.75, at $1.14, Saturday only. Their store is open until 10 Saturday nights.

—The installation of Senate Lodge No. 3542, K. of H., was postponed last evening because of the illness of some of the grand officers who were expected to preside. The ceremonies will take place Thursday evening, Feb. 7.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

U. G. Tingley of Bound Brook was in town yesterday.

William Craig spent yesterday in High Bridge.

Arthur Giddis is suffering with a sore throat.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Osmun have returned from a visit with friends at Jersey City and Brooklyn.

Arthur Giles purchased twenty candy moulds at the Laing sale Wednesday for ten cents and sold them the next day for eight dollars. If he continues in this line his fortune will s on be moulded.

A. S. Giles is repairing Samuel Luckey's driven well.

Miss May Giles fell upon the ice while crossing the street in front of her store last night. Her hand and arm was severely cut.

Fowler W. Vail's youngest son Charles is at home sick with diphtheria. The house has been quarantined by the Board of Health, and every precaution taken for the public's health. The boy was skating Tuesday, and some who were with him fear lest they may have taken the disease.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Giddis spent yesterday in Plainfield.

A "sacrifice sociable" was given at the home of Alva Gray last night. The members of the Y. P. S. C. E. had the programme in charge, and a pleasant evening was spent by those present.

Mrs. Lydia A. Johnson was worse yesterday. Both of her grandchildren have been taken with the grip, and her home is one of sickness.

Rev. and Mrs. A. I. Martine went to Lebanon yesterday where they enjoyed a dinner given by their friends, Rev. and Mrs. Wm. E. Davis. The reverend gentlemen were college mates.

Two stage loads of young people went from here to the social given at the residence of Mae Giles Wednesday evening. The committee in charge was George Harris and Frank Falke of New Market. The music was furnished by C. W. Snowden.

Escaped the Avalanche.

Charles Lyman and two friends had a narrow escape yesterday from what might have been serious injury. While passing the Babcock Building the party heard a strange scraping noise above them, and glancing up were just in time to stand from under a large piece of tin which had been detached from the roof by the high wind, and had luckily struck the side of the building in time to give warning by the noise. Had not the young men sprung into the gutter they would surely have been struck by the sharp edges of the sheet of tin, which measured fully 10 by 14 feet.

Relief Wanted.

Owing to the great distress in the Northwest it is desired to send a box of clothing from the Relief Rooms for the destitute people of that section.

The New York papers have been so full of particulars of their suffering, that it is unnecessary to call the attention of our townspeople to details.

It is earnestly hoped that many will respond to this appeal by sending articles of wearing apparel to the Relief Rooms, 303 West Second street, before Friday next, January 25 at which time the box will be packed. ALLIE AMES BROOKS, Secretary.

Death of Wash Berriman.

Washington Berriman, familiarly known as "Wash" to thousands of baseball enthusiasts who hold him in pleasant remembrance not only for his pleasant ways but for his excellent work on the diamond, died last night at his home in Brooklyn of pneumonia, after an illness of nine days. His last request was that T. H. Keller, his old friend and manager of the field, should be notified to come at once. Mr. Berriman was associated with the Crescent League several seasons, and won hosts of friends by his manly bearing and genial good fellowship.

Saved from Burning.

Dorsey Hyde's residence on Woodland avenue narrowly escaped being burned yesterday. One of the maids, while lighting a lamp in the parlor, accidentally set fire to the fancy lamp shade. At the risk of burning her hands, she threw the flaming shade through the window, thus saving the house from what might have been a serious conflagration.

Disabled by a Piece of Iron.

Jeremiah Cash was engaged in drilling a hole through a piece of iron in Albert Brown's blacksmith shop on Richmond street yesterday morning, when the iron slipped from its fastening, striking Mr. Cash in the forehead, cutting him severely and disabling him from work for the rest of the day.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

M. PERIER'S SUCCESSOR

Faure the New President of France.

Defeated Brisson by a Vote of 430 to 361—His Election a Blow to the Protectionist Party—In Early Life He Was a Mechanic—Now a Millionaire and Has Simple Tastes.

Versailles, Jan. 18.—M. Felix Faure, minister of marine in the present cabinet, was elected on the second ballot to be president of the French republic in succession to M. Casimir-Perier, who resigned Tuesday.

M. Faure polled 430 votes to 361 votes polled by his nearest opponent, M. Henri Brisson, president of the chamber of deputies. The socialists protested violently when the result of the ballot was made known.

The investiture of the new president with his official powers took place in the library of the Versailles Palace. It consisted merely in Challemel-Lacour's reading to him the minutes of the assembly.

M. Faure was met at the St. Lazare station by General Mercier, minister of war, and M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs, and was accompanied by them to the Elysee. The palace was brilliantly lighted and ushers in gala livery stood at the doors. Casimir-Perier welcomed and congratulated his successor. Premier Dupuy then presented the resignation of the cabinet. M. Faure returned to the Ministry of Marine for the night. His youngest daughter, Lucie, met him at the door of his apartments, and threw her arms round his neck kissing him and crying repeatedly: "I am so happy, papa."

The crowd outside the ministry cheered with considerable fervor and M. Faure was persuaded by friends to show himself on the balcony. He was received for the first time with genuine enthusiasm. Everybody shouted: "Hurrah for Faure!" and every bow or smile from the president was the signal for a new demostration. When the president re-entered the salon he said to M. Blondel, his secretary:

"I have passed the most precious moments of my political career in this building."

M. Faure is a tall, imposing figure, whose lines show the training he got in early life as a mechanic. Although a millionaire ship owner, he has simple tastes. His election is a blow to the protectionist party. The substitution of reciprocity treaties for the Meline tariff is only a question of time. M. Meline's newspaper organ, La Republique Francais, admitted yesterday that Faure's election would mean the same as tariff reform. The result of the election is received enthusiastically in Lyons.

The United Press correspondent saw a copy of the letter sent by the Duke of Orleans to Senator Buffet. It was mailed at Dover Wednesday evening. It is virtually a manifesto, declaring that at best the republic in France can be only provisional and that he stands ready to step in and help the people the moment they call him. The letter is generally ridiculed.

The police seized shortly before midnight a special edition of the Soliel which contained the letter. The effort was superfluous as nobody was buying the paper and the boulevards were as calm as the rest of the city. A dispatch from Dover says that the Duke of Orleans will return to London.

President Faure's Career.

Francois Felix Faure was born at Paris on Jan. 30, 1841. Faure's first public office was that of president of the chamber of commerce at Havre. During the Franco-Prussian war he was chief of battalion of the Garde Mobile, and brought reinforcements from Havre against the Communists of Paris. He was elected to the chamber in August, 1881, for the third district of Havre by 5,876 votes to 5,675 cast for Le Vaillant du Douet, the monarchist candidate. Upon the formation of the cabinet presided over by L. Gambetta in 1881 M. Faure became under secretary of state in the new ministry of commerce and colonies which he quitted on Jan. 26, 1882, with the other members of the cabinet. He was again called to the same post in 1883 in the last cabinet presided over by Jules Ferry, and resigned with the rest of the ministry on March 31, 1885. His department included the colonies, and he was regarded as an authority on questions involving them. At the election in September, 1889, he was elected in the second district of Havre by 7,771 votes, to 5,313 given to Anselme, the monarchist candidate. President Faure was one of the vice-presidents of the chamber of deputies preceding the present one. He has served on several of the most important committees of the chamber. M. Faure has made a legislative specialty of business questions, particularly those concerning the French merchant marine and foreign commerce. He received the Cross of the Legion of Honor in 1871.

Charges Against Life-Savers.

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Geo. Harris, Jr. & Co., ship brokers of this city, have preferred charges at the United States treasury department against the Rococracoke life saving crew, on the North Carolina coast. They charge that the crew is in collusion with the wreckers of Wilmington, N. C., to make salvage money from disabled vessels.

Prize Fight Near Washington.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The fight between McMillan and Raedy last night near Washington resulted in a victory for McMillan in fifteen rounds. Raedy's seconds threw up the sponge against Raedy's protest.

NEW FINANCIAL BILLS

Senators Pugh and Sherman Introduce Them.

The Member from Alabama Makes an Impassioned Speech on His Measure—The Pension Bill Passed—A Quarrel Narrowly Averted Between Mitchell and Blackburn.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The first business of importance in the senate yesterday was the introduction of two financial bills, one by Mr. Pugh (dem., Ala.) and the other by Mr. Sherman (rep., O.) The title of the first was "to meet deficiencies in the revenue of the treasury of the United States; to regulate the redemption of treasury and coin notes of the United States; to restore silver to coinage; to amend the national banking and currency laws; and for other purposes." That of the second was "to provide for a temporary deficiency of revenue."

Mr. Pugh's bill provides for the issue, at once, of not exceeding $100,000,000 legal tender coins to meet deficiencies and to be redeemable in gold and silver standard coin; for the coinage of silver bullion in the treasury, to be used in the payment of the public expenditures; for the issue of certificates for bullion to be deposited, to the amount of its market value; for the reserve of $100,000,000 in equal amounts of gold and silver; and for the payment of custom duties, one-half in gold and the other half in other currency.

Mr. Sherman's bill authorizes the issue of 3 per cent. bonds for the redemption of United States treasury notes and to pay current expenditures; also the issue of 3 per cent. certificates, to be sold at public depositories and at postoffices, and allows the issue of national bank currency to the par value of the bonds deposited therefor.

Both bills were read in full and were referred to the finance committee.

Mr. Pugh made an impassioned speech as he introduced his bill; in which he alluded to Mr. Vest's facetious characterization of senators Wednesday as a lot of "old Muscovy drakes" and condemned it as "degrading, mortifying and humiliating."

The pension appropriation bill (appropriating $140,000,000 for pensions) was passed with an amendment to abolish $2 and $4 disability pensions, and to make the minimum of them all $6 a month.

The army appropriation bill was then taken up, but got snagged on a question of change of army posts—a question on which Mr. Mitchell (rep., Ore.), and Mr. Blackburn (dem., Ky.), got heated up to a point which came dangerously near to a personal altercation.

The senate at 5:30, adjourned till to-day.

House Proceedings.

Most of another session of the house was spent in considering the Indian appropriation bill without disposing of the measure. It was discussed under the five-minute rule and was open for amendment. The principal change made was the adoption of an amendment offered by Mr. Cobb (dem., Mo.), appropriating $1,660,000 to pay the first installment, due March 1, 1895, upon the purchase of the Cherokee outlet.

Mr. Richardson (dem., Tenn.) took occasion, in the course of the discussion, to deny the statement that the restoration to congressmen of the franking privilege, contained in the bill to regulate the printing and distribution of public documents, was inserted surreptitiously. He pointed out that it had been offered on the floor of the house, discussed and adopted by a vote of 42 to 40.

By unanimous consent the bill to establish a park at Gettysburg went over until the first morning hour next week.

RAS MANGASCIA DEFEATED.

Italian Troops Under Gen. Baratieri Put His Army to Flight.

Rome, Jan. 18.—A dispatch from Massowah says that Gen. Paratieri, commander of the Italian troops in East Africa, again met Chief Ras Mangascia and his army after pursuing them for ten hours. The battle was fought south of Coatit. The Italian artillery cut down the enemy by the hundred and eventually put them to flight. The Italian victory was complete and decisive. The enemy left all their dead and wounded and arms, ammunition and quantities of stores on the field. Among the wounded were several chiefs.

Postmasters Confirmed.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The senate yesterday confirmed the following nominations: New Jersey—William L. Stewart, Arlington; Henry A. Connelly, Nutley; William White, Manasquen; William J. Harrison, Lakewood; Josiah Butler, Frenchtown.

Pennsylvania—William B. McCormick, Brownsville; John Beatty, Bennett; Louis Stoffregen, Pottsville.

Franklin's Birthday Celebrated.

New York, Jan. 18.—The celebration of the 189th anniversary of the birth of the father of printing, Benjamin Franklin, was celebrated in the ballroom of the Brunswick by the Typothote of New York, and the affair was larger and more georgeous in every respect than any that have preceded it.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required." It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c. per box. For sale by L. W. Randolph, druggist.

SURPRISE AT WASHINGTON.

The News of Faure's Election Favorably Received.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The news of the lection of M. Felix Faure as president of France was a surprise to the members of the French legation here. Ambassador Patenotre said:

"M. Faure, while not one of the most prominent men in France, has yet held a number of important positions. He has been president of the chamber of deputies, which shows that he is popular. He was minister of marine in the last cabinet, the one whose overthrow a few days ago led to President Perier's resignation. In politics he is a moderate republican, and held very nearly the same views as M. Perier. No doubt he will form a cabinet containing a number of the same men who were in the last one. This is not unusual in France. M. Faure is a man of middle age, tall and handsome. He is a very amiable man and is much liked personally.

The opinion is expressed that M. Faure will try to agree with the chamber and use more diplomacy than was shown by his predecessor. In many respects he will seek to be like Carnot, who made himself popular by his methods of dealing with men.

WILL BE PROSECUTED.

Unexpected Surrender of a Fall River Defaulter.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 18.—John E. Blaisdell the defaulting bookkeeper of the Weetamoe mills, who surrendered yesterday to the police, was admitted to bail in $5,000, his father, ex-Judge Josiah C. Blaisdell, who gained extensive notoriety in the Borden murder cases, becoming his surety. Blaisdell's arrival was unexpected and created a big sensation, particularly in mill circles. The defaulter was known also to have been in correspondence with many acquaintances in this city, but his surrender was entirely unexpected, except to his father, who was informed of his son's coming. Pending action, the Weetamoe directors were called into special session. Blaisdell was allowed to go to his father's home till a decision of the directors relative to the defaulter's case is reached. The belief generally entertained that Blaisdell's surrender was contingent upon an agreement by the directors to endeavor to nol pross the indictment against him, was shattered, when after a two-hours discussion, the mill management decided to assist District Attorney Jennings in prosecuting the case.

IT CAME TOO LATE.

A Man Accused of Murder Dies on the Day of Acquital.

Nauvoo, Ill., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Ida Smith, of this city, departed yesterday for California with a petition, indorsed by prominent citizens, which she will submit to the legislature of that state. She petitions for an appropriation of $10,000 as a relief for herself and two little daughters.

Her husband was sent to the penitentiary for life for the murder of a San Francisco citizen on the evidence of men named Casey and Gordon, who turned state's evidence.

The California supreme court recently decided that Smith was innocent and that there was no well founded grounds even for suspicion of his guilt. Smith died the very day the decision was handed down. Mrs. Smith is a daughter of M. M. Morrill, who served several terms in the Illinois legislature, and a niece of Lot Morrill, who at one time was United States senator from Maine, and of Amos B. Morrill, who was governor of the same state.

SOUTH CAROLINA WANTS WAR.

The Governor Threatens to Seize an Italian Bark.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 18.—Governor Evans threatens to seize and confiscate the Italian bark Fortunate, which is lying in the Charleston harbor, and which is believed to be a floating barroom and violating the dispensary law.

The governor is consulting with the attorney-general, and will seize the boat if advised that he has the authority to do so. He will also ask that Italian Consul Costello be recalled, as he rendered himself persona non grata by refusing to allow the Fortunate to be searched. International complications are threatened.

Wreck of an Old-Timer.

San Francisco, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Merchants' Exchange reports the wreck of the bark California, lumber laden, from Puget Sound for Pacamayo, Peru, at the latter port. The vessel was formerly known as the steamer California, built at Greenpoint, N. Y., in 1849. It arrived here Feburary 1, 1849, being the first steamer to enter this port from New York with gold-seekers.

Ex-Mayor of Newcastle, Pa., Arrested.

Newcastle, Pa., Jan. 17.—This evening ex-Mayor Alexander Richardson was arrested on two charges preferred by County Detective Marshall. One charges bribery and corrupt solicitation in connection with the Genkinger-Torielli case, the other charges attempt to bribe the county detective and District Attorney Emery. Richardson gave bail for a hearing.

A Chinese Commander Beheaded.

London, Jan. 18.—The Times correspondent in Pekin says that General Wei-Yu-Kwei, one of the Chinese commanders at Ping Yang, was beheaded yesterday. Generals Sung and Wa-Tchen have been ordered to serve under Liu Kun Yi, the new commander-in-chief.

Ives Defeats Schaefer.

Columbus, O., Jan. 18.—A fair crowd witnessed the Ives-Schaefer billiard tournament at the board of trade auditorium here last night, and the players did some fine work. Ives won in the sixteenth inning, when the score stood: Ives, 500; Schaefer, 390.

Engineer McCalmon's Body Found.

Boston, Jan. 18.—The body of Engineer McCalmon, for which search has been made since the accident at the draw-bridge on the New York & New England railroad at Fort Point Channel, Tuesday, was found yesterday under the wreck.

Fire at Pittsfield, Mass.

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 18.—Fire broke out at midnight in the Burbank block on North street. The loss cannot be accurately estimated, but may reach $20,000. A number of the stores will suffer largely by water.

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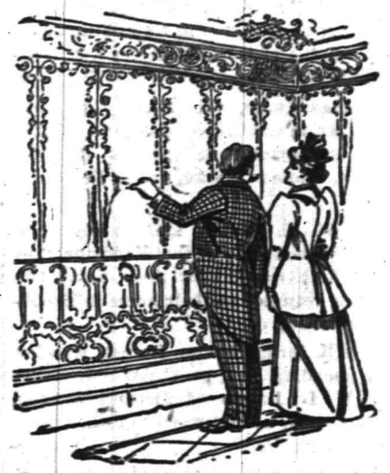

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A life unmarred by touch of care,
In spite of her forty summers.

A husband-lover and children sweet,
Pleasures to charm and friends to greet,
Roses scattered before her feet,
Through each of her forty summers.

Summers all, nor winters bold
Have snatched her sunshine and made her cold;
Have killed her roses and left her old;
Nothing she knows but summers.

Nothing she knows of laden cloud,
Of freezing air and tempests loud,
Of scows that weave for Hope a shroud;
Her life has been only summers.

So calm she sits in the balmy air,
No sorrows to fret, no cross to bear,
A summer idyl, a vision fair,
This woman of forty summers.

Yet cold and blast but make us strong,
After the snow the robin's song;
To the fullest life by right belong
The winters as well as summers.

And they whom fame shall carve in stone
The woman whom men would fain enthrone,
The women whom God has stamped His own,
Live winters as well as summers.
—Jenness Miller Monthly.

REED AS A CANDIDATE.

The Platform He Promulgated When He Considered His Candidacy a Joke.

Ex-Speaker Reed seems to be more seriously a candidate for the Presidency than ever before. In 1888 he regarded such a possibility as a joke. That year a New England paper declared that the most available men for the Republican nomination were Congressmen Reed of Maine, Hiscock of New York, and Long of Massachusetts.

"As soon as we saw this," said Mr. Reed at that time, "Long and I assembled ourselves together, held a caucus, and agreed that the announcement, so far as we are concerned, was both timely and judicious, but we decided by a unanimous vote that Hiscock was not available, for reasons that must suggest themselves to every thoughtful and patriotic man. This action having narrowed the contest down to Long and myself, I suggested, with the kindest and most disinterested motives, that for the sake of harmony he ought to withdraw. He demurred to the proposition, and did not appear to take much interest in it until I offered to make it an object to him. I volunteered to pay him $5 in lawful money if he would agreed to retire and make a speech nominating me in the Presidential Convention. He replied that he was not a five-dollar man, whereupon I raised him to eight.

"I'm running for the Presidency," continued Mr. Reed at that time (this was in the winter of 1887-8), "upon a broad and comprehensive platform, and if, I don't get the nomination it won't be because I'm not willing to give satisfaction to people of all colors, races, religions, and political views. I believe in giving every man equal rights and a fair show. I believe that it is the duty of Congress to pass a judicious silver bill, and am in favor of such a revision of the tariff as shall give the capital and labor employed in the manufacturing industries of the country every protection they ask, and at the same time place the luxuries as well as the necessaries of life within the reach of all. I believe that every man, woman and child should receive a pension who is entitled to it; that every just claim upon the Government should be promptly and duly paid, with interest to date; that sectional strife should be smothered in fraternal love, and that the dead issues of the war should be decently buried at Government expense. I am in favor of applying the principles of civil service reform to all the offices of the Government, so as to give entire satisfaction to those who are in as well as those who are out, and that all legislation intended to promote the prosperity of the country should be promptly enacted by Congress. On the labor question I am as sound as an oak saw log, and urge upon Congress the passage of a bill that will settle forever and set at rest all controversies between the employer and the employed. I believe that the surplus in the Treasury should remain unimpaired so far as is consistent with the financial welfare of the country, and that Congress should take such action in reference to the finances as will bring the greatest good to the greatest number. I hold it to be the duty of the President to protect the prerogatives of his office, and to hand them down unstained to his successor done up in tissue paper or in a silk handkerchief, and I will further say that if I have omitted to declare my position regarding any interest representing a considerable number of votes, it shall be my earnest endeavor to amend and enlarge my platform accordingly.

"The motto on my escutcheon is, 'I strive to please,' and my aim is to merit the approbation and secure the support of all Republicans, Democrats and Mugwumps. I desire to be considered a nonpartisan candidate and would prefer that my nomination should be unanimous."

New Tactics.

At the session of the school for noncommissioned officers of one of the companies stationed at Fort Wayne, the following questions was asked of Sergeant——:

"What is strategy? Give me an instance of it."

After studying for a moment or two the sergeant gave the reply:

"When in battle and you are out of ammunition and don't want the enemy to know it, it is good strategy to keep right on firing."

The captain gave the school a vacation till the first Monday in January.—Detroit Free Press.

A Judical Opinion.

A Texas Judge recently acquitted a man who was arraigned for swindling a lawyer. He urged the man had probably attempted to get even with the barrister but, in his judical opinion, he must have failed.—Adams Freeman.

Irrevocably Gone.

"I set four pies on the window sill to cool," said Mrs. Hunker to her husband, "and they have all been stolen."

"Then we must number them among the lost tarts," was the philosophical reply.—Detroit Free Press.

Query.

Tell us, ye winged wind
That round our pathway screams,
Is there a spot on earth
Where mince pies don't make dreams?
—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

HYPNOTIC POWER.

MARVELOUS CASE OF A BORN DEAF MUTE NOW CURED.

Awakening Sleeping Nerves by Mesmeric Influences. The Theories of Scientists Concerning Subjects. Remarkable Cases in This Country and Abroad.

When a man whose position is a very responsible one, who has made a name for himself as an authority on the treatment of deaf mutes and who is well known to be as practical and experienced as he is clever, announces that he believes in a power which many people still class with witchcraft and fortune telling, the public must needs pay some attention to him.

Dr. Currier, the principal of a New York Institution, for the instruction of the deaf and dumb, claims hypnotism will cure deafness even of congenital origin.

His theory is that organs and nerves which have never been called into service and are as dumb as death itself, should by mental influence be galvenized into life and action. He has in the asylum patients born deaf and of course dumb, which is always the case, who can now distinguish sounds, and tell the difference between the sound of the voice, the flute and piano. Professor Currier says that more than 16 per cent. of cases of children born deaf is due to prenatal paralysis of the nerves, which are only "slumbering," because the brain has not the will power to call them into service. And all these numb nerves need is to be awakened and strengthened. Speaking of one patient on whom Professor Currier has been experimenting for ten years, and who now can articulate and hear as well as any person, the believer in hypnotic influence says:

"Give this sleeping sense strength, and by the very act of giving it strength it becomes an assistant to the will, and that function becomes able to command it. We have shown that there are latent sensibilities of the paralyzed auditory nerves which are susceptible to development through exercise. What we want then is knowledge as to how these latent sensibilities can be developed the most rapidly and the most successfully. Now let us see what hypnotism will do. I am not a master of hypnotism and make no claim to produce these results myself. I speak therefore, as one who accepts the known results of recognized hypnotic experiments and seeks only to learn how similar experiments may be utilized successfully in the work of assisting in the development of the latent sensibilities of this slumbering nerve. Now, mark you! You and every one else will acknowledge that infinitely greater results follow where the method of exercising any stunted muscles or nerve of the system is natural rather than artificial.

"Now, will hypnotism do this? All those who are familiar with the subject and who can speak with authority tell us that the hypnotic operator has, while the subject is in the hypnotic sleep, absolute control of the mind of the subject.

"We are forced to operate now in exercising the paralyzed nerve of the deaf mute while the brain is busy with all the other senses. The nerves of vision are busy ticking off their messages as to what the eye sees, and the brain is replying what to do about it and what to look at next; the sense of touch is engaged in the same way; the smell, the taste, are sending their little paragraphs of news, and that wondrously busy brain up there near the cranium must record all the messages it receives and go on sending its replies. Only the operator, as soon as he places the patient in the hypnotic sleep, proceeds at once to give orders to the nerves of taste and touch and sight and smell to go on a vacation. 'Take a rest, I shall want you again,' he says. 'When I do I will call you.' The entire energy of the brain, let off from its occupation with the other senses, is put to work to bring this nerve of audience a command that shall wake it from its lethargy. The concentrated brain power acting under the command of the operator wakes up these nerves, tries them and gradually learns to use them.

"Twelve years ago when I advanced my theory of developing the latent sensibilities of the congenitally paralyzed auditory nerve people said, Ridiculous! French savants called it a jest. Finally the Germans took it seriously, listened, experimented, and to-day are producing the same results of which Mr. Jones is a specimen, and to-day deaf mutes all over Europe are reaping the benefit of it.

"If hypnotic influence can be utilized I am sure we will accomplish more than has ever yet been done in this line. From the University of Minnesota comes the news that a lad who for fourteen years has not articulated a single sound has had—and that only after a few months' operating in the hands of the hypnotist, the power of speech developed within him.

"In this case the boy could always hear distinctly. This was one of those very rare cases where the boy was afflicted with what is known as aphasia—that is, there was a prenatal paralysis of the nerves which act as messengers between the brain and the organs of speech.

Against the Nude in Art.

Iowa is considerably torn up over the question whether a figure which is to surmount a public monument shall be nude or draped. Opinions on the subject are various, and discussion waxes warm. The matter is talked of from the standpoints of art, propriety, morals and the weather.

The last named element is dragged into the argument by a newspaper which evidently wants to dodge the points made by objectors to the nude in art. The paper, which is published in Keokuk, urges that while a naked statue may be all right in a warm, southern clime, it is quite inappropriate to a high, chilly latitude like that of northern Iowa. Hence the statue should be draped, because its exposure to inclement weather would be out of harmony with all ideas of comfort, and might give the shivers to sympathetic observers.

Why She Chose Him.

Fred—Yes, I like him well enough, Minnie, but how did you ever happen to marry a man a head shorter than you are?

Minnie—I had to choose, Fred, between a little man with a big salary and a big man with a little salary.—Iowa Falls Citizen.

Irishman (watching gun club)—Be jabers! 'nd phawt's the use 'n wastin' foine powder 'n shot on thim clay t'ings? Shure the fall ud break 'em.—Yale Record

A DRINK UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

A Camera Club Gets Evidence of Sunday Liquor Selling.

The camera is the weapon of the latest band of Brooklyn reformers, and the barred and bolted side doors of some of the most notorious resorts of the city on Sundays furnish conclusive evidence of the deadly work it is doing.

It has always been thought that the enforcement of the Excise law in Brooklyn was a physical as well as a moral impossibility, but, nothing daunted, twenty good, law-loving young men went right to work to devise some means of shutting up the saloons. With the cameras under their coats, and with their hats drawn down over their eyes in a way which would have done credit to a city vigilance sunbeam, the youthful reformers set out, and the collection of pictures they get during the day are highly interesting. There were pictures of men entering and leaving saloons, while policemen, with the most innocent looking expressions on their faces, stood by without interfering. Then there were other pictures of children carrying cans and pitchers full of foaming beer through the street, and still other pictures showing drunken men being pitched out of side doors by white aproned bartenders, while policemen stood and looked on.

As soon as the pictures are handed in by the reform detectives they are taken in hand by Mr. Tully, who reproduces them all on a white sheet by means of a stereopticon. It was only after this public showing of the success of the camera scheme that the real weapon of the society became known, and if any confidence is to be placed in the rumors that went flying around the next day, the police were very much disturbed over this heartless revelation of their lifelessness.

One scene is thus described: A tall man, with a silk hat and a coat elaborately trimmed with fur, came along. The reporter spotted him for a politician. The camera men had some such suspicion too, for they began to show signs of excitement.

"I wonder if he's worth taking," said one.

"He looks like a politician," said the other.

"Well," said the first, "if he goes in I'm going to take him," and he went across the street and stood in front of the saloon. The tall man walked right into the side door of one of the saloons, and just as he did so the young man with the camera pulled it out and pressed the button. It was all over in a few seconds, but a man on the curb saw the operation and let out a snort of disgust. The tall man turned around, saw the man with the camera, looked perplexed, and then, as the daring young reformer levelled his weapon at him again, he seemed suddenly to realize the true state of affairs, and darted into the saloon, closing the door behind him with a bang. The young man with the camera crossed over to his companion, coolly took out the plate, put in a fresh one, and remarked to his fellow worker:

"I wonder if he'd be angry if I went over and asked him his name."

One of the young men got a particularly interesting picture for exhibition at the next stereopticon display the society gives. This young fellow hied with his camera to a saloon on Atlantic Avenue. It was a corner saloon, and a policeman stood not a dozen feet from the side door. The officer was stout and good natured, and was immensely amused at the attempts of a drunken man to pilot himself through the door. He was in the midst of a prodigious fit of laughter when the society man snapped his camera on him.

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"They proceeded from a wounded Yankee hidden behind a rail fence. He said he had fired several shots in the morning at a Confederate officer on yonder knoll, but had not been able to hit him, though he had a good range and was considered a wonderful sharpshooter, and the reb had fired but one shot at him and that with direful results. The ball buried itself in his leg, cutting one of the main arteries. The man was beyond human help. We gave him water and he soon lost all signs of life. We rode away and left all that was mortal of the poor fellow behind that fence."

This tale was too much. One by one the smokers arose and moved towards the door in silence deep and thinkative. The first man to reach the door turned, and in a rich New England twang, shouted, "I've been called a liar for telling that story, captain, but I'm the sharpshooter you killed that day."

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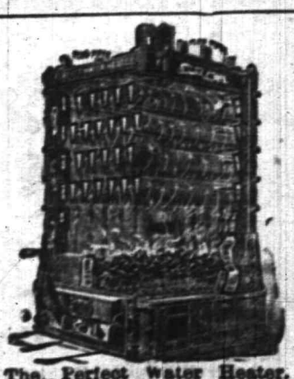

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

Jackson's Heroes Fire a Last Gun.

Jan. 18, 1815, added fresh renown to the American arms at New Orleans. On that day the British fleet was repulsed in the attempt to reduce Fort St. Philip, the stronghold in the defense of the Mississippi and the real key to Louisiana. On the 9th of January three British warships and two bomb vessels had anchored just out of range of the guns and opened a cannonade, which they kept up for the space of nine days, during which time over 1,000 heavy shells, besides round and grape shot and howitzer shells, struck the fort. The slender garrison of 360 men suffered the most terrible hardships, living nearly a week exposed to the winter storms without shelter, but under the leadership of their commandant, a hero of the Jacksonian stamp, Major W. H. Overton, they held out manfully, and on the night of the 17th succeeded in bringing a heavy mortar, mounted in the fort, to bear on the British ships. The fire from this gun, even in the darkness, proved so destructive that at daylight the English fleet ran from under and gave up the task of forcing the Mississippi. GEORGE L. KILMER.

The complaint of the correspondent "M" in this issue, that the prices of food in Plainfield are exorbitant, is contrary to the general experience of local buyers. Merchants there may be who foolishly charge more than the standard market price, but merchants there are who charge less than the New York markets. The advertising columns of The Daily Press give the names and addresses and often the price lists of dealers who for cash sell goods at a less figure than charged in larger cities. Plainfield has markets that will save even commuters money. "M" should look about his own town, and get acquainted with Press advertisers. It will afford him pleasure and profit.

DEAD FOR A YEAR.

The Court Refuses to Change Its Mind in the Bock License Case.

The motion of Alvah Clark for a rule to show cause why a rehearing should not be granted in the Bock license case, came up before the Court in Somerville this morning. Judge Bartine said "This Court does not reverse its decisions. The Bock application is refused, and stays refused. It is dead for a year."

The announcement caused much rejoicing among the North Plainfielders present who had been advocating the refusal of the application, and the anti-license citizens desire through The Press to thank Judge Bartine; for his honest and straightforward conduct and for his disposal of the case; also his associates for confirming his decision.

For The New Post Office.

Griffin & Co. have received the contract for the galvanized iron mail chute which is to be placed in the Babcock building. The chute will be of great convenience to the lodges and office people who occupy the building, as there will be an opening on each floor in which mail can be dropped and go down at once to the stamping room in the postoffice below. It can be used at all times and is similar in construction to the chutes in use in all modern office buildings throughout the country.

We learn that the call and lock-boxes soon to be placed in the new office will be numbered the same as those now in use, a fact that will be greatly appreciated by those who find it to their convenience to have boxes to which they can have access at all times.

Death of Rev. J. J. Pierson.

The sad news of the death of Rev. J Judson Pierson was received by his sister, Mrs. F. W. Bailey, 66 Duer street, about 1 p. m. today. Mr. Pierson was pastor of the Baptist Church at Bridgeton, and died at his home in that city at 10 this morning, after an illness of about four months, surrounded by his devoted wife and family of six children. The cause of death was Bright's disease, aggravated by sciatic rheumatism, causing intense suffering. Mr. Pierson was President of the State Society of Christian Endeavor, one of God's most active servants, and will be sadly missed.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

Mr. Travell celebrated his twenty-seventh birthday yesterday.

The Plainfield High School Press Association held a meeting at the close of school and elected the following officers: President—A. B. Crane; Secretary—C. B. Morse; Treasurer—J. V. Rittenhouse.

—Lovers of oranges and good butter will be delighted this week to find that not only the goods but Fulper's prices will suit their taste.

—Wm. T. Banks of East Second street has engaged a force of men to fill the ice-house on his property. The ice is cut from Johnston's pond.

—Next Tuesday evening at the regular meeting of Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters, K of P., for new members will be initiated and a full attendance is desired.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Fred J. Pope has accepted a position with Edward White.

Mrs. Oliver of East Fifth street has recovered from the grip.

Mrs. B. P. Frazee of Oak Tree is visiting her relatives on West Second street.

David A. Bowman, wife, and daughter, are all confined to the house with the grip.

Mrs. Hodge is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thompson of Farragut avenue.

Mrs. John H. Doane of 423 La Grande avenue is at the bedside of a dying uncle in Moscow, Penn.

Edward Smalley fell through the ice at Hyde's pond last night. Beyond a wetting he received no injury.

J. L. Stiles of 524 West Front street fell on the ice on his piazza, yesterday, and severely injured his head.

A. D. Shepard and family went Wednesday for the Winter to the Buckingham Hotel, Fifth avenue, New York.

Jeremiah Jaegers of Emily street, who has been a sufferer from acute rheumatism for the past four years, is much worse.

Miss Lissa Livezy and Miss Bertha Wheeler, who have been making quite an extended visit in Bridgeport, Conn., arrived home a few days ago.

Mr. Goldburg, a nephew of Augustus Frazee, and treasurer of Jersey City Lodge, Order of Chosen Friends, will soon make his home in Plainfield.

C. W. Hall, of Central avenue and West Front street, goes to Berlin, Germany, tomorrow, to superintend the erection of a large cylinder press for the Walter Scott Printing Machine Works.

An Evening With Mendelssohn.

The Palestrina Club meet every two weeks, Thursday evenings, at the homes of the members. Last evening they were entertained by Mrs. Asa Collier at the Olympia.

The club has thirty members, limited, and no one can join until there is a vacancy.

At each meeting the work of some composer is taken up, and each member is expected to contribute.

Last evening the subject was "An Evening with Mendelssohn" and a choice programme was rendered. During the intermission refreshments were served.

The programme:

Piano Solo—Song Without Words, Miss Carrie Dewey
Bass Solo—Elijah.....Robert Gorton
Sketch of Mendelssohn.....Mr Travell
Violin Duet—O, Wert Thou in the Cold Blast, James Petrie and Charles Davis
Alto Solo—O, Rest in the Lord, Miss Nancy Randolph
Piano Solo—Rando Capriciose, Miss Helen Hasbrouck
Tenor Solo—If with all your Hearts, Elmer E Runyon
Semi-Chorus—As the hart pants.....Club

INTERMISSION

Miscellaneous—
Violin Solo—Violin Solo—Robin Hood, James Petrie
Bass Solo—The Bugler Pinsuti.Robert Gorton
Violin Solo—Schubert's Serenade, Charles Davis
Cornet Duet—Grand Duchesse, Dr Berg and Miss Susie Berg

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The report that the will of the late Daniel Cory has been probated is untrue. He left no will.

—The supper to be given by the Ladies Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed Church Jan. 24 and 25, in the lecture room, will be served from 6 to 8, and the musical entertainment is to follow the supper. The tickets for the supper are 35 cents, for the musical entertainment 15 cents additional.

New Trustees Chosen.

Franklin Council, No. 41, J.O U. A. M., held a very interesting meeting last evening. Charles I. Young resigned his office of trustee, and Joseph Bogart was elected to fill the place. L. M. Dunavan was also elected to finish the unexpired term of Horace G. Adams as trustee.

Vice Councilor Isaac Squires and Conductor Daniel Dunavan were installed by Deputy Charles I. Young, who also installed the trustees-elect. One member was elected, and next Thursday evening there will be initiation. The attendance was very large.

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The large assemblage in the Congregational church last evening was given a rare treat by the concert and recital. The arrangement and selection of the programme could not have been improved upon. A Plainfield audience rarely has the pleasure of enjoying an entertainment of such excellence, and that it was appreciated was shown by the frequent and hearty applause. An instrumental trio, "Overture Rosamunde," Schubert, by Mrs. M E. Dwight, piano, Mrs. B. T. Barnes, organ, and P. Ludwig Conde, violin, was delightfully rendered, and the three parts were blended in the sweetest harmony.

Miss Kathryn Krymer, contralto, of Brooklyn, is not a stranger here, and her appearance last evening was successful in every respect. Her selection, "Thinking," by White, gave an excellent opportunity for the full scope of her rich voice, and her pleasing encore was occasion for additional favor.

Those who have heard Miss Addie Parker Jackson were perhaps never more impressed with her work than they were last evening. Her interpretation of Mary Wilkins's charming story, "Silence", was impressive. She held her completely spellbound as she recited in most realistic manner this selection. Every detail was given proper stress, inflection, or emph ... Miss Jackson was compelled to respond to a hearty encore, and she won many new friends and admirers through her perfect work.

Miss Nellie Whiton, violinist, one of Mr. Conde's pupils, was very cordially received by her many friends present. "Selections from Faust", by Gounod, was given in the same style and manner characteristic of her teacher, and her mastery of the violin was shown in every stroke of the bow.

Too seldom are the opportunities to hear Alfred Holmes, whose singing is always a pleasure. "She alone charmed my sadness", by Gounod, was a choice selection, and well adapted to his voice. An encore was given, and his response was fully appreciated.

In part second "Maid of Athens" by Allen, was rendered by Miss Krymer in her usual excellent manner, and for an encore she gave a very pretty response to the recall.

Alfred Holmes sang "Bid Me to Live", by Dalton, and again he was greeted with hearty applause. Miss Jackson followed with a selection by Brooks entitled "Swing", and delighted her audience with the rendition. A dainty little selection was given in response to the encore.

The last number on the programme was an instrumental quintette, "Serenade", by Wido. Mrs. Dwight piano; Mrs. B. T. Barnes organ; Miss Nella Whiton violin; P. Ludwig Conde violin; and Fernin Ferrer 'cello. Every part was well played, and it was all thoroughly enjoyable.

Miss Alice Coard and Mrs. Dwight were the pleasing accompanists, adding much to the programme.

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Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
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A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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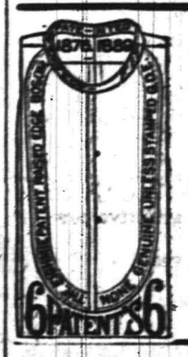

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Brussels carpet, per yard.....50cts
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PORTLAND RANGES—The leading range in the city, and we will wager $25 that that there is more sold of that range than any other in the city. Why? Simply because it is the cheapest. Cheapest because it is the best; good baker, good draught and several improvements connected with it make it the most complete range manufactured. Easy terms.

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10 piece toilet sets decorated $1.25.

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SAVED HER SLIPPERS.

A Bit of Hitherto Unpublished History of the War of 1812.

This is a chapter of semiofficial, semidomestic history, and it is vouched for by a granddaughter of the hero's family line, a Chicagoan who now lives on Dearborn avenue.

Prominent in Mr. Madison's cabinet sat, fourscore years ago, Secretary of the Navy Jones, the son of a famous shipbuilder, a man gallant not only in spirit, but in dress and manner. His fitness for his office is attested by the naval histories of the war of 1812. But the successful secretary had more wit than hair, and a wig was a sine qua non of his political and social life. All went well with this adornment until the luckless August day in 1814 when the British marched from Bladensburg upon Washington.

It will be remembered that President Madison and his cabinet stood not upon the order of their going on that occasion, but went at once—to a very retired summer resort. Every one knows how Lady "Dolly" remained behind long enough to save some valuable White House portraits from having their eyes put out by English bayonets, but few have heard how collected Mrs. Secretary Jones was in this national crisis.

Presence of mind is said to be promoted by absence of body. This lady displayed in the face of danger presence of both mind and body. As the secretary emerged from his doorway, his hands full of such family valuables as his agitated condition had allowed him to collect, Mrs. Jones confronted him with the appalling words:

"My dear, you have forgotten my slippers. You must go back and get them."

General Ross was almost at his door bringing imprisonment or death, but the unhappy man turned back to hunt the slippers, which, it is only fair to Mrs. Jones to add, were adorned with diamond buckles. In his headlong quest for these treasures—which he secured—his wig dropped off in a dark corner, and he did not dare to take time to hunt for it nor to attempt the purchase of another. The shorn appearance of the secretary, hitherto faultless in all appointments of dress, is said to have very much lessened the melancholy of the cabinet journey. It is further asserted that during the time of retirement, no matter how depressed any member of the presidential party felt over public and private woes, if he but glanced at Secretary Jones peal upon peal of irresistible laughter was sure to follow and that the despoiled Adonis cordially joined in these bursts of merriment.—Chicago Tribune.

A Malay Water Slide.

In Perak, a state in the Straits Settlements, the Malays have one form of amusement which is probably not to be enjoyed anywhere else in the wide world.

There is a huge granite slope in the course of a mountain river, down which the water trickles about two inches deep, the main stream having carved out a bed by the side of the bowlder. This rock, the face of which has been rendered as smooth as glass by the constant flow of water during hundreds of years, the Malays—men, women and children—have turned into a toboggan. Climbing to the top of the rock, they sit in the shallow water with their feet straight out and a hand on each side for steering and then slide down the 60 feet into a pool of water.

This is a favorite sport on sunny mornings, as many as 200 folks being engaged at a time and sliding so quickly one after another or forming rows of two, four or even eight persons that they tumble into the pool a confused mass of screaming creatures. There is little danger in the game, and, though some choose to sit on a piece of plantain, most of the tobogganers are content to squat on their haunches.—London Little Folks.

Life In Japan.

"It is a curious, but accepted truth," comments the wife of a naval officer who has resided a number of years in Japan, "that Americans, as a class, do not long stand up against Japan life. There is something in the air, or something lacking in it, which is peculiarly trying to us. So many naval officers serving a three or six years' duty there have come home with an incurable complaint that it is common talk in the service. Two admirals have died of abcess of the liver after several years' residence there, and other officers have had their health seriously impaired under similar conditions. I never was seriously sick in my life till I got out to the island empire, and throughout my whole stay I fought something. The English residents do not seem to suffer as we do, which is also a commented upon fact."—New York Times.

Pianos.

Excellent pianos may be bought in Europe at perhaps two-thirds the cost of a like instrument here, and even individuals can import pianos to advantage in spite of the tariff. But a fact that works pretty effectually to protect the home manufacturer is that either the American climate or the usual steam heat tends to destroy the imported piano, so that even the temptation of saving from $200 to $500 on the first cost does not induce many persons to take the risk of an instrument that cannot stand the climate.—Philadelphia Ledger.

England's Tobacco Law.

An antiquarian says that tobacco cannot be used in England save by a violation of law. In 1660 a law was made prohibiting the growth or importation of tobacco beyond a few hundred pounds of leaves every year, "to be used in medicine." It is said that this statute has never been repealed.

Bettered.

"I would like to improve my opportunities," said the good boy.

"Get the firm to leave more money in the cash drawer," suggested the lad of evil propensities.—Detroit Tribune.

Rathbone Sisters Benefit.

An entertainment and dance was given by Mrs. Andrew Cox last evening at her home 455 West Front street, for the benefit of Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters K. of P. Over a hundred guests were present to enjoy the excellent entertainment and take part in the dance which followed. At least a dozen secret organizations of Plainfield were represented in the happy party.

The following programme was rendered: Dialogue, by Misses Bertha Clum, Try Mattox and Laura Raddin; Recitation, by Miss Lilly Haberle; Banjo solo, by Mr. Sherman; Recitation, by Miss Try Mattox, followed by Miss Emma Higgins who also recited.

Each number on the programme was excellently rendered and well received.

In the donkey party which followed, Mrs. Bert Thatcher won the first prize, a poodle dog, and Geo. Pope won the booby prize.

Dancing was then enjoyed to the excellent music provided by Bert Naylor, and refreshments were served until a late hour. It was fully 2:30 when the party separated. The affair was a social and financial success, quite a sum being realized for Minerva Temple No. 4.

Plainfield Avenue Social.

An enjoyable social arranged by the Misses Griffin was given at the home of David Barry on Plainfield avenue last evening. The time was pleasantly passed in singing and dancing. Music by Mr Johnson of Dunellen, and recitations by G. Kiely added much to the evening's enjoyment. An excellent supper was served

Among those present were Jennie Stuhl from New York, Katie Judge, Kate Kiley, Kate Harrington, Kate Lyons, Kate Griffen, Kate Mulherne, Mary Lyons, Mary Griffen, Bessy Dolan, Maggie Fitzgerald, Mr and Mrs Barry, Messrs Joen and Garret Powers, William and Garret Kiley Thomas Kelly, Howard Kelly, Andrew Judge, Jack Horan, Lou Farringer, Patrick Cullin and Michael Harrington.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. Armstrong, manager.

Klotschiessen—What Is It?

Under the title of "A Game We Might Play," the Marquis of Lorne in Good Words puts in a plea for an open air winter pastime in the low countries of northern Europe which has for centuries enjoyed a sort of national reputation. It is a rough sort of golf, played without clubs or holes, is inexpensive and can be played by two single opponents or with two on a side. The article contains a very picturesque description of a match between two villages in Friesland, at which the writer was present, and conveys a striking impression of the popularity of the game and of the spirited emulation which it awakens. It is pointed out that in England there are many districts, especially in the east of the island, which are peculiarly well adapted to the game, there being in these parts much flat land where winter makes the ground hard. Wherever these conditions exist, there, we are told, the "klotschiessen," or "clotshot" game can be played with advantage.—London News.

Dabster Misunderstood.

Figg—What kind of a writer is Dabster? Is he possessed of descriptive powers?

Fogg—Unfortunately, yes.

Figg—Unfortunately?

Fogg—Yes. In his recent sketch of a western girl he spoke of her commercial traveler manner and her generous understanding. The Chicago people allowed that the "commercial traveler manner" was a compliment of which anybody except in the effete east might well be proud, but they suspected that the other characterization was a cheap fling at the size of women's shoes, and after that his writings were a drug in the western market—Boston Transcript.

Wholesale Elopement.

At Delnicze, near Flume, on the Adriatic, 26 girls were carried off on horseback in one night recently by lovers to whom their parents had refused to give them. It is not uncommon for Croatian girls to force consent to their marriage by an elopement, but an organized raid like this is unprecedented and has made a sensation even in Croatia.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

No Doubt About It.

Jack—Great crush at the De Myllions' ball last night.

Augustus (who had proposed there to Miss de Myllions and been rejected)—A tremendous crush.—New York Times.

He who unintelligently attempts what is beyond his power must leave undone his own proper work, and thus his time is wasted, be he ever so closely occupied.

Lake Huron was named from the Hurons, an Indian tribe on its shores.

Certain parts of the hippopotamus' hide attain a thickness of two inches.

Constipation

is the most common form of Dyspepsia.

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Dyspepsia Pills

(white wrapper), one after each meal, cure the most obstinate cases. They contain no mercury, do not purge nor gripe, and impart a natural healthful tone to the stomach and bowels.

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Friday, Jan. 18,
Saturday, Jan. 19,
Monday, Jan. 21.

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1½ yard wide.....8c yd
1¼ " .....9c yd
1½ " .....11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins.

2 yard wide.....14c yd
2¼ " .....15c yd
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YANKEE NOTIONS.

Good pins.....1c paper
Basting cotton large spools..1c each
Hair pins all sizes.....½c paper
Darning cotton.....½c card
Wire tea strainers.....1c each
Nutmeg grater.....1c each
Carpet tacks.....1c paper
Mustard spoons.....1c each
Lamp wicks.....½c each
Moulding hooks.....½c each
Hooks and eyes.....1c card
Hooks and eyes (patent ....3c card
Safety pins all sizes.....2c dozen
Curling irons all sizes.....3c each
Jet-head mourning pins.....3c box
Black pins.....4c box
Curtain pins.....2c dozen
Wire coat hangers.....3c each
Corset steels covered.....5c pair
Ball darning cotton.....2c ball
3 yard velvet binding.....3c piece
Sink shovels.....5c each
Sink scrubs.....3c each
Stove cover lifters.....3c each
Egg whips.....3c each
Soap shakers.....8c each
Toilet soap.....3c cake
Pot chains with handles....5c each
Asbestos stove mats (bound) 5c each
Coffee pot stands.....3c each
Sad iron stands.....3c each
Toilet paper.....5c package
Ammonia.....5c bottle
Shoe dressing.....5c bottle
Standard glass lamps complete.....15c each
Barbours linen thread.....4c spool
Covered dress stays.....2c dozen
Stock net dress shields.....8c pair
Pure rubber dress shields..10c pair
Black sewing silk 80 yds....4c spool
Wash tubs small.....35c each
" medium.....55c each
" large.....75c each
Wood water pails.....10c each
Seamless ½ hose.....4c pair
Mens heavy white shirts and drawers.....29c each
Bone hair pins.....1c each
7 inch horn bones.....3c dozen
8 " " " .....4c dozen
9 " " " .....6c dozen
10 " " " .....7c dozen
Hair crimpers 2 dozen.....5c
Machine oil.....5c bottle
Blue Seal Vaseline.....5c bottle
Gents linen collars.....8c each
Shelf oil cloth.....5c yard
Gloria silk umbrellas.....89c each
1 yard bleached muslins—Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy all at 6½c yard

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one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Can be consulted at the City Hotel, Room 2, one flight up. 1 9 6

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Monday, Jan. 21

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DEATHS.

PERRINE—In North Plainfield, Jan. 16, 1895, James V. Perrine, son of Lewis and Lydia A. Perrine, aged 15 years, 4 months and 2 days. Funeral services Saturday, Jan. 19, at 12 o'clock from parents' residence, 124 Duer st., and 12:30 from Grace M. E. Church. Interment at Mount Horeb.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOARD—To let, pleasant room, good neighborhood, central location, home comforts; a few table boarders also taken. 203 West 4th street, near Central avenue. 1 10 tf

STOLEN from in front of Mr. Simmonds' on 9th st., small hand satchel. Reward at 237 East 9th st; no questions asked.

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SALE by auction; antique and other furniture in old Norton property, 5th st. and Park avenue, on Saturday, Jan 19, at 2 o'clock sharp. T. J. Carey, auctioneer. 1 17 2

WANTED—A thoroughly competent nurse. Call at 703 Watchung ave. 1 12 tf

WANTED—House 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; reasonable rent; possession April 1. Address "Ed," care Press. 1 17 tf

WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

WANTED—May 1, house with improvements, stable, grounds; $30 to $35 rent. Address Permanent, care Press. 1 11 6

NINE-room house and stable for sale or to let; 112 Lafayette place; rent $18 per month. Stable to let, room for 6 horses; $10 per month; Watchung ave. Do you intend to move in the spring? If so, call and get a list of houses I have to let and for sale. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. Office open every night from 7 to 9 o'clock. 1 14 6

EIGHT-room house for sale or to let 69 Manning ave; price $3,100; rent $18 per month. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung ave. 1 14 6

$10,000 TO LOAN, amounts to suit; gilt edge real estate. Mulford, broker. 1 14 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 1 4 tf

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Tea Pots, 2 quart, 52c., regular price, 69c.
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Lipp Sauce Pan, 19cts. " " 25c.
" " 29cts. " " 35c.
" " 31cts. " " 37c.
" " 43cts. " " 49c
Wash Basin, 23cts. regular price, 27cts.
Water Pails, 12c., regular price, 17c
Cedar Tubs, 50c., 60c., 75c.

SPECIALS:

Laundry Soap 3c. cake, Washing Powder, 3c. cake. Silexo, 4c. cake. Pearline ½lb. 4c package.

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BOEHM'S,

113 WEST FRONT STREET.

Dole a Delegate from Alaska.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Senator Faulkner, of West Virginia, by request, introduced a bill providing for the election of a delegate to the house of representatives by the people of Alaska and prescribing the manner the election shall be held.

Hodgkins Not Indicted.

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 18.—The grand jury found no bill against Albert W. Hodgkins, of North Adams, who was held for gross carelessness in causing the wreck in Hoosac tunnell last fall, he then being telegraph operator at West Portal.

Gold Reserve $1,500,000 Lower.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Gold withdrawals at New York yesterday for export amounted to $1,500,000, reducing the gold reserve at the close of business to $74,173,216.

Noted Burglar Captured.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 18.—The burglar captured in this city while in the act of breaking into the safe of the Crescent mills, has been identified as "Kid" O'Brien, a noted Chicago criminal

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Curtis M. Thorpe and DeWitt C. Ivins of Plainfield, New Jersey, under the firm name of Thorpe & Ivins, and transacting the coal, lumber and mason's supply business at Nos. 301 311 Watchung avenue, in said city, expired on the second day of January, 1895, pursuant to the terms of the articles of partnership. The said DeWitt C. Ivins is authorized to settle all debts due to and by said co-partnership.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 12, 1895.

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9x4 sheeting 16c.
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Ladies heavy ribbed vests - 25 cents
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" merino vests and pants 33 cents
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Children's heavy seamless hose 12 cents
Ladies " " " 12 cents
Ladies full regular hose 25c quality 19 cents
Ladies fine cashmere hose - 21 cents

Coats and Capes

No profit here for us. We don't want any garment we have and they are yours at your own price

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Best Indigo Print - - - 5 cents
Heavy Domet Flannel - - 5 cents
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See that 45 in. wool serge Black and Blue 19c yard and that fine imported 45 in. serge 65c it's worth.

Toweling and Table Linen

Dinner napkins 98c dozen.
All linen cream damask 21c
70 in. all linen cream damask 38c.
Heavy linen crash 7c.
All linen huck towels 10c.
Extra heavy bath towels 15c

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This stock goes into the new store but we would rather sell it now than move it so everything goes at cost.

WHITE,

of Plainfield.

Card to the Public.

Concerning the rumors which are being circulated that I have a wife and family in England, I desire to say most emphatically there is absolutely no truth in the statements, as I can readily prove to any one who will take the trouble to call on me; and could I run the slanderer who started these reports to the ground, it would go hard with him.

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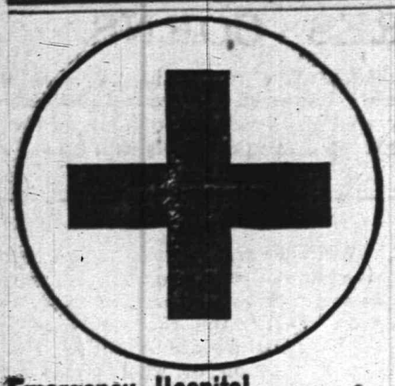

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Animation is temporarily suspended. Something must be done to start "the wheels" going again, as it were. The stomach is in no condition to digest a sufficient amount of food to nourish the other organs of the body, so they resort to

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J. A. BAILEY SAYS IT IS NOT SO DANGEROUS AS IS BELIEVED.

Tact, which Includes Patience, the Principal Requisite in Teaching Wild Beasts Circus Tricks. The Instance of a Confiding German in the Lion's Den.

"Since the exhibition of trained animals has been added to the programme of the Barnum and Bailey show," said Mr. James A. Bailey recently, "I have been frequently asked as to the degree of danger attendant upon such performances. It is the general belief all over the world that a man who goes into a den of wild carnivorous beasts takes his life in his hands, and that each time he does so and escapes unharmed he has won by a lucky chance. Some persons believe that if the trainer who handles the animals in their acts was to turn his back upon them for a single instant they would leap upon and devour him. Others again believe that the lions and tigers only await an opportunity for concerted action to destroy their keepers, while there are still others who declare that it is only through the power of the human eye that the beasts are held in subjection. To all of these opinions and beliefs, and as a final answer to all questions on the subject, I wish to state here and now that there is no danger whatever to any person entering a cage of wild beasts. Such a statement, however, will scarce be believed without some further explanation and proof.

"It is a fact that many men have been maimed, and some killed, by lions and tigers in menageries and zoological gardens throughout the world, but in every case, I venture to say, the causes leading to such accidents and deaths were of their own making. Unmerited or too severe punishment is the most frequent cause. Nearly all animals, no matter how small and insignificant, will turn and fight when cornered and in fear of their lives. A cat will make a desperate and determined fight if so placed that it cannot get away from what it believes is a desperate enemy. Just so with the larger cat animals, and nearly all of the accidents that have occurred have been caused by the brutality of trainers, who, having lost temper, have pursued to extremes an animal that did not do what it was ordered, or which did not understand what was wanted of it. Trainers of the present day, however, have come to realize this, and accidents are of rare occurrence; and I maintain that any man or woman, an entire stranger to the animals, can go in with them, and in perfect safety.

"A case in point comes to my mind. A few years ago I employed an innocent sort of German to work in the menagerie, and one of the first tasks assigned him was cleaning the lions' den. Instead of taking an iron scraper and working the bars as customary, he took a broom, opened the iron door, went in the cage, and began to sweep the floor. When a lion got in his way he would punch it with the broom and tell it in German to go away; and it did so. The man repeated his experience every day, and was never harmed. I now make this positive statement—that in both the handling and training of these animals there is no more danger than attends the training of a domestic animal. The snarling and growling of the beasts is no more indicative of a desire to claw and devour than is expressed in the bark or snarl of a canine house pet, or the hiss of a sleek tabby when its tail is stepped upon. The big brutes may growl and crouch about their cages, look dangerous, and act ferociously, and all that, but I contend, and experience has taught me that my belief is correct, that it is only through a desire to escape from the man rather than to attack him.

"It takes time and patience, more than any one not in the business can imagine, to perfect the training of these animals, and every trainer has a method of his own.

"I would further explain that trained animals will not perform the tricks taught them unless the cue is given them. Even trained horses, which are supposed to have great intelligence, will only go through their performances when the ringmaster supplies the cue, whatever it may be. Sometimes it is a motion of the whip, at others a step backward or forward, when instantly the animal will respond.

"Now, all that is necessary for any one to put through their performance any kind of trained animal or number of them, is for him to know when to give the proper cue.

"I do not believe the animals know one trainer from another, unless one has been with them for a very long time, for when some of my trainers have been taken sick, been discharged, or for other causes left my service, the trained animal part of my show has not been interrupted, but has gone on just the same, a new man having been substituted; and it is safe to say that the animals never knew the difference between the men. I have changed the men as often as five times in a season, and one man has put the beasts through their tricks quite as well as another.

"Any person who will enter the arena fearlessly and confidently, can take the trainer's whip and make the animals perform as well as a person who has handled them for months, provided always he knows what tricks the beasts are required to do, and can supply the required cues.

"I am aware that this statement may appear to most people extraordinary, because it is at variance with their preconceived notions concerning the brutal nature of all wild beasts; but I am firm in my belief and have no hesitation in making it public."

Will Sue on a Campaign Promise.

Constable Thomas Tosh of Shenandoah, Pa., proposes to institute proceedings by quo warranto against Sheriff-elect Alexander Scott of Frackville.

Tosh says he was promised the appointment of deputy by Mr. Scott before the election in consideration of his services in working for his election, and that he has now thrown him over. W. D. Selzer has been retained by Tosh as his attorney. It is claimed that Scott made his deal with Tosh in the Convention which nominated Scott. He claims that two delegates in the Convention were parties to the deal, and he worked hard for Mr. Scott during the campaign, and was instrumental in securing the remarkably large vote for him in Shenandoah.

Indiana's natural gas supply will be exhausted in less than four years, according to the annual report just made by the State Gas Inspector. He estimates that at least $25,000,000 worth of gas has been wasted in Indiana alone.

REHEARSING AMATEUR MINSTRELS.

Some of the Trials of Young Ladies Who Black-up For Charity's Sake.

Fifty bright young women, all members of the Young Ladies' Charitable Society, gathered in a hall in East Fifty-eighth street the other day to rehearse for a minstrel performance they are going to give.

After divesting themselves of macintoshes, coats, hats, and umbrellas, the performers ranged themselves in the old familiar semi-circle,

"Well, ladies, are you all ready?" cried the violinist, when the young women were comfortably seated.

"Yes," came from all sides, and then the young woman who sat in the centre, and was supposed to be the interlocutor, spoke up:

"Oh, just let's sing this morning, and take the jokes and business some other time."

"Oh, no," cried a young woman who had been fondling a tambourine. "Let's have the jokes to-day and sing some other time."

"Stop your talking, ladies," put in the stout prompter, "Your gag there, miss."

"Sir!" exclaimed the interlocutor, drawing herself up. "My gag? I don't understand you."

"I meant joke," said the young man, apologetically. "You see, it's your turn to talk. Now, after the tambo on the end has made her joke, you turn and look toward the other side, and then those three bones on the end——"

The three young women on the end happened to be uncommonly thin, and about two seconds after the stout young man had made his remark, they were on their feet and demanded to know what he meant. With much embarrassment he explained that he had given them the title from the instrument they were to play.

"Oh!" came from all sides, "that was it," and for ten minutes the rehearsal had to be stopped to give the girls an opportunity to talk it over.

"Let's practise the Seely joke, now," said the interlocutor to the stout young man. "It's a new one we girls got up, and, of course, if you don't like it, why, we'll cut it."

"Oh, let it go," said the young man, impatiently. Then one of the end men spoke up:

"Now why, oh dear, I mean, what was the matter with Seely, the bookkeeper of the Shoe and Leather Bank?"

"What was the matter with Seely, the bookkeeper of the Shoe and Leather Bank? Now, what was the matter with Seely, the bookkeeper of the Shoe and Leathdr Bank?" rejoined the interlocutor, while all the other girls sat with mouths wide open. It was the first time the joke had been tried.

"Well," chuckled the end man, "he ought to have had more sole and stuck to his last. He didn't and now he's on his uppers, and—Oh, what's the matter with you all, any way?"

"Next!" interrupted the young man, with the violin, and the humorist subsided, highly indignant.

"I've got a new one, and it's awful good," exclaimed one of the young women on the other side. The stout young man groaned, and faintly murmured: "Go on."

"Why am I like—oh, I ought to explain here; you know my face is supposed to be blackened."

"Yes, yes, go on," said the violinist.

"Well, why am I like an Irishman?"

"Why are you like an Irishman?" repeated the interlocutor. "Well, really, I don't know. Now why are you like an Irishman?"

"Because I am in cork," said the young woman.

A dead silence followed, and was broken by a crash from behind. The girls jumped up in alarm and looked around in time to see the pianist getting up from the floor.

"Please don't do anything like that again," he sighed.

The girls didn't know whether to laugh or not, but decided not to. The girl whose joke brought about all the trouble wanted to say something, but the young man warded off the attack cleverly.

"'Nuff damage done," he said. "I understand some one's got a new song. Let's hear it."

"Oh, it's I," said a girl, springing up from her chair and spilling her tamborine in her haste. "It's just a lovely one, too. A friend of mine who writes for the newspapers wrote it, and——"

"Sing it," put in the young man with the violin.

The young woman began singing to the tune of "Take a day off Mary Ann." The chorus went:

Oh, darling Laura,
How I adore her,
How I——

"I think I will cut that out," said the violinist, and the young woman retreated to her seat, where she remarked to the girl next to her that it was a shame not to give the song a chance.—New York Sun.

JUNE BUTTER IN WINTER.

Artificial Ripening of Cream by an Inoculation Process.

Prof. H. W. Conn, in some experiments in his bacteriological laboratory at Wesleyan University, has made a discovery of importance to everyone interested in the making of butter. It is well known that as butter making has been conducted it has been impossible to make the best butter in the winter time. In spite of every effort, dairymen have been unable to produce from November to May butter equal in flavor to that made in the summer. The latter has a peculiar flavor, particularly noticeable in June. For this reason the best butter is often known as "June" butter. Prof. Conn's discovery will enable dairymen to produce a peculiarly fine quality of "June" butter throughout the year.

The first step in butter making is known as ripening the cream. It is a process much similar to the fermentation of beer, and is similarly produced by the growth and multiplication of millions of bacteria which were originally present in the cream. The quality of the butter depends almost wholly upon the kind of bacteria in the cream, and the reason why it has been impossible to make the best butter in winter is due to the fact that the species of bacteria which give the peculiar flavor to June butter are not present, naturally, during the cold weather. But they may be cultivated artificially, and that is just what Dr. Conn has done.

Mutually Appreciated.

"I like your cheek," said the indignant maiden to the youth who kissed her.

"And I like yours," said he, as he kissed her again.—Truth.

TROLLEY CARS HELD UP

Green Hands and Passengers Assaulted.

Brooklyn Police Club the Strikers—Indications That the Trouble Will Soon Be Ended—Several Lines Come to Terms with Their Men and Begin Operations.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 18.—The great trolley strike is still on, but there are indications that it will soon be ended. One company, that which operates the De Kalb avenue line, came to terms with its men and its cars are in full operation. Not a car was moved yesterday in the eastern or southern part of the city. Some forty lines are still tied-up, and at nightfall cars were stopped on all lines except the De Kalb avenue line, which was the only line operated without police protection through the day.

There were more instances of interference with the cars by strikers and their friends than any day since Monday, and the police had their hands full. Cars were held up, windows smashed, and green motormen and conductors assaulted. The police used their clubs freely and captured half a dozen men and one woman from the mobs of stone throwers.

One of the cars of the Fifth avenue line in charge of a green motorman and conductor, was held up by strikers just before it completed a round trip. The car was crowded with passengers and the conductor had collected many fares. When the police extricated the car from the crowd it was found that the conductor had disappeared, and taken the company's cash with him. The windows of the car were broken by flying stones and ice. Several passengers were hit but not seriously injured. The strikers claim that thirty of the new men on the Fifth avenue line have deserted the company. At 6 o'clock last night the crowd about the stables at Fifth avenue had increased and there were signs of trouble brewing if the company attempted to run the cars after night fall. At 7 o'clock this line stopped for the night.

The Putnam avenue and Halsey street line had considerable trouble all the afternoon. At 5 o'clock the crowd around the stables numbered fully one thousand. The strikers were in an angry mood. The police had great difficulty in keeping the tracks clear, and clubs were used freely whenever the crowd became boisterous. At 5 o'clock no more cars were sent out, and as fast as those on the line arrived they were housed for the night.

Mayor Schieren was appealed to by the executive committee representing the strikers, and asked to compel the companies to operate their roads or forfeit their charters. He heard their case, sent for the corporation counsel, and summoned Presidents Lewis and Norton. After a conference with them in which they refused to make any concessions to their striking employes, and refused to sign any agreement whatever with a labor organization, the mayor said that he had not accomplished anything, but would devote his energies to finding some way of settling the strike in the interest of the public.

Last evening a mass meeting of citizens called by merchants whose business is seriously affected by the strike, was held, and the action of the railroad companies in refusing to make terms with their employes was denounced.

Not a Model Family.

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 18.—Simon Williams, aged 11 years and his sister Florence, aged 13 years, quarrelled. Simon attacked Florence with a stable fork. One of the sharp prongs passed through her cheek, another through her ear, and a third entered the neck, inflicting probably fatal injuries. The children were keeping house. Their mother recently committed suicide and their father is in jail, awaiting trial on a serious charge.

Death in a Snow Slide.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 18.—Charles Mitchell and two other miners named Moore and McMillan, owners of the Eureka mine, while returning to the mine from Kaslo, B. C., were killed in a snow slide ten miles from that town. Two miners working on the Silverton mine in the path of the slide are missing, and there is no doubt they were killed. The mass of snow was 20 feet high and 200 yards long.

A New Cup Defender.

New York, Jan. 18.—Mr. William K. Vanderbilt, Commodore E. D. Morgan and Mr. C. Oliver Iselin, of the New York Yacht club, have decided to build a yacht to defend the America's Cup in the coming yacht races between the New York Yacht club and the Royal British squadron. Mr. Iselin will be placed in charge of the new cup-defender.

Protective League's Report.

New York, Jan. 18.—The American Protective Tariff league held its annual meeting yesterday. According to General Secretary Wakeman's report the total receipts of the league for the past year were $55,341.02 and the disbursements $52,265.92, leaving a cash balance of $3,075.10. The total membership is 959.

Murdered on a Train.

Perry, O. T., Jan. 18.—On a passenger train between Edmond and Oklahoma City, Will Classen, a prominent citizen of Edmond, shot and killed A. Wallace, a wealthy resident of Edmond. Wallace and Classen had been partners for years and it is alleged Wallace was intimate with Classen's wife.

Murdered by Anarchists.

Rome, Jan. 18.—Signor Celli, attorney-general of the province of Milan, was found murdered in his office in Milan. His body was horribly mutilated. There is every indication that the murder is the work of anarchists.

Hanged for Killing a Policeman.

New Westminster, B. C., Jan. 18.—Yesterday morning Louis Victor was hanged in the jail yard here for the murder of Peter, an Indian policeman at Cheam, on the 17th of September last.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 16 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

7 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 1 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

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Senate Lodge, 3543, Knights of Honor.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the First and Third Thursday evenings of each month in Stillman Building, No. 213 West Front street, at 8 p. m.

E. C. Pease, Dictator.
H. A. Thorpe, Reporter. 3 6 tf

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T. A. Rogers, Secretary.

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Chas. Yeager, Secretary.
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Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.

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AFFAIRS AT NICARAGUA

Clarence Still Chief of Mosquito Territory.

Urges Great Britain To Insist That the Rights of His People Be Respected — Gen. Cabezas' Ideas of a Popular Election — Remington Rifles as Persuaders.

Kingston, Jan. 18.—Prince, or Chief Clarence, has taken his cause and that of his people in hand, and is urging Great Britain to insist on the rights of the Mosquito Indians as guaranteed by the Managua treaty. The question has been in abeyance pending a careful investigation by Great Britain. Not only has Nicaragua violated her treaty with Great Britain but England has a real grievance of her own in the imprisonment and deportation of Mr. Edwin D. Hatch, H. B. M., vice-consul at Bluefields, Mosquito; in the withdrawal of the exequatur of Mr. Herbert Bingham, H. B. M., consul at Greytown, and in the large and substantial damages suffered by the British merchants and planters in the Mosquito reserve. At any hour one may expect to hear of a naval demonstration by Great Britain. H. M. S. Mohawk, is at Port Limon, Costa Rica, within one hundred and twenty miles of Bluefields, and other vessels are available. Nicaragua will be forced to make the amends for her deliberate insult to British representatives, and she will have to indemnify the sufferers. The Nicaragua-Mosquito plot has thickened. Recently the world has informed of the election of Andrew Handy as the successor to Chief Clarence, and Nicaraguan aversion in the election simply has strengthened Great Britain's claims. As usual, General Cabezas was the principal power the election was his handiwork. A chief had to be elected. By such an election Nicaragua sought to escape from the penalties that she has incurred by her forcing Chief Clarence to fly after three attempts on his life. The fact must not be lost sight of that the whole status of the Mosquito Indians has been clearly defined under the Managua treaty, or that accepted by Nicaragua and Great Britain. The latter provides for the absolute independence of the Mosquitos, who, for nearly two centuries were under a British protectorate. General Cabezas' ideas of a popular election are of the true Spanish-American type. He sent his deputies out into the reserve to bring in the Indians to elect a chief. The Indians are loyal, many well educated by the Moravian missionaries. They declined, were locked up and they were not released until they had promised to obey his orders. The usual Spanish-American persuaders—Remington rifles—were there, and nearly one thousand Nicaraguan soldiers are in the reserve. The presence of any soldier within the reserve is especially precluded by the treaty of Managua. The captive Indians, for such they were, were forced to walk into Bluefields and take part in the election. Andrew Handy was elected but his election was illegal and of no effect, nor does it in anywise impair Chief Clarence's acknowledged chiefainship of the Mosquito territory. Nicaragua's declaring him a rebel does not make him one. When General Cabezas came into power he issued a decree, acting for the president of Nicaragua, General Zelaya. The decrees are at variance with the treaty and in all probability will be ruled out in an ultimate settlement as ultra vires.

CRISP SERIOUSLY ILL.

Advised to Leave Washington, but Declines to Do So.

Washington, Jan. 18. — Speaker Crisp's friends are very anxious about his physical condition. At the capitol it is said by those close to the speaker that he is suffering from neuralgia of the muscles of the heart. The fact has been kept from him for some time past in the hope that the trouble might yield to treatment. Instead of improving, it has been aggravated by other complications brought on by a severe cold.

His physician advised him to leave Washington and seek absolute rest from all active mental and physical labor. Mr. Crisp hesitates to leave the speaker's chair at this stage in the session, and up to the present time he declines to follow the advice of his doctor, so far as leaving Washington is concerned.

Officers Elected by the N. Y. S. W. A

Albany, Jan 18.—At the afternoon session of the State Workingmen's assembly yesterday the following were elected: President, Wm. J. O'Brien; first vice-president, Geo. W. Coleman; second vice-president, Christopher Ward; secretary, Charles W. Hoadley; treasurer, James P. Archibold, all of New York; legislative committee, James H. Dulin, P. H. McCormack and J. H. Doyle, all of Albany.

Cullom Renominated.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—The republican members of the legislature in caucus nominated Senator Shelby M. Cullom to succeed himself. The caucus took the form of a big political gathering in the house of representatives, with open doors, both floor and galleries being filled.

Denounced by Balfour.

London, Jan. 18.—In a speech in Manchester, Arthur Balfour, the unionist leader, denounced the Indian import duties on cotton. The only settlement of India's financial troubles, he said, would be found in the readjustment of her currency.

Killed His Sweetheart's Father.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 18.—Osborne Garten, aged 16, killed J. H. Hudson, a prominent citizen of Monroe county. Garten was in love with Hudson's daughter and when Hudson attacked the boy during a quarrel, he was stabbed.

A Cyclist Comes To Grief.

New York, Jan. 18.—Frederick Nash, the Boston professional, who set out to pedal to South America, came to grief after getting as far as Punta Gorda, Fla.

THE COOLER'S WHITE BRIDE.

Frank Craig Engaged to a Buxom English Lass.

New York, Jan. 18.—Frank Craig, the "Harlem Coffee Cooler," not content with demolishing fourteen lights of the English prize ring since Oct. 8, 1894, in battles none of which lasted more than four rounds, has now conquered the heart of a handsome English girl, 22 years of age, and well endowed with this world's goods. This is Bessie Burton, daughter of old "Bobby" Burton, well known in sporting and theatrical circles chiefly as "Pony" Moore's side partner. The facts were conveyed to this country in a letter from Edward Hoiske, editor of a London sporting paper, to "Doc" Ordway, of Boston.

The contrast in hues will not be reckoned as startling in England as it would here, for on the other side of the Atlantic there is no objection to colored men of any nationality. Since Craig's English expedition his fame has grown like a mushroom, and he is, comparatively speaking at any rate, rolling in money. He waited till after he had dispatched Teddy Pritchard with the utmost promptitude before he declared the love that had been smoldering in his manly bosom since Bessie's papa had feted the conqueror of Jack O'Brien at his Battersea residence. The marriage date has not been settled, and the happy pair will, at any rate, not be made one until, as Craig confidently expects, he has made a chopping block of Frank Slavin.

TEN YEARS FOR MURDER.

Mrs. Lodwon Sentenced with Her Baby in Her Arms.

Buffalo, Jan. 18.—Anna Lodwon was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment at Auburn for the part she took in the murder of her first husband, George Harowicz.

Mrs. Lodwon looked quite indifferent when she appeared in court. She carried in her arms the baby which has been the companion of her captivity. Her attorney made a very touching plea for leniency.

Judge Hatch commanded the prisoner to stand up, and she arose, still holding the baby, which was playing with a blue blotter. The court said the jury had been very charitable with the prisoner, and had recommended mercy, and the request would be heeded.

"The sentence of the court is that you be confined in the state prison for women at Auburn at hard labor for the term of ten years."

Mrs. Lodwon displayed no particular emotion, but muttered to herself as she sat down.

Lodwon, her accomplice, will be sentenced later.

Defalcation Leads to Suicide.

Beaver Falls, Pa., Jan. 18.—Last evening Harry W. Beegle, committed suicide at the residence of his brother Frederick, by shooting himself through the head. Beegle was a traveling salesman for W. K. Gillespie, wholesale grocer, Pittsburg, and widely known. Shortage in his accounts was the cause of the deed. An officer called upon him to serve a warrant for his arrest. When the officer approached, Beegle drew a revolver and sent a bullet into his head. He was 45 years of age, and leaves a wife and one child.

Paul Jones Ahead.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 18.—Among the passengers by the Empress of Japan is J. Nesse, the new Japan consul, Dr. O. Schmidt-Soda, who is en route to Samoa to assume the position of German consul-general, and Paul Jones, who started from New York to travel around the world on a wager. He left without a cent and had to accomplish the trip in a certain time, besides earning $5,000. He has already got $4,800, and has three weeks in which to get to New York. He is pretty sure to win the wager.

Digiake Miners Doomed.

London, Jan. 18.—The rescuing parties which have been at work in the Digiake colliery, at Henley, since the mine was overflowed by a rush of water from the old workings, have met with fresh and insuperable obstacles, and have, consequently, abandoned their efforts to reach the unfortunate men who were entombed alive. It is impossible that any of the miners whose escape was cut off by the flooding of the mine can still survive.

Butte's Powder Explosion Calamity.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 18.—The dead reported this morning as the result of the powder explosion number 49 and the injured 65. The bodies of four of the firemen have not yet been recovered. They are Samuel Ash, David Moses, Ed Sloan and P. J. Norland. Their bodies were undoubtedly blown into fragments. The inquest began yesterday afternoon.

New York State Banks.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The 272 national banks of New York state, exclusive of Albany, New York and Brooklyn, had on Dec. 19 last: Loans and discounts, $97,059,000; lawful money reserve, $8,920,000; gold, $4,885,000; individual deposits, $91,332,000; bills payable, $311,469. Average reserve held 28.13.

Duke of Argyll Retires.

London, Jan. 18.—The Duke of Argyll, who suddenly fainted Tuesday night while addressing a Glasgow meeting, has announced his retirement from public life.

Four Young Women Drowned.

Blue Rapids, Kan., Jan. 18.—Four young ladies were drowned at Winkler's Mills, near here, yesterday, while skating on Blue river.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR — Firm. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.85.

WHEAT—Dull. No. 2 red, 62⅝c.

CORN—Quiet. No. 2, 51¼c.; steamer, 49¼c.

OATS—Fairly steady. No. 2 white, 37½c.; No. 2 mixed, 34c.

PORK—Firm. Extra prime, 13.50@16.00; mess, 12.75@13.25.

LARD—Quiet. January, 7.00.

BUTTER—Slow. Creamery, state and Pennsylvania; fresh extras, 23@23½c.; creamery, western extra, 25@25½c.

CHEESE—Dull. State, full cream fancy, 11¾c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Dull. Western, 21¾c.

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The daily press of the large cities has contained account after account of remarkable cases of "health restored by Paine's celery compound.

Some of the most famous men and women in the country have very recently "authorized the publication of their unsolicited testimonials They or their physicians have frankly told how, when all else had failed, Paine's celery compound made them well.

The Boston Herald has just devoted a page or more to interviews with prominent men and women in that city who had been made well the past year by Paine's celery compound.

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ROGERS—OYSTERS

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Stimson stood in a corner and glowered. He was a fierce man and had indomitable whiskers, albeit he was very small.

"That young tarrier," he whispered to himself. "He wants to quit makin' eyes at Lizzie. This is too much of a good thing. First thing you know, he'll get fired."

His brow creased in a frown, he strode over to the huge open doors and looked at a sign. "Stimson's Mammoth Merry-Go-Round," it read, and the glory of it was great. Stimson stood and contemplated the sign. It was an enormous affair; the letters were as large as men. The glow of it, the grandeur of it was very apparent to Stimson. At the end of his contemplation, he shook his head thoughtfully, determinedly. "No, no," he muttered. "This is too much of a good thing. First thing you know, he'll get fired."

A soft booming sound of surf, mingled with the cries of bathers, came from the beach. There was a vista of sand and sky and sea that drew to a mystic point far away in the northward. In the mighty angle, a girl in a red dress was crawling slowly like some kind of a spider on the fabric of nature. A few flags hung lazily above where the bathhouses were marshalled in compact squares. Upon the edge of the sea, stood a ship with its shadowy sails painted dimly upon the sky, and high overhead in the still, sun-shot air a great hawk swung and drifted slowly.

Within the merry-go-round there was a whirling circle of ornamental lions, giraffes, camels, ponies, goats, glittering with varnish and metal that caught swift reflections from windows high above them. With stiff wooden legs, they swept on in a never-ending race while a great orchestrion clamored in wild speed. The summer sunlight sprinkled its gold upon the garnet canopies carried by the tireless racers and upon all the devices of decoration that made Stimson's machine magnificent and famous. A host of laughing children bestrode the animals, bending forward like charging cavalrymen and shaking reins and whooping in glee. At intervals they leaned out perilously to clutch at iron rings that were tendered to them by a long wooden arm. At the intense moment before the swift grab for the rings one could see their little nervous bodies quiver with eagerness; the laughter rang shrill and excited. Down in the long rows of benches, crowds of people sat watching the game while occasionally a father

"YOU'D BETTER ATTEND STRICTLY TO YOUR BUSINESS."

might arise and go near to shout encouragement, cautionary commands, or applause at his flying off-spring. Frequently mothers called out: "Be careful, Georgie!" The orchestrion bellowed and thundered on its platform, filling the ears with its long monotonous song, while over in a corner, a man in a white apron and behind a counter roared above the tumult: "Pop corn! Pop corn!"

A young man stood upon a small, raised platform, erected in the manner of a pulpit and just without the line of the circling figures. It was his duty to manipulate the wooden arm and affix the rings. When all were gone into the hands of the triumphant children, he held forth a basket, into which they returned all save the coveted brass one, which meant another ride free and made the holder very illustrious. The young man stood all day upon his narrow platform, affixing rings or holding forth the basket. He was a sort of general squire in this list of childhood. He was very busy.

And yet Stimson, the astute, had noticed that the young man frequently found time to twist about on his platform and smile at a girl who shyly sold tickets behind a silvered netting. This, indeed, was the great reason of Stimson's glowering. The young man upon the raised platform had no manner of license to smile at the girl behind the silvered netting. It was a most gigantic insolence. Stimson was amazed at it. "By jiminy," he said to himself again, "that fellow is smiling at my daughter." Even in this tone of great wrath it could be discerned that Stimson was filled with wonder that any youth should dare smile at the daughter in the presence of the august father.

Often the dark-eyed girl peered between the shining wires, and, upon being detected by the young man, she usually turned her head away quickly to prove to him that she was not interested. At other times, however, her eyes seemed filled with a tender fear lest he should fall from that exceedingly dangerous platform. As for the young man, it was plain that these glances filled him with valor, and he stood carelessly upon his perch, as if he deemed it of no consequence that he might fall from it. In all the complexities of his daily life and duties he found opportunity to gaze ardently at the vision behind the netting.

This silent courtship was conducted over the heads of the crowd who thronged about the bright machine. The swift, eloquent glances of the young man went noiselessly and unseen with their message. There had finally become established between the two in this manner a subtle understanding and companionship. They communicated accurately all that they wished. The boy told his love, his reverence, his hope in the changes of the future. The girl told him that she loved him, that she did not love him, that she did not know if she loved him, that she loved him. Sometimes a little sign saying "cashier" in gold letters, and hanging upon the silvered netting, got directly in range and interfered with a tender message.

The love affair had not continued without anger, unhappiness, despair. The girl had once smiled brightly upon a youth who came to buy some tickets for his little sister, and the young man upon the platform observing this smile had been filled with gloomy rage. He stood like a dark statue of vengeance upon his pedestal and thrust out the basket to the children with a gesture that was full of scorn for their hollow happiness, for their insecure and temporary joy. For five hours he did not once look at the girl when she was looking at him. He was going to crush her with his indifference; he was going to demonstrate that he had never been serious. However, when he narrowly observed her in secret he discovered that she seemed more blythe than was usual with her. When he found that his apparent indifference had not crushed her he suffered greatly. She did not love him, he concluded. If she had loved him she would have been crushed. For two days he lived a miserable existence upon his high perch. He consoled himself by thinking of how unhappy he was, and by swift, furtive glances at the loved face. At any rate he was in her presence, and he could get a good view from his perch when there was no interference by the little sign: "Cashier."

But suddenly, swiftly, these clouds vanished and under the imperial blue sky of the restored confidence, they dwelt in peace, a peace that was satisfaction, a peace that, like a babe, put its trust in the treachery of the future. This confidence endured until the next day, when she, for an unknown cause, suddenly refused to look at him. Mechanically, he continued his task, his brain dazed, a tortured victim of doubt, fear, suspicion. With his eyes he supplicated her to telegraph an explanation. She replied with a stony glance that froze his blood. There was a great difference in their respective reasons for becoming angry. His were always foolish, but apparent, plain as the moon. Hers were subtle, feminine, as incomprehensible as the stars, as mystic as the shadows at night.

They fell and soared, and soared and fell in this manner until they knew that to live without each other would be a wandering in deserts. They had grown so intent upon the uncertainties, the variations, the guessings of their affair that the world had become but a huge immaterial background. In time of peace their smiles were soft and prayerful, caresses confided to the air. In time of war, their youthful hearts, capable of profound agony, were wrung by the intricate emotions of doubt. They were the victims of the dread angel of affectionate speculation that forces the tired brain endlessly on roads that lead nowhere.

At night, the problem of whether or not she loved him confronted the young man like a specter, looming as high as a hill and telling him not to delude himself. Upon the following day, the battle of the night displayed itself in the renewed fervor of his glances and in their increased number. Whenever he thought he could detect that she too was suffering, he felt a thrill of joy.

But there came a time when the young man looked back upon these contortions with contempt. He believed then that he had imagined his pain. This came about when the redoubtable Stimson marched forward to participate.

"This has got to stop," Stimson

said to himself, as he stood and watched them. They had grown careless of the light world that clattered about them; they were become so engrossed in their personal drama that the language of their eyes was almost as obvious as gestures. And Stimson, through his keenness, his wonderful, infallible penetration, suddenly came into possession of these obvious facts. "Well, of all the nerves," he said, regarding with a new interest the young man upon the perch.

He was a resolute man. He never hesitated to grapple with a crisis. He decided to overturn everything at once, for, although small, he was very fierce and impetuous. He resolved to crush this dreaming.

He strode over to the silvered netting. "Say, you want to quit your everlasting grinning at that idiot," he said, grimly.

She cast down her eyes and made a little heap of quarters into a stack. She was unable to withstand the terrible scrutiny of her small and fierce father.

Stimson turned from his daughter and went to a spot beneath the platform. He fixed his eyes upon the young man and said: "I've been speakin' to Lizzie. You better attend strictly to your own business or there'll be a new man here next week." It was as if he had blazed away with a shotgun. The young man reeled upon his perch. At last he in a measure regained his composure and managed to stammer: "A—all right, sir." He knew that denials would be futile with the terrible Stimson. He agitatedly began to rattle the rings in the basket and pretend that he was obliged to count them or inspect them in some way. He, too, was unable to face the great Stimson.

For a moment, Stimson stood in great satisfaction and gloated over the effect of his threat. "I've fixed them," he said complacently, and went out to smoke a cigar and revel in himself. Through his mind went the proud reflection that people who came in contact with his granite will usually ended in quick and abject submission.

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—A telephone, No. 57, has been placed in the residence of A. L. Force, 82 Duer street.

—J. N. Richardson has been improving his house on East Sixth street. I. L. McVoy is doing the work.

—Irenus Allen, will soon commence the erection of two new houses on Somerset street, east of the homestead property.

—The regular monthly consecration meeting of the First Baptist Christian Endeavor Society will be held this evening.

—That best of all Hoyt's comedies, "A Texas Steer", with the best company ever engaged in its production, will be in Music Hall next Monday night. George Woodward as "Maverick Brander", Miss Alice Evans as "Bossy Brander", O. H. Barr as "Brassy Gall", John H. Browne as "Fairleigh Bright", and Charles L. Warren, Jr., as "Maj. Yell", have all made hits this season.

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The Civil Service Commission takes this opportunity of stating that these examinations are open to all reputable citizens who may desire to enter the postal service, without regard to their political affiliations. All such citizens, whether Democrats or Republicans, or neither, are invited to apply. They shall be examined, graded, and certified with entire impartiality, and wholly without regard to their political views, or to any consideration save their efficiency, as shown by the grades they obtain in the examination.

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PLAINFIELD THOUGHT SHE WON.

But 'Twas an Error in Addition, and Elizabeth Was True Victor.

A most interesting and closely contested game was rolled on the Trade Temple alleys last night between the Plainfield Bowling Club and the Young Men's Catholic Literary Association of Elizabeth, who have successfully defended the Elizabeth Journal trophy the last two years. It was witnessed by fully two hundred bowling enthusiasts, who yelled themselves hoarse at every possible occasion, and the occasions were of almost constant recurrence.

It was probably the most interesting game ever bowled on the alleys, every pin possible being needed by the contestants from start to finish. The P. B. C. went to the post as "odds on" favorites, and at the drop of the flag were off like a shot, leading in the stretch by 19 pins; but the Elizabeth boys trotted up to the bunch and led by a nose in the second, set the pace down the back stretch, and were never headed, leading at the wire by a neck.

Clogher's 202 was the feature of the game, and he was closely followed by Petrie of the home team, who pushed them over 194 times before the race was done.

The Elizabeth contingent was fully fifty strong, and as rooters they are distinguished successes according to the indisputable evidence of some of Netherwood's citizens, who solemnly assert they could hear them yell at frequent intervals during the game.

The P. B. C's and their rooters awakened the echoes as often as they could get their breath, and the collective vocal endeavors of the assembly to win the game for their favorites resulted in pandemonium itself when an error in addition made the official scorer announce "1605—1607 P. B. C." at the close of the contest.

Coats, hats, canes, voices, and arms, filled the air; and it was some time before the racket subsided sufficiently to allow the corrected score to be heard above the tumult.

Before departing the Y. M. C. L. A. were presented with the horseshoe which, many believed, was the P. B. C's mascot, but which turned out to be their mascot.

The score:

Y. M. C. L. A.		P. B. C.	
Nolte	136	VanEmburgh	138
McCabe	179	Buckle	174
Fields	178	Barnes	161
Engel	139	Maltby	171
McCloud	162	Petrie	194
Clogher	202	Pope	159
L. Sauer	147	Doane	142
Collins	153	VanAlstyne	148
W. Sauer	162	Vail	165
C. Sauer	152	Watters	155
	1615		1607

BY FRAMES.

Y.M.C.L.A 155 317 492 653 826 972 1145 1303 1461 1615
P. B. C....174 315 476 623 793 933 1068 1241 1431 1607

Scorers—J. J. Gilroy, H. H. Coward.
Referees—P. J. Carroll, B. A. Meeker.
Captains—Joseph Nolte, H. C. VanEmburgh.

Cranford's First Home-Print.

The Daily Press extends its greetings to its valued neighbor, the Cranford Chronicle. Editor Potter has put in his own plant, and is prepared to show the people of the progressive town what a lively chap he can be with home facilities for printing not only the news in his paper but also whatever the citizens want in the nature of job work. Mr. Potter showed his good taste in selecting a North Plainfield girl for his halpmeet; since he became a Benedick he has prospered and progressed even greater than before. There's nothing like having a good counselor as well as a good head.

Professor Boyesen in Plainfield.

Professor H. H. Boyesen, the well-known novelist and critic, will deliver a lecture in the Casino next Monday afternoon, under the auspices of the Monday Afternoon Club. His subject will be "The Influence of Goethe", a theme which his studies in German literature must have rendered him specially fitted to treat. He is always an interesting speaker, and has been heard with much pleasure in Plainfield on former occasions.

The Weight Distributed.

A feature of the new style of rubber shoes now being tried on the fire department horses is that the foot steps squarely on the ground, and the weight is thus spread over the full flat surface instead of being borne on the toenails (so to speak) as is the case with the ordinary calked iron shoes.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

LIVE BIRDS AT FANWOOD.

And Lively Shooting at Them by Expert Handlers of the Gun.

A large number of sportsmen assembled at the Benner shooting grounds yesterday to witness a match between John Benner and Alfred Heritage of Jersey City, and were much disappointed at the non appearance of Mr. Heritage, who telegraphed that he was detained by sickness. In lieu of the match a number of sweepstakes was shot, John Rothacker of Philadelphia being among those who were present in the events, which resulted as follows:

First event—five live birds, $3 entrance, T. H. Keller and J. Benner each killed five and divided first; C. Smith and J. Darby taking second with four; J. Rothacker scored three and Geo. Piercy two.

Event second—same conditions, T. H. Keller, C. Smith, D. Terry and Scott divided first with straight scores of five; J. Darby, Benner, Rothacker and Piercy taking second with four.

Third event—miss and out, $4 entrance was divided by T. H. Keller, P. Jay, C Smith and Scott each scoring five; Benner scored four; Darby, D. Terry and Bowlby two each; Rothacker one; Piercy dropping out on the first round.

Fourth event—eight birds, $5 entrance. J. Rothacker, D. Terry and Scott scored all their birds, dividing first money; C. Smith and T. H. Keller second with seven; Piercy, J. Darby and P. Jay third, with six; Benner five.

The last event was another miss and out affair in which Keller, Piercy and Scott divided the purse, each scoring four birds, D. Terry missing on fourth, Benner on third and Smith and Rothacker on second.

An Affectionate Testimonial.

[Contributed.]

The many warm friends of Rev. Dr. W. W. Page, whose brief ministry at the Church of the Heavenly Rest was so brilliant in its promise and so treacherously robbed of its fruitfulness, have sought more than once since the Doctor's resignation to express their esteem for him and their earnest gratitude for his devoted services during the months of his residence here, and for his beautiful example of Christian spirituality.

This sincere regard was delicately and touchingly expressed by a number of Dr. Page's former parishoners—all of whom are now connected with the Church of the Redeemer—when on Thursday afternoon they met at the home of Mrs. L. Davis on Clinton avenue to pack a box of dainties for Dr. Page's only son, Kent Page, who is lying very ill at Highland Falls, N. Y. The young man spent several weeks in town last Summer, and by his frank, pleasant manner made all his father's friends his own, while the mutual devotion of father and son won universal admiration.

The box of good things contained fruits, jellies, bouillons and every delicacy that could tempt an invalid's appetite, or "minister to the inner man" as one of the number phrased it, together with some beautiful cut flowers and several notes of affectionate and friendly sympathy.

How much more there was of the unselfish pleasure of giving and of ministering to those in trouble, cannot be expressed.

To Change the Meeting Place.

The Gospel Temperance meetings which have been held in Music Hall Sundays since October 21, will be continued in the rooms of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, corner of Watchung avenue and Fourth street, until further notice. The organization regret the necessity for the change, but owing to the cold and stormy Sundays the offerings did not meet the expense. A fund has been started, and when by the generosity of interested friends it has reached a sufficient amount to warrant the return to Music Hall, the meetings there may be resumed. Who will help in this good cause?

Rev. E. L. Hyde will address the meeting Sunday, Jan. 20.

Handles Plainfield Realty.

The busy man of the Spring is the real-estate broker, and none is more busy than E. C. Mulford of 169 North avenue, who is entrusted with so many properties that the wonder is how he manages them all. That ceases to be a wonder when one realizes his executive ability and his thorough knowledge of the real estate of Plainfield. He is busy all the year, and yet has time enough to satisfy all who have premises to dispose of or who are in search of new quarters. His lists contain all the desirable places.

Miss May Stockton Shreve of Grove street has set forth in the current number of Harper's Young People an attractive idea for a young girl's luncheon under the title of "A Literary Salad". The problem of how to provide entertainment of a nature not too frivolous for young people, without becoming pedantic and dull, has always been a difficult one, and Miss Shreve's suggestion will be remembered as one of the details of its solution. The article will be perused with interest, not only by her friends, but by all the readers of the Young People.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Alexander of East Fifth street is a victim of the grip.

Joseph Line of Duer street is confined to his bed with the grip.

The Lady Cyclers are preparing for a dance at Rutgers College Jan. 28.

Miss Stella Dennis of North Plainfield is suffering from an attack of the grip.

Miss Abbie Mellick of LaGrande avenue is suffering with an affection of the ear.

Mrs. C. G. Crawford of East Fifth street has just recovered from an attack of the grip.

Rev. S. P. Simpson and Rev. Jocelyn Johnston will exchange pulpits Sunday morning.

Miss Lucie P. Davis of East Fifth street will spend next week with friends in Brooklyn.

Francis K. Anderson of East Fifth street has just recovered from an attack of the grip.

Miss Mabel Force of West Fourth street is visiting Miss M. Alice MacDonald of Jersey City Heights.

Mrs. C. P. Ralli of Belvidere avenue has been confined to the house since Christmas with the asthma.

Theodore Smith, an employe of Findley's Second street wineroom, is ill with muscular rheumatism.

Rev. Frank Wright is still unable, because of illness, to come to Plainfield for his evangelistic work.

Charles W. Runyon, manager of the telephone exchange, is to remove to 124 East Fourth street March 1.

Miss Edna Howell of East Sixth street is spending Saturday and Sunday with relatives in New Brunswick.

Charles Harkins, one of New Brunswick's master plumbers, visited many Plainfield friends yesterday.

J. E. Townsend, proprietor of the Somerset street granite and marble works, is ill at his home with the grip.

Mrs. R. W. Rice, who has been visiting friends in the borough several days, returned to Philadelphia yesterday.

Mr. Prout of the firm of W. W. Cook & Co., the sewer contractors of Plainfield, is spending Saturday and Sunday in Jersey City.

Miss Rogers of La Grande avenue, principal in one of the high schools in New York city, is confined to the house with the grip.

Mrs. F. T. Ketcham of East Fifth street has been confined to the house for a week with the grip. Miss Julia Ketcham has just recovered from a severe attack.

William A. Wheeler of LaGrande avenue is recovering from a severe attack of the grip, which has confined him to his house two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Higgins of Liberty street went today to Centreville, Hunterdon County, to visit Mrs. Higgins's parents for a few days.

Clifford M. Crane of West Eighth street has accepted a position with the Fidelity and Casualty Insurance Company of Broadway, New York.

John B. Morrison of 101 Duer street, one of Plainfield's oldest typos, for many years past employed in New York, is at his home ill with the grip.

A. D. Thompson expects to go to Carrabelle, Florida, Tuesday, Jan. 29, on a business trip to the great lumber district. Mrs. Thompson will probably accompany him.

Mrs G. P. Mellick of LaGrande avenue is slowly improving from a serious operation performed in New York. Her many friends greatly rejoice over her improvement.

George P. Bull of East Ninth street is home again on a short visit from the hospital. Mr. Bull has had a very serious operation performed, but is recovering rapidly.

Mr. Coard of East Ninth street is ill with the grip at the home of Dr. Roberts, Lexington avenue, New York. He was visiting his daughter Mabel, who boards there, when he was taken ill.

The members of the Monday Afternoon Club will enjoy readings from "Faust" by George Riddle, with organ accompaniment by Frank Taft, in the Seventh-Day Baptist Church, Monday afternoon, Feb. 4, at 3.

E. S. Warren, who was formerly employed at the electric-light plant in this city, and who went to Nevada to engage in silver mining with his brother, is well established in business, and likes it so much that he says he will never stay East again.

Miss Virginia Costelles of Kensington avenue was given a very pleasant surprise party last evening. It was arranged by Miss Beulah Waters and Miss Clara L. Crane. The evening was very enjoyably spent in playing games, after which refreshments were served.

John N. Winne of 471 West Twenty-second street, New York, is making a short visit at the home of J. A. Freeman of Watchung avenue. Mr. Winne is one of the largest lumber dealers of New York and Albany, having control of some of the most extensive lumber yards in both cities.

George Godown, assistant postmaster, is ill.

W. T. Jeffery of Grandview avenue is very ill at his home.

There is a slight improvement today in Dr. Clark's condition.

Mrs. John Doane has been called to Moscow, Pa., by the death of her uncle.

Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes yesterday visited W. R. Clarkson, who is ill in New York.

Charles Debele, the Evona milkman, is out again after an illness of pneumonia.

Henry B. Drake of Duer street is another of the numerous victims of the grip.

W. E. Brock and family of Mountain avenue will go Monday to Troy, their future home.

Mrs. Cox of Bound Brook is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edward Stine of Grandview avenue.

Arthur E. Crane of Carleton avenue left Baltimore, Wednesday morning, for the West Indies.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Miller of Carleton avenue left today for a short visit in Indiana and Ohio.

Mrs. George W. Saums of 143 East Second street has recovered from an illness of nearly two weeks.

The funeral of the late John Kean, Sr., takes place in Trinity Church, Elizabeth, Monday at 11:30 a. m.

Mrs. Thomas A. Neeley of Vine street, who has been seriously ill for a fortnight past, is slowly convalescing.

Miss Lucia Wood of Madison avenue entertained a company of friends with a social game of hearts last night.

S. R. Hope has for two weeks been afflicted with the grip, but has pluckily kept at his post in the Bryant school.

Adam Fritts has sold his farm on Greenbrook road, opposite Washington Rock, to Robert McNabb of 179 Rahway road.

Miss T. A. Alexander of East Fifth street has been confined to her bed for three weeks with the grip, but is gaining nicely.

C. Frank Sullivan, formerly a resident of this city and now living in New York, will spend the rest of the Winter in California.

Mrs. Frank Miller, whose husband was formerly a Plainfield teacher and now in the Chicago University, is visiting Mrs. James of First place.

The friends of J. K. Arnold will be glad to hear that he is improving rapidly and is able to be out, although he has not returned to business as yet.

An old Grand Army man named Bellis came to town a few days ago and was taken ill with grip. He is being cared for by comrade Joseph Bogert of East Second street.

A complete and enjoyable surpise was given to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leland at their home on Prospect avenue last evening by forty of their friends. Dancing was the feature of the evening. Refreshments were served.

The funeral services of Rev. J. Judson Pierson, whose death was recorded in yesterday's Press, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 at his late residence in Bridgeton, Cumberland County, where the body will be laid at rest.

Ephriam B. Drake of Clinton avenue was pleasantly surprised last night by a party of relatives and neighbors who celebrated his seventh-sixth birthday anniversary. His wife and daughter Mary were admirable hostesses, and served a fine supper. Mr. Drake's only regret was that he had no hard cider in the house. The guests were Lewis Randolph, Alfred Randolph, Mr and Mrs Albert Randolph, Mr and Mrs Frank Randolph; Mr and Mrs Whitfield Brower and Mr and Mrs George Brower of Newark; Mr and Mrs Benjamin Hand, S B Merrill, Henry Bittle, and Nathan Blackford.

The Fatal Shinny Stick.

Elwood Sebring of La Grande avenue, a member of the Senior class in the High School, met with a painful accident yesterday afternoon, while skating on Hyde's millpond. He was playing hockey with a number of his friends, when he collided with a colored boy, and fractured his wrist. Volney Green assisted him to his home, and he is now under the skilful charge of Dr. Davis.

A Chisel in His Hand.

Daniel Dunavan, while working in his brother's shop on East Front street yesterday afternoon, ran a chisel into his left hand, inflicting a deep and severe wound. He had it treated at once. It will be some time, however, before he can use the hand.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

THE COTILLION CLUB.

Next of the Season's Meetings to Be Held at the Dumont Home.

The second of the season's meetings of the Cotillion Club will be held at the residence of John B. Dumont, Wednesday, Jan. 23. The club consists of forty of Plainfield's young people, who have decided to give three or four dances durin the season at the homes of different members. The first meeting was held at John M. Whiton's residence Christmas Eve, and proved such a success that all the members are looking with pleasant expectancy to meet Wednesday night at Mr Dumont's.

The favors and refreshments are supplied by the young women of the club, and the music, rendered by Elliot, is secured by the men.

The entertainment reminds one of the social gatherings in Plainfield before the Casino arrived, when it was necessary to appropriate the private parlors of residences for dances.

Among the members are: Miss Marion Dumont, Miss Katheryn Yates, Miss Margaret Yates, Miss Reinhart, Miss Lucy Talmadge, Miss Daisy Shepard, Miss Elizabeth Stewart, Miss Nella Whiton Miss Holly, Miss Margaret Holly, Miss Maude VanBoskerck, Miss Lizzie VanBoskerck, Miss Grace Cooley, Miss Elizabeth Ginna, Miss Florence Huntington, Messrs. Fred Walz, Augustus Shepard, Burnet Shepard, Frank Cokefair, Talmadge, Perceval Stewart, Rowland Cox Clifford McGee, Howard Beebe, Thos VanBoskerck, Edward Bloodgood, Irving West, Howard Huntington and Orville Waring, Mr and Mrs Evarts Tracy, Mr and Mrs Daniel F Ginna, Mr and Mrs Frederick W Yates, Dr B VanD Hedges and Alfred Streuli.

WHAT'S A GYM WITHOUT A BATH?

Classes Not to Begin Till the Swimming Tank Is Ready—Something About Examinations.

Words of commendation come from every quarter to The Press concerning the examinations of Physical Instructor MacPhie of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. He is a very busy man in the prosecution of the examination of candidates, and the men and youths of the town are finding out a great deal of important interest to themselves as a result of placing their bodies under his scrutiny. Mr. MacPhie makes a thorough study of the physical condition of all candidates for admission into his classes, and gives each a card telling the weight, height, measurements, lung capacity, and condition of the physical structure. He thus is enabled to know just how to proceed intelligently in the matter of body-building, and as each case develops the student has the satisfaction of seeing by his personal record just how he is progressing. The personal qualities of Mr. MacPhie are such that the examinations are conducted in the most gentlemanly and courteous manner.

It had been expected to begin the classes next Monday, but it was decided to wait till the swimming tank is in readiness, as the plunge is such a finishing touch to the exercises. The heater for the big tank is here, and George Tobin is rushing the plumbing through as fast as consistent with good work. The dates of classes will be announced as soon as possible. There will be a 5 o'clock class for business and professional men, and an evening class for the general members.

TRACTION COMPANIES' INTERESTS.

An Association of New Jersey Corporations Formed.

A meeting composed of representatives of many traction companies of New Jersey was held at the offices of the Consolidated Traction Company, 1 Exchange place, Jersey City, Thursday afternoon, the object of which was the formation of an organization to be known as the Street Railway Association of New Jersey. The purpose of the companies was stated to be mutual advancement and social intercourse, but it is reported that the power which will be wielded by the new association will be used for the purpose of obtaining favorable legislation.

The Plainfield company was not represented at the meeting, but it was stated that the officers had promised to join.

—The people of Putnam avenue complain of the owner of the property near the brook. The sidewalk has not been cleaned this Winter, and many people have had serious falls.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

THE LABOR QUESTION.

Ex-Congressman Roswell G. Horr Gives an Entertaining and Convincing Lecture on the Great Problem of the Day.

Ex-Congressman Roswell G. Horr of Plainfield delivered a most interesting and entertaining lecture on the labor question in All Souls Church last evening before an appreciative audience. Mr. Horr has an inexhaustable fund of pertinent anecdote and amusing incident, and, though speaking in the facetious vein for which he is noted, unearthed frequent nuggets of wisdom and reason.

It is not in the nature of things that all should possess a like amount of this world's treasures, for just as natures vary so do the abilities of individuals to accumulate and save.

Some have more than others because some use all they can get and borrow more, while many use only a part of what they receive, be it ever so little.

The great trouble with many young men of today is that they believe it necessary, in order to be a good fellow, to drink and smoke on all occasions. "This is a fallacy"—emphatically remarked the lecturer—"and no one is a better judge than I, for I have done without either all my life."

"Not what one gets but what he saves will make him rich", yet the libraries of this country fairly groan with literature to prove that a person has no right to own a dollar's worth of real estate. The speaker cited Henry George's statement that the rich grow richer and the poor poorer in this country each succeeding year and that civilization is a humbug and government a failure; saying that the only possible objection he could see to this theory was that it was n't true. Several interesting reminiscences of the speaker's early life were given to show that the first proposition was wholly wrong, and that the people had more today because their needs were greater than formerly.

Talmage said not very long ago he hoped the day was not far distant when no more labor-saving machinery would be invented. The ex-Senator easily proved the fallacy of this desire from the fact that when, owing to the removal of any number of men because of the introduction of labor-saving machinery, new channels are found for their labors, and invention is stimulated.

Forty years ago grain was garnered with the hand scythe, and a man who could cut down half an acre in a day knew that he had been working, and he did n't stop in eight hours either.

Yet when the cradle scythe was introduced with which one man could do the work of six, the other five men could and did turn their hands to other channels.

"Any man" continued the lecturer, "who invents a machine which will lessen labor and improve the finished product is a benefactor to the human race and the time will never come when manual labor and drudgery will be wholly abolished."

The introduction of the friction match, which at first cost a penny apiece and can now be bought in boxes of 300 for what one cost then, if it had not proved a blessing to mankind would never have grown to the enormous industry it is today, when two factories in the State of Michigan each use 14,000,000 feet of white pine lumber in the manufacture of the convenient little torches every year.

The marketable price of products should regulate wages and never until it does will the question of labor and capital be finally settled. Brotherly love, the world-wide principle, "Do unto others as you would that they should do to you" is the natural and the only basis on which labor and capital can amicably come together.

The lecturer strongly emphasized the divine right of every man to be the architect of his own fortune, citing many apt illustrations applicable to the assertion, which did not fail to bring a smile of pleasure, oft times audible, to his attentive listeners. "In conclusion", said ex-Senator Horr, "I wish I could save my fellow-countrymen from three things: First, the greed of employers; next, from useless expenditure; and, most important of all, save them from following the advice of false teachers, who create discord and unrest by their harmful doctrine."

The lecture was earnest, instructive, interesting, scintillated with keen wit and dry humor, and was certainly worthy of a vastly larger audience than that which smiled and thought with Plainfield's orator last evening.

Why Not?

The exhibition game which was scheduled for last evening between the C. Y. M. L. bowlers and the Institutes of Newark on the Lyceum alleys was declared off, as the Institutes failed to materialize.

—The Parks will bowl the Roselles on the North Plainfield alleys Monday night.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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TROOPS UNDER ARMS

Second Brigade Guarding the Trolley Cars.

The Brooklyn Railroads Will Now Have To Show Whether They Can Produce Enough Men To Run Their Systems—Scenes and Incidents of Yesterday.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Mayor Schieren decided last evening that troops would be needed to preserve order this morning, and sent a letter to Brigadier General McLeer asking him to furnish 600 to 700 men to act as guards at the railroad depots and stables. Before midnight special messengers were scurrying around town in the snow which was falling, and militiamen were notified to report to their armories at 4 a. m., in the morning.

The call is issued under section 162 of article 10, chapter 559 of the laws of 1893, which provides that in case of any breach of the peace, tumult, riot, or resistance to process of this state, or imminent danger thereof, the sheriff of any county or the mayor of any city, may call upon the commanding officer of the national guard stationed therein or adjacent thereto. The commanding officer upon whom the call is made shall order in aid of the civil authorities the force or any part thereof under his command.

The entire brigade of some 3,000 men are held in reserve at the armories except six or seven hundred who are doing guard duty at the companies depots.

Bullets flew in Brooklyn yesterday and the strike situation assumed so serious an aspect that the advisibility of calling out the militia was under consideration by Mayor Schieren and his advisors. Incipient riots, assaults and other disturbances of the peace were frequent in different parts of the city during the day. Hope of settlement by arbitration was abandoned. A fight between the companies and their men to be waged to the bitter end is on. The police force of the city is totally inadequate to preserve order and protect the cars, depots and new employes of the companies. One line which has been idle all the week started up and a small riot followed. It was the Tompkins avenue and Fulton street line. One car was disabled, others had windows broken, and attempts were made to overturn other cars at different points along the line. There were a few arrests made but in most cases the men who caused the trouble escaped. There was a disturbance early in the day at the stables of the Court street line, and two shots were fired from the crowd without effect.

The Putnam avenue and Halsey street cars ran all day, and there was plenty of trouble along the route. In one melee shots were fired at the motorman and a passenger inside the car had a narrow escape from being hit.

On the Flatbush avenue and Fifth avenue lines cars were stoned and new men assaulted. No attempt was made to start the Williamsburg lines, or any of the other lines which have been idle since Monday morning. The De Kalb avenue line and that on Jay streets—the two lines which have signed agreements with their men—were in full operation and did a dividend-paying business. All lines except these two stopped running last night.

President Norton of the Atlantic avenue system, sent a formal demand to Police Commissioner Welles for proper police protection for the property of his company, and announced that he would start cars on all lines this morning, and hold the city responsible for any damage that results.

That there will be serious trouble in this programme if carried out is certain, and the officials of the line asked that the militia be called out to preserve the peace.

President Lewis of the Brooklyn Heights company, expects to open new lines this morning.

President Wicker of the Williamsburg lines, announces that he will start his cars and give the strikers all the fight they want. All of the companies have hundreds of new men who have been brought from Boston, Philadelphia, Newark, Jersey City and other points, and they demand police protection in order to operate their roads, and utilize the men who are under pay from the time of their arrival.

All of the police captains were summoned to headquarters last evening and given instructions by the superintendent of police. Sheriff Buttling was in conference with Commissioner Welles and the captains. Volunteer squads of militiamen were on duty at all armories last night.

Wood Sent to Jail.

Altoona, Pa., Jan. 19.—Sol Wood, a hotelkeeper of this city and David Douglass, his bartender, have been arrested charged with being implicated in the robbery of the city treasurer's office recently. There was no evidence against Douglass and he was discharged, but Wood was sent to jail in default of $2,000 bail. Wood is charged with having tried to sell $8,000 worth of Altoona city bonds to Daniel McSweeney, formerly a detective in the government service.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR — Dull. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.85.

WHEAT—Dull. No 2 red, 62¼c.

CORN—Quiet. No. 2, 51¼c.; steamer, 49½c.

OATS—Easier. No. 2 white, 37c.; No. 3 mixed, 34c.

PORK—Steady. Extra prime, 13.00@13.50; mess, 12.75@13.00.

LARD—Dull. January, 7.02.

CONFESSES HIS GUILT

How the Mercantile Bank Was Robbed.

Broker Quigley Secured Advances of About $144,000 on Forged Securities—The Prisoner's Property Attached—That Will Bring the Loss Down to $50,000.

New York, Jan. 19.—Edward O. Quigely, a broker, of the firm of Quigley & Tuttle, dealers in bonds and other investment securities, was committed to the tombs yesterday. The charge against Quigley is the hypothecation of forged bonds amounting to $160,000 with the Mercantile National bank, corner of Dey street and Broadway. Quigley secured advances of about $144,000 on the forged securities.

The bank, however, will not lose this sum in its entirety, attachments having been levied against securities held by the prisoner.

Quigley admits his guilt, but denies that his partner, Tuttle, is in any way implicated.

The discovery was made by President William P. St. John through the presentation by his bank on Wednesday last of a coupon cut from a one-thousand dollar bond of the city of Cleveland, O.

Treasurer Armstrong, of the American Exchange bank, the local financial agents of Cleveland, thought the coupon had a strange appearance and asked for time before paying the $22.50 which it called for.

He at once wired to Cleveland a description of the coupon and received an answer pronouncing the coupon a forgery. The American National Exchange bank notified President St. John of this fact.

The Mercantile National bank at once caused an examination of all the securities hypothecated by Quigley. The major portion of them were found to be forged. The list of spurious securities, with their respective amounts is as follows: $57,000 city of Cleveland, O.; $68,000 city of Springfield, O.; $35,000 city of Harrisburg, Pa., and $6,000 city of Zaneville, O.—a total of $166,000.

The firm of Quigley & Tuttle was organized in 1890, Quigley having been previously connected with the firm, who were among the Mercantile National bank's oldest customers.

The new firm was organized under the advice of Tuttle's father, one of the most substantial and respected citizens in New Haven, Conn., and a long time friend of the bank and President St. John. It was but natural, therefore, that the new firm should open their account with the Mercantile. According to President St. John the account was an active one, the deposits large, and loans and repayments frequent.

When the securities were presented that have been since found to be forged, the bank did not for a moment question their authenticity, owing to the apparent respectability of Quigley.

Another fact which gave the bank confidence in the securities was that the engraving firm was one well known by President St. John and Cashier Schenck as a most careful institution, and whose investigations of the securities they were asked to produce was always most searching and thorough.

President St. John, when seen at the bank, said the revelation came in the nature of a shock to him. He had always held the highest opinion of Quigley and his partner. He said that the securities were not all hypothecated at one time, and the advances upon them were made on a dozen different loans.

When confronted by the authorities of the bank Quigley finally admitted his guilt and attributed his downfall to speculation, of which he kept no account in the books, but depended upon memoranda in order to blind his partner and employes. He insisted that his partner, Tuttle, a resident of New Haven, is entirely ignorant of the forged securities or the fact that they were hypothecated.

President St. John said that the loss would fall entirely upon the stockholders of the bank, but that a recent report of that institution's condition showed a surplus and profits of $1,103,000, in addition to its capital of $1,000,000, with which to meet it.

So far as can be ascertained among his intimate acquaintances Quigley possessed no vicious habits and attended closely to his business. His manner of living was modest and neither he nor his family were given to extravagence.

He has been a prominent figure in social circles at Orange, where he owned considerable property and kept a stable of fine horses. His wife is a prominent woman suffragist and temperance leader.

It is said that when the amount of the porperty attached is taken into consideration the loss of the bank will below $50,000.

Violated the Anti-Lottery Law.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 19.—A portion of the edition of the "Bristol Weekly Herald" was seized at the Bristol postoffice for a violation of the anti-lottery law. The paper contained a list of prizes awarded at a recent fair. Postmaster Montgomery has notified the postmaster-general and awaits instructions regarding prosecuting the editor of the paper.

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WORK OF CONGRESS.

No Final Action Taken on the Japanese Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The senate spent nearly two hours in secret session considering the question of ratifying the pending treaty with Japan. No final action was taken, and the matter was postponed till next Friday.

While in legislative session the army appropriation bill was passed—Mr Mitchell (rep., Ore.) having carried his point for the retention of the military posts at Vancouver and Walla Walla so contemptuously described by Mr. Blackburn (dem., Ky.), as a "Military barnacle."

A joint resolution was passed to revive (for the benefit of Maj.-Gen Schofield), the grade of lieut.-general of the army.

Another financial bill was launched on the turbid stream of legislation by Mr. Peffer (pop., Kan.),—the title of it being "To replenish the treasury and provide an abundant and safe currency." It was referred, as all other projects of like character, to the finance committee. The Nicaraguan canal bill was taken up and Mr. Caffery (dem., La.) continued his speech against the constitutionality of the measure in which speech he had been interrupted last week. An ineffectual effort was made to have a time fixed (next week), for taking a final vote on the bill. The senate at 5:10 adjourned till to-day.

No business of a general character was accomplished in the house. By unanimous consent the District of Columbia had been given the right of way. Before 2 o'clock, the district committee surrendered the floor and the rest of the day was spent in further consideration of the Indian appropriation bill in committee of the whole. Without finishing the bill, the committee rose at 4:20 o'clock and the house took a recess until 8 o'clock.

The evening session was devoted to the consideration of private pension bills.

AMERICA'S CUP DEFENDER.

General Satisfaction at the Outlook for a Good Boat.

New York, Jan. 19.—Commodore Smith is delighted at the turn the cup defence affairs have taken. He said "Every one can rest easy so far as the defence of the cup is concerned. We will have a good boat—the best ever turned out in fact.

"I don't know anything of any other syndicate and I don't think that more than one boat will be built. I have written a letter on behalf of the America's Cup committee to Mr. George Gould, thanking him for his courtesy in offering to bring the Vigilant back to this country and place her at the disposal of the cup committee."

Commodore Smith scouts the idea of their being any feeling among yachtsmen about the syndicate.

"You can say for me, that every one is well satisfied," he said. "Commodore Brown called upon me. He is well pleased with the outlook, and I think that things could not be better than they are."

DEATH OF MISS STEVENSON.

Her Remains To Be Carried to Bloomington for Interment.

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 19.—Miss Mary L. Stevenson, eldest daughter of Vice-President Adlai E. Stevenson, died here yesterday. Miss Stevenson came to Asheville about the middle of October, accompanied by her mother, suffering from what was at first thought to be a heavy cold, which she had contracted on the coast of Maine. This, however, developed into chronic pneumonia with tuberculosis and complications of kidney trouble resulting in her death. All of her family, except her brother, Lewis G. Stevenson, were present at the bedside.

Preliminary funeral services will be held in the parlors of the Battery Park hotel this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the remains will leave Asheville in a special car for Bloomington, Ill., at 4 o'clock, where the interment will be made Monday.

STOCK HELD BY WORKINGMEN.

Failure of an Investment Company a Financial Blow to New Haven.

New Haven, Con., Jan. 19.—Of the $500,000 worth of stock issued by the Bankers Loan & Investment company of New York city which as gone into the hands of receivers, it is estimated that about $350,000 is held in this city and vicinity. It is believed to be the worst finacial blow which has struck New Haven in many years.

Of the $30,000 worth of installment stock a considerable proportion is held by workingmen and women who placed their saving in the company because of the standing of the New Haven men who were interested. Cashier John A. Richardson, of the Yale National bank, was formerly vice-president of the company and is now a director. Secretary C. W. Clark of the company is also of this city.

Indian Claim Against Oil City.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 19.—Solomon Oball, grandson of Cornplanter, the famous Indian chief, and Andrew Johns, Seneca Indians, from the Cattaraugus reservation in Erie county, New York, are here to represent a claim against the state which Oball has had descended to him from his ancestors. Among the land grants given Cornplanter was one covering the territory upon which the whole of Oil City is now located. It is claimed by Oball that this land was never deeded by Cornplanter to anybody but was pre-empted by the white man. Oball is now 80 years old and he wants the state to recompense him as he is the only heir.

Stephenson Admitted To Bail.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Justice Gaynor of the supreme court fixed the bail of ex-Police Captain John T. Stephenson at $25,000. Captain Stephenson was granted a stay pending appeal, several days ago.

Sister Mary Aloysius Dead.

New York, Jan. 19.—Sister Mary Aloysius, directress of St. Joseph's academy, Flushing, L. I., died last night of pneumonia. She was 50 years old, and had been for 24 years in charge of the academy.

Killed by an Avalanche.

Rome, Jan. 19.—An avalanche broke over part of Bardonechia, the southern terminus of the Mount Genis railway. Eighteen Italian soldiers were buried under it.

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MRS. S. BATES TELLS THE STORY OF HER SUFFERINGS.

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Old Superstition Which Has Powerful Influence With European Bridal Couples.

The municipal statistics of the city of Marseilles show the observer that on the 28th of April, 1894, there were registered at the mayor's office in that town no less than 94 marriages. Why this enormous number? Because, according to an ancient tradition, couples that marry in the month of May expose themselves to great danger—death will soon smite the unfortunates, or, at the very least, their union will not be blessed with children. Therefore a large number of Marseillaise lovers availed themselves of the last days of April to join themselves in wedlock.

This curious superstition is by no means confined to Marseilles. M. le Blaut, a French investigator, ascribes to it an origin in Roman antiquity. The Roman poet Ovid said that May was no time for widows to marry or for young girls, and adds that the imprudent woman who braves fate by so doing will die early. Plutarch agrees to the truth of this.

It may be because of this ancient principle that the Roman Catholic church has made the month of May sacred to the Virgin. However this may be, the idea has certainly perpetuated itself with singular persistence. Tassoni, writing about the middle of the seventeenth century, relates that among the inhabitants of Ferraras many young nobles and princes who were married in May died only a few days afterward. "It is the observation of this strange fact," he observes, "that induced the Ferrarese, so it is said, to follow the ancient custom."

At the present day the superstition has not ceased to show itself in certain regions of Italy, in Roumania, in south Germany, Bohemia, Westphalia, England and France, notably in Saintonge and in the Cevennes, where every one acknowledges the truth of the proverb, "The month of flowers is a month of tears."

"Perhaps," said Plutarch, "the month of May is regarded as unlucky because it comes between April and June, the months respectively of Venus and Juno, the tutelary goddesses of marriage, or perhaps it is because May is the month of the feast of the Lemures, the souls of the dead."—Paris Letter.

TREE PLANTING IN FRANCE.

Useless Sand Dunes Converted Into Valuable Land With Pines.

The French thoroughly appreciate the advantages to be derived from systematic tree planting. Tracts of sand have been covered with pine forests, and the word lande, borrowed, as it is thought, from the German, is losing its meaning of "waste." Till a century ago a large portion of the forest of Fontainebleau consisted of bare sand hills, but the planting of pines was begun. A variety capable of standing the severest winters was evidently found, and millions of trees now diffuse healthy and agreeable odors, besides furnishing timber for fuel.

The decomposed fir needles, moreover, gradually form a crust of vegetable mold, permitting the growth of trees and shrubs less able than the pine to live on air. The department of the Landes, once a barren region, with sand so loose that people had to walk on stilts, is covered with pines, and the problem of draining the subsoil has been solved, as described in Edmond About's story of "Maitre Pierre."

The losses by fire and anxiety to produce something more remunerative than pine are now, however, inducing schemes of artificial fertilization. In many French watering places dunes have been transformed into woods, thus holding out to seaside visitors the attraction of agreeable shade and a change from monotonous beach. Shifting sands have been prevented from extending inland. In some cases dunes have been acquired by companies, which, after planting them, have cut them up into building lots and have seen them dotted with villas.

Elsewhere municipalities have taken up the matter, and in large operations the district or the department has provided the funds.—London Times.

He Loves to Work.

The foreman of a bootblacking shop in Madison square is a continual surprise to the customers. His employer is a padrone, and he is left in complete control. His conduct justifies his employer's confidence. He is the hardest worker among the half dozen employees and frequently takes the brushes from one of his subordinates when there are not enough customers to keep all busy. He never allows a customer to go away unless he is satisfied that his boots have been polished in the best manner possible. He is ever full of enthusiasm and works with as much energy at the end of a busy day as at the beginning. His humor never lags, and his muscles never tire.

"It is as good as a bracer to watch that fellow," said a rounder. "He is the only man I ever saw who always seems to love to work."—New York Sun.

Dutch Toast.

Dutch toast is a simple dish for using up scraps of bread. Crumble the bread and place in a frying pan with a slice of butter or drippings. Add salt, pepper and sage if liked. It should be seasoned quite well. Add a small quantity of boiling water, cover closely so the steam will soften the bread, stir several times and serve hot. What with cream toast, codfish and fruit toast, we may have this turco cooked bread frequently without its becoming monotonous.—Philadelphia Ledger.

In the house of a Pompeiian sculptor were found 32 mallets, 15 compasses, 3 levers, several chisels, together with jacks for raising blocks, and nearly 30 statues and busts, in every stage of manufacture.

The grains of cornstarch are only about one-fourth the size of those of the starch made from the potato.

THE KING OF INNISHKEA.

He Dwells on an Irish Island and Rules a Mayo Tribe.

About 16 miles from Dugort, in Achill island, out to sea, looking like a thin line of sand in the waves of the Atlantic, is the island of Innishkea. One fine morning our party started to visit it in a trusty hooker. As the hooker came in sight of the shore great excitement was visible among the islanders, and it was very hard to realize that we were still but 36 hours' journey from London.

The inhabitants turned out en masse. The women and children in their scanty garments of red flannel crouched outside their cabins, while numbers of the men ran down to the beach and put out in their coracles on chance of rowing us to land. It was a strange scene and curiously like a picture plate in a boy's book of adventures. We knew there was a king of Innishkea, and soon a tall, bronze faced man was pointed out to us as his majesty. On landing all the party were introduced and conducted by him to the palace, where the queen dowager, with her daughter, bade us welcome in true Irish fashion.

The old lady was in her picturesque native costume—red dress and plaid shawl over her head. The princess, however, had evidently on first sight of the hooker arrayed herself in modern fashion to do us honor, and we were amused on penetrating into the reception room to find advertisements from shops in Buckingham Palace road and St. Paul's churchyard hung up to embellish the wall, though only by a favored few could they be read.

The island was destitute of any school or means of instruction for the children, a very small proportion either understood or spoke English, and there was neither watch nor clock among the people, who had a happy go lucky idea of time and troubled themselves little as to Greenwich regulations.

There were no church bells to ring, no trains to catch, no office hours requiring punctuality, so when the sun was high in the heavens they would get through their not arduous farming duties, and when he sank in the great waste of waters they could sleep. The king's word settled all disputes. It was a hereditary monarchy, and his people, so far as he was concerned, were untaxed. Happy those states, thought some of the visitors, where royalty could be maintained with so little grandeur! However, I am in honesty bound to add we found King Philip had other means of filling his coffers besides levying taxes on his faithful subjects and learned the art of making good his opportunity whenever the Saxon stranger ventured to land on his shore. But Innishkea has an interest altogether apart from its situation, surrounded as it is by lovely views of mountain cliff and rocky headland. On this spot, hundreds of years ago, early Christian missionaries landed, and on top of a shelly mount, half a mile from the beach, are Christian remains of great antiquity. West of the island there stand also the ruins of a church said to have been built by the successors of St. Columba.—Leisure Hours.

Jenny Lind.

Jenny Lind must have been the most simple, unpretending prima donna that ever lived. When she first came to England she was bound to sing only at the Royal Italian Opera House, and when commanded to sing at the queen's concert she was obliged to refuse. Very sorry to be compelled to notify this, she ordered her carriage and drove straight to Buckingham palace. She handed her card to an official, who, not unnaturally, declined to take it in. A higher authority happened to pass and took it upon himself to present it. As soon as her majesty saw it she said, "Admit her, by all means." Jenny Lind appeared and said simply that she was so very sorry to be unable to sing at her majesty's concert that she thought it better to call herself and explain. The queen was charmed with her natural manner, gave her a cordial reception and promised to be her friend.—Today.

A Fine Polish For Tinware.

When the kitchen range is cleaned out, there will be found in the flue under the oven a considerable quantity of gray dust. It is not ashes exactly, not yet soot, but a smoke deposit as near akin to lampblack as a coal fire is able to produce—soft, light, impalpable, finer than the finest flour. Not many among those who throw this into the ash bin are probably aware that this is the best thing in the world for polishing tinware, far surpassing all the prepared powders and pastes sold for that purpose. Apply it to the tin with a damp cloth, and a few strokes will produce such a luster as is on new ware or as the engraver puts upon his zinc plates by the use of charcoal.—Exchange.

Triumph of Bad Spelling.

Mr. R. E. Bartlett, Chelmsford, writes: "I can beat the achievement of Charles Edward, who, by spelling box 'botsk,' made more mistakes than the letters admit of. I have in my possession a letter addressed many years ago to my father, in which 13 mistakes are made in a single word of five letters. The word is, or was meant to be, usage; the spelling is yowzitch. There are thus five sins of omission and eight of commission; total, 13."—London News.

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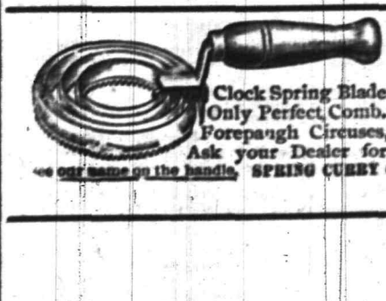

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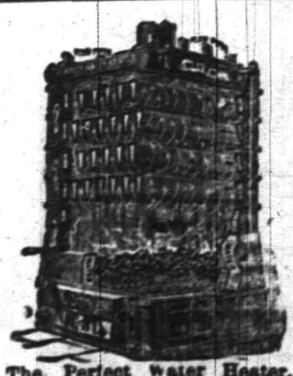

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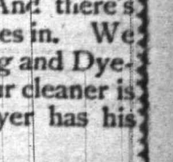

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THE WEATHER.

For Tomorrow: Fair, Slightly Colder. Winds Northerly.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The wrecking train, drawn by Locomotive 249, stopped in Plainfield this morning collecting extra trucks and waste iron.

—M. F. Marclay conducted the Christian Endeavor consecration meeting in the First Baptist Church last evening. The attendance was excellent.

—A great opportunity to have a sponge for every purpose is offered in the special sale of sponges at 10 cents each, at Randolph's, 143 West Front street.

—Messrs. Gibson & Cable have opened a reliable employment agency at 218 Liberty street. They are prepared to supply servants or to find situations.

—An ash wagon owned by Robert Randolph broke an axle in front of Roberts's livery stables this afternoon, causing a temporary blockade of the stables entrance.

—U. B. Crane, the hatter and furnisher of 120 West Front street, will offer special inducements tonight in unlaundried shirts. 29c buys a full-size, re-inforced endless-faced 50c article tonight only.

—All are reminded of the illustrated lecture to be given tomorrow evening in the First Baptist church, by Rev. Dr Morse. All are earnestly invited. The affair is under the direction of the Temple Builders.

—In the Church of the Redeemer next Friday there will be Festival of the Conversion of St Paul, Celebration of the Holy Communion at 10 a. m., and evening service followed by the Rector's Bible class at 8.

—That ever prosperous security investment and custodian of the people's earnings, the Dime Savings Institution, makes its annual statement in the columns of The Press today. The figures are interesting, and show that the money deposited with the Institution is in most excellent and profitable hands.

A Night of Blessed Communion.

The prayer meeting in Trinity Reformed Church last evening was marked for its spiritual uplift. The Holy Spirit of God seemed to pervade the room, and many of those present were impelled to speak of His goodness and saving powers. Confessions were given, and several made the start of crossing the line. Elder George L. Van Emburgh led the meeting, and so enjoyable was the session of refreshing that it was nearly 9:30 before Pastor Schenck pronounced the benediction.

North Plainfield School Notes.

A new and instructive exercise was held in the Eighth grade Friday afternoon. It was a history match, and two sides of twelve each were chosen and captained by Miss Lizzie Hoagland and Orville Waring. The ringing of the bell for the close of school put an end to the exercise before it was completed.

The members of the Sixth grade expressed their esteem for their former classmate, James Perrine, by a floral pillow.

—The mails were late in being distributed today. Geo. Godown, Assistant Postmaster, was ill, and Postmaster Hetfield was doing all he could. He must have an extra clerk and an extra carrier, or the service will be late at all times.

FITZSIMMONS INDICTED.

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 19—The Grand Jury of Onondago County today returned an indictment of manslaughter in the first degree against Pugilist Robert Fitzsimmons for the killing of his sparring partner, Con Riordan, in an exhibition at the Jacobs Opera House, this city, Nov. 17.

Hope Chapel Lost.

The bowlers of Hope Chapel and friends, about 25 in number, drove to Rahway last evening to bowl a friendly game with the Y. M. C. A. of that place. The game was quite exciting, though it was seen from the start that the Plainfield boys were not in it. Last evening was the first time the visitors had ever bowled on the Y. M. C. A. alleys. The score:

Y. M. C. A.		HOPE CHAPEL.	
Miller	132	J. Cose	95
Jobes	95	Stewart	119
Dunn	89	Reid	104
Bunn	129	Howarth	77
Shilling	149	Page	147
Mooney	76	Marsh	95
Babel	149	Firstbrook	88
Putnam	105	Gray	91
Wilson	145	G. Cose	94
Bliss	150	Muir	119
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After the game the visitors were treated to a very fine lunch, and praise is due to the boys of the Y. M. C. A. for their kind hospitality.

In Winter.

In Winter, tho' there is no sound
Along the air
Of winds along their battle ground,
Yet bright and fair
At Collier's still one daily sees—
As all agree—
The rarest daintiest novelties
In jewelry.

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Fred Nelson and wife went to South Orange yesterday to visit relatives.

Seron Stites, while building fires in a factory in Bound Brook, struck his eye with a poker, causing a severe wound.

Robert Craig made a good substitute to William Morris on the oil route yesterday.

Alva Gray has had carpenters and plumbers at work refitting and repairing his residence on Washington avenue. He has designs ready for a new bath room and an improved kitchen range.

Frank D. Covey and his father J. D. Covey of Albany are in town.

William Craig went to High Bridge Thursday for the day, but did not get home until the next afternoon. He claims he got caught under the covered bridge.

William Carpenter's horse started from the station yesterday morning, and ran down in front of Hetfield's butcher store, where he stopped, and was taken back by Carpenter.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Billings of Bartle avenue is confined to her home with a severe cold.

Mrs. Cora Miller of Front street has the grip.

Twilight Council, J. O. U. A. M., held its regular meeting in the rooms last evening. Routine business only was transacted.

Election of officers of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company will take place at the meeting Monday evening.

Ernest Marsh is confined to his bed with a severe cold.

Col and Mrs C K Moore are preparing to leave Fanwood, and will take up their residence in New York city, where the Colonel was fortunate enough to land a political plum with $4,000 a year. The best wishes of a host of Scotch Plains and Fanwood friends go with them.

Fanwood Council, R A, will meet at their rooms next Tuesday evening, when the newly elected officers will hold their chairs for the first time.

R S Fisher, Frank Allen, and several others of the place, have been supœnaed to appear at the Court House in Camden, Monday, Jan. 21, to testify in a $30,000 suit for damages brought by a person who was struck by a train near the station about a year ago.

The Choral Union met Thursday evening with Mr Fitzhurh as leader. Quite a number attended, and the prospects are more than encouraging. It is proposed to take up something in the shape of a cantata or oratorio to be given in the early Spring.

The Fanwood Township Committee met in Excelsior Hall last evening to receive the report of the Committee appointed to get signers for the branch of the trolley road. Chairman Terry called the meeting to order. The regular business was laid over, and the Committee's report was taken up. Mr Nichol, the chairman of the Committee, reported that they had been unable, through circumstances, over which they had no control, to render a report of finished business. Mr. Gaddis, General Manager of the road, arose and said he did not think the Committee intended to do any injustice to the company, but by carrying the matter over for two weeks before granting the franchise for the main line they were standing in the way of an investor who was ready as soon as as the link from point to point was finished to advance their money to go on with the construction. He would guarantee in four-days time to place in the hands of the Town Committee an application for a branch road. When the engineer and himself drove over the proposed route it was decided if possible to build a branch road to the village. "Make"— he said—"the branch ordinance amending the main ordinance, and we will be compelled to build the branch." Town Counsel Codington was asked for his opinion. He said he would advise the matter over until the time asked for, and he urged the Committee to make the company put in the application for the branch before granting the one for the main line, as the company could not be compelled to build the branch any other way. Mr Nichol asked the Committee what they would do with their report. Mr Miller moved that the report be accepted and the Committee continued. Chairman Terry put the motion, Mr Miller and Terry voting for, and Mr Downer against it. The motion was carried, and the Committee's report was accepted. The trolley matter was laid over for two weeks, and the regular business was taken up. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer reported a balance on hand of $1,988 35. The report was accepted. A petition was read from residents on North street, Clinton avenue and Forest asking the Committee to change the names to that of Forest avenue, as the streets named were one continuous street. The petition was received and placed on file, and an ordinance was ordered prepared. Bills were paid, and the Committee adjourned to meet in two weeks to receive the report of the Trolley Committee.

Endeavorers Sing and Play.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Trinity Reformed Church enjoyed one of their delightful socials yesterday afternoon. The affair was in charge of Miss Mary Berg and Miss Lulu Snediker, and was a success in every particular.

The programme consisted of songs by May Williams, Laura Wyckoff, Florence White, Geo. Reynolds, C. Sutphen and Fred Donavan, a recitation by May Williams, and a piano solo by Isabella Edwards. All were fully appreciated.

Excellent refreshments were served, after which all participated in playing games.

The happy company departed for home well pleased with the afternoon's entertainment.

—Edsall again offers astonishingly low prices on specials of Saturday evening.

"Pure and Sure"

The best that money can buy.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co. New York.
Dr. C. N. Hoagland President.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Official Announcements for Worship in Plainfield Tomorrow.

[Matter intended for this department must be supplied fresh every week, not later than 4.0 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion.]

Washingtonville Chapel—Meeting as usual.

Mt. Pleasant School-house—Meeting as usual.

St. Joseph's Church—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3, and Vespers at 8 p. m.

St. Mary's Church—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; Vespers, 8 p. m.

Swedish Services—There will be Swensk prediliking in the Park Avenue Baptist Church, 3:45 p. m.

Swedish Meeting—Grace Church, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Scandinavians welcome. Rev. Mr. Ahlberg will preach.

Y. M. C. A. Building—4:15 p. m. meeting will be addressed by Capt. Geo. D. Morrison. The male choir will sing.

St. Peter's German Lutheran Church—Services, 10 a.m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday-school, 9 a. m. Rev. Ed Klonka, pastor.

W. C. T. U.—Consecration meetings 9 a. m., at the rooms, Watchung avenue and Fourth street. Gospel service, 4:15 p. m.

All Souls Church—Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. with preaching by the pastor. Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E Herring, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Evening theme, "Hiding".

Church of the Holy Cross—T. Logan Murphy, rector. Morning prayer and sermon 11; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; afternoon service, 4:30.

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service, 10:30; Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m.; evening service in charge of C. E. Society at 7:30.

Park Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Theme, "God and Reason"; Evening, 7:30, "Always Welcome". Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; evening prayer, 4:30. Free stages from station at 10:30.

Church of the Redeemer, Protestant Episcopal—Rev. Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, rector. Celebration of the Holy Communion, 7:30; Morning service, 11:15; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening service, 4:30.

East Third Street Mission—Gospel service, 8 p. m., conducted by Rev. George M. Angleman. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting, 7 p m. L. W. Randolph, superintendent.

First M. E. Church—Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes, pastor. 10:30 a. m., preaching by the pastor; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League prayer meeting; 7:30 p. m., preaching and revival service.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor. Preaching by the pastor. 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school, 2:30. Prayer-meetings at 10 a. m. and 6:45 p. m. Evening subject, "They Made Light of It".

Grace M. E. Church—Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Power of Adaptation in Christian Work"; evening subject, "A Social Puritan of the Long Ago". Sunday-school, 2:30; Epworth League, 7 p. m.

—The local Union of the Junior Christian Endeavor societies is preparing for an elaborate entertainment to be held the latter part of February.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results" 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Dime Savings Institution

Of Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1895

ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage, (first liens)			$124,200 00
Value of property mortgaged, $320,150			
Buildings mortgaged, insured at			120,000
Market Value.			
33,000	Union County Bonds	$ 33,540 00	
25,000	Hudson "	25 500 00	
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10 600 00	
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00	
13,000	Loan City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000 00	
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000 00	
4,500	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,500 00	
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900 00	
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10,850 00	
	Demand Loans	5,500 00	
	Interest due and accrued	4,681 12	
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400 00	
	Cash in Banks	56,542 82	
	Cash in Office	702 45	
		$328,066 39	
LIABILITIES.			
Amount Due Depositors		$312,598 28	
Surplus		15,468 11	
		$328,066 39	

State of New Jersey, } ss
County of Union, }

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres.
ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.
JAMES C. POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

J. FRANK HUBBARD,
JOSEPH B. COWARD,
G. W. ROCKEFELLOW, } Committee.
Plainfield, January 14, 1895. 1 19 10

A LECTURE
.....BY.....
Prof. H. H. Boyesen
....ON....
"THE INFLUENCE OF GOETHE,"
will be given under the auspices of the Monday Afternoon Club, at
THE CASINO,
Monday Afternoon,
January 21, at 3 o'clock.
Admission, - - 50 cents

Great Offer by the Manufacturer
Pianos at a Sacrifice.
Your only opportunity to secure a first-class piano below cost. Must be sold to close out the stock on hand within the next few days by the representative of the Starr Piano Comany at
322 W. Front st.,
Schopflin's Block.
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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to
NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.
(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Pietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill
can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,
No. 132 Crescent Avenue.
Plainfield, N. J.

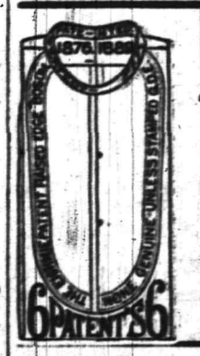
Waisted Feeling.
The discomfort a lady has in a poorly fitting corset.
Buy Your Corsets at Peck's.

We are closing out about thirty lots of
Fine Stationery at 25c Qr.
Worth from 30 to 60c.
Only two quires to each customer.
R. C. RAND,
140 West Front st.

SEBRING, CLOTHIER,
Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.
$15 suits for $10.
$12 ulsters for $8.50.
$15 overcoats for $10.
Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.
Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

EDSALL'S
Commercial Palace, Babcock Build'g
SPECIAL
Saturday Night's Needs.
We will put on sale at 8 p. m.,
FOUR SPECIALS,
and sell as long as they last.
1 lot Turkish wash rags, 9x10 inches.....2c each
" " towels, 31x17 inches.....4c each
(Purchase limited to 4 towels and 4 wash rags)
1 lot ladies' hose, guaranteed fast black.....5c pair
(Purchase limited to 4 pair hose.)
1 lot gent's unlaundried shirts, re-enforced back and front, patent stay in back, 30c. (Limited 2 shirts.) We limit purchase in order that all our friends may procure some of our GREAT BARGAINS.
January Clearing Sale.
EDSALL'S.

ALL DAY SATURDAY
We will offer special lines of Men's and Women's $1.75 grade of Shoes for $1.14. See our window for styles, etc.
DOANE & EDSALL.



Here It is Again!
The very same, this year, last year, next year.
The Eighmie Shirt.
Best in the business and just as cheap.
HALLOCK, Men's Outfitter,
109 West Front street

AT YOUR OWN PRICE.
Odds, Ends and Remnants.
Amos H. Van Horn, L't'd,
73 Market St., near Plane St.
We find, after stock taking, several styles of Bedroom Suits, Parlor Suits and different patterns of Carpets that we do not intend to keep any more, and we will close them out at nearly your own price.

Parlor suits	$10
Bedroom suits	$10
Brussels carpet, per yard	50cts
Extra super ingrain carpet, per yard	50cts
Cotton chain ingrain carpet, per yard	25cts
Good bed lounges	$7
Parlor stoves	at your own price.

Note the name Amos before entering the store.

PORTLAND RANGES—The leading range in the city, and we will wager $25 that that there is more sold of that range than any other in the city. Why? Simply because it is the cheapest. Cheapest because it is the best; good baker, good draught and several improvements connected with it make it the most complete range manufactured. Easy terms.

STORING FURNITURE—At 88, 90 and 92 Bank st. You will find the largest and most complete storage building in the State. All locked rooms at reasonable rates. Furniture packed and moved with vans in city or county at moderate charges.

Telephone 580.
AMOS H. VAN HORN, Limited,
73 Market Street, nearest Plane street. Newark, N. J.

Oil Heater Stoves,
Miller Lamps,
10 piece toilet sets decorated $1.25.
Gavett's,
Next to Post-office.

MANY SOLDIERS, FEW CARS.

Brooklyn, Jan 19—Nearly three thousand members of the Second Brigade of the National Guard in Brooklyn are under arms this morning in response to Mayor Schieren's call to assist the police of the city and prevent further violence on the part of the striking motormen and conductors of the trolley roads.

President Norton, of the Brooklyn City road, declared yesterday that if given proper protection he would start up all his lines, beginning at 7 o'clock this morning.

Notwithstanding this assertion, comparatively few cars were run up to noon. The strikers say the officials have not enough men to carry out their promise, and that Norton's assertion was simply a bluff to induce them to return to work at the old terms.

Not a single line in the city ran its full complement of cars up to noon. There was comparatively little violence save at the Halsey street depot, where several cars were stoned.

Plainfield Hospitality.

Nicholas O'Brien, an old soldier claiming to be a member of Co. H, 1st New York, Lincoln Cavalry, came to town last night, having walked from New York.

He applied for a night's lodging at the station-house, which was given him. His story was that about five months ago he took a man who was an invalid to England, and was then unable to get back, having no money. He sought the American consul, who obtained transportation for him back to New York.

Thence he walked to Plainfield and was on his way to the Soldiers Home in Hampton, Virginia

This morning he secured his breakfast through friends; and later the sympathies of Commander W. W. Corlell of Post 73, and several comrades and citizens were enlisted in his behalf. Money was raised to pay his fare to Camden where, he says, he can get transportation to his home from Gen'l. Sewell.

The man was suffering from a very sore leg and found it very difficult to get along.

Bruised His Face.

Joseph B. Morrison of East Fifth street met with a severe accident at the Crescent bowling alleys last evening. He was standing behind a friend who was bowling, and was struck in the mouth with the ball swung back.

Fatally Stabbed His Wife.

Derby, Conn., Jan. 19.—Timothy Flaherty, a Shelton farmer, while drunk, stabbed his wife in the stomach with a jack knife, inflicting a wound two and one half inches deep. The woman's condition is critical and she will probably die.

Miss Wanamaker Engaged.

Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—The engagement of Miss Wanamaker, daughter of ex-Postmaster General Wanamaker, to Mr. Barclay H. Warburton, publisher of the Evening Telegram, this city, is announced.

Railroad Men Must Shave.

Boston, Jan. 19.—Supt. Robeson, of the Boston & Albany Railroad company, has issued an order to conductors and brakemen of passenger trains, in which they are required to shave every day.

THE NUMBER THREE.

Some Curious Superstitions Regarding It In the Popular Mind.

There is a superstitious regard for the number three in the popular mind, and the third repetition of anything is generally looked upon as a crisis. Thus an article may twice be lost and recovered, but the third time that it is lost it is gone for good. Twice a man may pass through some great danger in safety, but the third time he loses his life. If, however, the mystic third can be successfully passed, all is well. Three was called by Pythagoras the perfect number, and we frequently find its use symbolical of Deity. Thus we might mention the trident of Neptune, the three forked lightning of Jove and three headed dog of Pluto. The idea of trinity is not confined to Christianity, but occurs in several religions.

In mythology also we find three fates, three furies and three graces, and, coming nearer to our own times, Shakespeare introduces his three witches. In public house signs three seems to play an important part, for we frequently meet with "Three Cups," "Three Jolly Sailors," "Three Bells," "Three Tuns," "Three Feathers"—in fact, the number of almost anything of which a fertile imagination can conceive a trio. In nursery rhymes and tales this number is not unknown, and if we look back to the days of our childhood most of us will call to mind the three wise men of Gotham who took a sea voyage in a bowl, not to mention the three blind mice that had their tails cut off by the farmer's wife. Perhaps there is some occult power in the number which governs the division of novels into three volumes and induces doctors to order their medicine to be taken thrice daily. It is said that some tribes of savages cannot count beyond three. But, although they may have no words to express higher numbers, perhaps we should be scarcely justified in assuming that they are incapable of appreciating the value of the latter.—New York Advertiser.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

THE POET OF THE HEART.

Epworthians and Their Friends Spend an Evening with Longfellow.

An attractive and novel entertainment, prepared by Mrs. Herbert Randolph and Miss Grace Carroll, was enjoyed in Grace M. E. Church last evening.

It was called "An Evening with Longfellow", and a more interesting subject could hardly be chosen.

Miss Conroy opened the programme with a piano solo, which was well played and appreciated.

Mrs. Randolph then called by numbers the quotations prepared from Longfellow's works, which proved to be very interesting.

A delightful reading of Longfellow's life was given by Miss Alice Loomis. Miss Edna French pleasingly recited "Hiawatha's Wooing". This was followed with a vocal solo, "The Rainy Day", by Miss Grace Carroll, whose excellent voice added to the impressiveness of the song.

Mrs A. A. Taft read "The Skeleton in Armor" in effective manner, and the famous story of Paul Revere's ride was brought vividly to the minds of all as recited so realistically by Miss Lizzie Hoagland.

The programme was concluded with a sketch by Miss Emma Stevens, entitled "Hyperion."

The young women of the church under the direction of Mrs. Randolph and Miss Carroll then served to all, delicious mince pie, with coffee as an excellent accompaniment. Thus closed a happy and profitable evening with Longfellow and the Epworthians.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Canine Rush.

As Garret W. Wood was passing in front of The Daily Press office last evening about 5:30, a large Newfoundland dog attacked an Irish setter. The dogs made a rush, and as Mr. Wood happened to be in their path they upset him, throwing him on his side. Sergeant Kiely came to the rescue, and separated the dogs, while Mr. Wood continued on his way without serious injury.

—You'd better hurry down to Peck's, for as soon as the news gets out that he has opened that new importation of embroideries the crowd will simply be immense.

A WOMAN'S POWER.

IT IS THE GREATEST ON EARTH.

It Establishes Thrones and Destroys Nations.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

The influence of women upon the civilization of the world could never be measured.

The flash of her eye, the touch of her hand, and we have the marvelous power of women, glorious in the possession of perfect physical health. Lydia E. Pinkham, by her wonderful discovery of the Vegetable Compound has done much to place this great health power in the hands of women. She has lifted them out of the misery brought by displacement of the womb, and all the evils that follow diseased uterus.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restores natural cheerfulness, destroys despondency, cures leucorrhœa, backache, strengthens the muscles, restores the womb to its normal condition, regulates menstruation, removes inflammation, ulceration, and tumors of the womb, etc.

Here are two women who speak from experience, and for the benefit of others.

Miss Helen Smith, 43 22d Place, Chicago, Ill., says:—"I was troubled with irregularity and leucorrhœa. I followed Mrs. Pinkham's advice, took her Vegetable Compound, and used her Sanative Wash. I now feel like a new woman, and am perfectly healthy."

Mrs. E. Fox, Woodstown, N. J., writes:—"I had been sick 10 years with womb trouble and leucorrhœa. Doctors could not help me. *Lydia E. Pinkham's* Vegetable Compound did. Employment of any kind does not trouble me now, and I can stand nearly all day and not feel tired I cannot thank you enough. I recommend the Compound to every woman who has any weakness."

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ECONOMY SALE,

Friday, Jan. 18,
Saturday, Jan. 19,
Monday, Jan. 21.

Bleached Pillow Muslins

1⅛ yard wide.....8c yd
1¼ " .....9c yd
1½ " .....11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins.

2 yard wide.....14c yd
2¼ " .....15c yd
2½ " .....16 yd

YANKEE NOTIONS.

Good pins.....1c paper
Basting cotton large spools..1c each
Hair pins all sizes.....½c paper
Darning cotton.....½c card
Wire tea strainers.....1c each
Nutmeg grater.....1c each
Carpet tacks.....1c paper
Mustard spoons.....1c each
Lamp wicks.....½c each
Moulding hooks.....½c each
Hooks and eyes.....1c card
Hooks and eyes (patent ....3c card
Safety pins all sizes.....2c dozen
Curling irons all sizes.....3c each
Jet-head mourning pins.....3c box
Black pins.....4c box
Curtain pins.....2c dozen
Wire coat hangers.....3c each
Corset steels covered.....5c pair
Ball darning cotton.....2c ball
3 yard velvet binding.....3c piece
Sink shovels.....5c each
Sink scrubs.....3c each
Stove cover lifters.....3c each
Egg whips.....3c each
Soap shakers.....8c each
Toilet soap.....3c cake
Pot chains with handles....5c each
Asbestos stove mats (bound) 5c each
Coffee pot stands.....3c each
Sad iron stands.....3c each
Toilet paper.....5c package
Ammonia.....5c bottle
Shoe dressing.....5c bottle
Standard glass lamps complete.....15c each
Barbours linen thread.....4c spool
Covered dress stays.....2c dozen
Stockinet dress shields.....8c pair
Pure rubber dress shields..10c pair
Black sewing silk 80 yds....4c spool
Wash tubs small.....35c each
" medium.....55c each
" large.....75c each
Wood water pails.....10c each
Seamless ½ hose.....4c pair
Mens heavy white shirts and drawers.....29c each
Bone hair pins.....1c each
7 inch horn bones.....3c dozen
8 " " " .....4c dozen
9 " " " .....6c dozen
10 " " " .....7c dozen
Hair crimpers a dozen.....5c
Machine oil.....5c bottle
Blue Seal Vaseline.....5c bottle
Gents linen collars.....8c each
Shelf oil cloth.....5c yard
Gloria silk umbrellas.....80c each
1 yard bleached muslins—Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy all at 6½c yard

Van EMBURGH,

CORNER STORE,

Babcock Building.

A CORN-CURE THAT CURES CORNS.

We have never said much about our Corn Cure—though it is one of the best made—because the market is full of cures, so-called. But such positive testimony to its merits has recently been volunteered that we feel justified in "talking up" this little specialty. Our COLLOID CORN CURE is easily applied, gives relief quickly, and will cure every case of Corns, hard or soft, that can be cured, if used as directed. Sold in square vials with brush for applying. REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY, Park and North avenues.

CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. Dr. Edwards

Will remain one week longer until 7 a. m.,

Thursday, January 24.

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,

one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Can be consulted at the City Hotel, Room 2, one flight up. 1 9 6

Central Employment Office

218 Liberty st. Gibson & Cable, agents.
All kind of help furnished on short notice. We have first-class help always on hand or can be had on 3 days notice. satisfaction guaranteed. 1 19 2m

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield will be held in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall on West Front street, in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, on Monday, the 18th day of February eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon the following resolution of the Board of Directors of said Association, which said resolution was adopted by unanimous vote of the Directors at their meeting held January 14, 1895.

"RESOLVED that in the judgment of this Board it is advisable and most for the benefit of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield that the same should be forthwith dissolved, and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders be held on Monday, the eighteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall Plainfield, New Jersey, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon this resolution; and further, that the secretary forthwith give notice of said meeting, and of the adoption of this resolution, within ten days from this date, by publishing the said resolution with a notice of its adoption, in The Daily Press, a newspaper published in Plainfield New Jersey, for at least four weeks once a week, successively, and by mailing a written or printed copy of the same to each and every stockholder of this Association in the United States."

Dated Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1895.

CRAIG A. MARSH, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Curtis M. Thorpe and DeWitt C. Ivins of Plainfield, New Jersey, under the firm name of Thorpe & Ivins, and transacting the coal, lumber and mason's supply business at Nos. 301 311 Watchung avenue, in said city expired on the second day of January, 1895, pursuant to the terms of the articles of partnership. The said DeWitt C. Ivins is authorized to settle all debts due to and by said copartnership.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 12, 1895.

CURTIS M THORPE,
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Having purchased the entire interest of Mr Curtis M. Thorpe, of the firm of Thorpe & Ivins we will continue the business under the firm name of DeWitt C. Ivins & Co., Capt. Wm. B. Ostrom having this day been admitted as a partner.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Jan. 20. The Priest the Topic.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—Ex. xxviii, 1; Heb. v, 1, 5.

The best explanation of the meaning of the ceremonies and symbols of the Mosaic ritual is found in the book of Hebrews. As Aaron and his sons, taken from the Israelites, were the appropriate priestly intercessors, so Christ becomes, by His calling of God, His earthly life and death, resurrection and ascension, to all them that obey Him, the author of eternal life. He is the high priest of the whole race and has gone into the heavens after one offering of Himself to appear before the mercy seat of God, where He ever liveth to make intercession for us.

John Wesley.

In any land and in any age he would have been a commanding figure and influential in shaping the destinies of his fellow men. As truly as Paul, the apostle to the gentiles, was mainly instrumental in determining the worldwide extension and adaptation of early Christianity and rescued it from the danger of degenerating into a mere Jewish sect, so John Wesley was the one who in God's providence so helped to arouse and shape the religious life of the eighteenth century that vital piety was saved from threatened eclipse or extinction in the English speaking world and society in Britain from a revolution more bloody and terrible than that of France. The history of his life reads like romance. Highly educated in the best schools of the kingdom, a fellow for years of Lincoln college, Oxford, he was yet a man popular with the people. Conservative by nature, he found himself conscientiously and providentially led into practices which seemed at times radical, if not revolutionary. They generally proved to be only reformatory. Persecuted often by mobs of the lowest elements of society instigated by officers of the church and state, he lived to disarm all opposition and receive honors such as few men ever have received from their countrymen. His influence a century after his death is vastly more than during his life. Nations unborn in his day hold his name in honor and reverence God for the gift of such a man.

JOHN WESLEY.

Christian Unity or Union.

Much is heard regarding Christian and church union at the present time. A reunion of the Methodist Episcopal church and the Methodist Episcopal Church South is greatly desired by many.

The matter of slavery, over which the division occurred in 1844, has long been settled. Some dream of and fondly hope for the union of all Protestant bodies in one grand church organization. Cardinal Gibbons voices the hopes of many others that all Christendom may speedily acknowledge one spiritual head on earth and become one fold under such a shepherd. That sectarian animosities are greatly abated and practical co-operation in benevolent enterprises, revival efforts and reform measures are rapidly drawing Christians of all names more closely together is apparent. Doctrinal differences are less emphasized, and doctrinal standards are being greatly modified. Views are becoming much alike in churches once widely separated in creed. Emphasis is laid on true personal piety of heart and helpful activity. Fraternal relations are strengthening with the passage of years. Real and substantial Christian unity is becoming a fact. The intermingling of the young people of various denominations in conventions under the auspices of a common society, the recognition of each other as pursuing one common aim, is powerfully assisting the work of unifying the Christian church. But Christian fraternity and unity is one thing, while organic union is a far different matter. It is doubtful if the latter ever will be desirable. Local government by states is found desirable in our national life. Probably denominational organization, with a large measure of co-operation and entire spirit of fraternity, will always be advisable. Christian unity always, organic union—not yet!

Christian Truth Unmovable.

It is the connection of every truth with the mediation of Christ that makes real Christianity to be not afraid of the progress of any class of truths. Sometimes in the infancy of any given science plausible theories are advanced as having a tone of contradiction to Scripture, but the discipline of a mature philosophy never fails to show that the contradiction is not real. Truth in the Christian system is full, universal and free, and no more fears the developments of any truths than the mighty ocean dreads the digging up of new wells or the sun the new discoveries of optics.—Jenkyn.

Pointers.

A prosperous iniquity is the most unprofitable condition in the world.—Jeremy Taylor.

A man has a right to do as he pleases only as he pleases to do right.

Wickedness is never more thoroughly ruined than by its own success.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 20. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—A Christian's problems and perplexities.—I Kings iv, 29-34; Luke xi, 31; ii, 46, 47. (A question box meeting suggested.)

This life is largely made up of mysteries. There are problems and perplexities in every walk of life, and the Christian's life is no exception. God has revealed many precious things to us, and yet in the spiritual as well as in the material universe there are many things that have not been revealed. It could scarcely be otherwise. God is infinite. We are finite, and if God had revealed these things perhaps we would not have been able to comprehend or understand them. Christ practically said as much to Nicodemus when he questioned Him about the mysteries of the regeneration of the soul, for He said, "If I tell you of earthly things and ye cannot understand, how can you understand if I tell you of heavenly things?"

Still there is in the human mind an intense craving, so far as possible, to understand these problems and perplexities, and there is nothing wrong in this desire nor the attempt to satisfy it, but something may be wrong in the way we attempt to solve these problems. True wisdom comes from God in some way. Solomon was the wisest man who ever lived, and yet he obtained all his wisdom direct from God. But God has given us one even wiser than Solomon, even Jesus Christ, His own Son, and His wisdom surpassed that of all men because He was God as well as man. Therefore Christ should be our final court of appeal in all the problems of life. When worried and perplexed, we should go to His word to see what He has to say upon the subject, and when He does not satisfy every desire or craving we should leave it all with Him and trust God for what has not been revealed. "The secret things belong unto the Lord our God, but the things that have been revealed belong unto us and to our children forever, that we may do all the works of this law."

The great lesson that these problems and perplexities should teach us is simple childlike trust in God. God knows what is best for us. He knew what to reveal for our good and what not to reveal. The secret things, the mysteries of life, belong to Him. Let us leave them with Him. The things that have been revealed belong to us. Let us live up to what has been revealed, and we may rest assured that if we do the day will come when we shall understand even the Christian problems and perplexities.

Bible Readings.—Gen. vi, 3; Deut. xxix, 29; Math. vii, 28; Mark i, 12; John iii, 1-12; Luke viii, 5-11; John vi, 51-53; Rom. i, 16; I Cor. xv, 35-44, 51-58; II Cor. ii, 15-17; I Tim. iii, 16.

Keep Looking Up.

An instructive and beautiful story is related of a little girl, who was playing near the edge of a precipice, when she suddenly felt the ground give way beneath her feet. Before she had time to spring back to a place of safety she had slipped over the brow of the abyss. With the instinct of despair, that love of life implanted in us all, she snatched at the grass and tall weeds within her reach. Her little fingers dug deep into the ground and staid her downward course. There she hung, suspended in the air.

Moments seemed ages until she heard a voice, which sounded very far off, saying in a firm, encouraging tone: "I am coming! Keep looking up!" Instinctively she obeyed. She never glanced downward, but clung faster to her only chance of safety. Again the voice, this time nearer, spoke hopefully: "I am coming! Keep looking up!" In another moment two strong hands had seized her own in a firm clasp, and she felt herself drawn gently and cautiously upward. Then she was lifted into great, loving arms and closed her eyes upon her father's breast. Children, "keep looking up!"—Selected.

Make Use of God's Gifts.

God will not take His own back again the same as He put it in your hands. He gave the principal, and He expects interest. He plants seeds, and He looks for flowers. He sets germs, and He requires development. There is an immense capability of expansion in everything God has given you. The business of your life is to draw these gifts out.—Rev. J. A. Henry, D. D.

A Divine Gift.

The truly spiritual nature is a personal endowment found in individuals of every creed, especially belonging to no one creed in distinction from others. It is a divine gift, like an ear for music, which some, not all, are born with.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Christian Endeavor Gossip.

Indiana has 367 Junior societies, with a total membership of 13,780. They have given $456 to home missions and $309 to foreign missions.

Here is Pennsylvania's reported record of giving for the year: For missions, $11,525.26; for other benevolent objects, $12,694.11. In this the Juniors are represented with $2,154.96.

The Christian Endeavor constitution has now been translated into Hindoo and in this language will reach a large constituency, for it is spoken by fully one-fourth of the inhabitants of India.

Last year the Christian Endeavor societies of the Presbyterian church in the United States gave to missions $31,397.79. Of this, $13,607.17 was given to home missions and $17,790.62 to foreign missions.

Endeavor work in China is but four years younger than in the United States. The first society was organized in Fuchan in 1885. The oldest native Christian Endeavorer is Mr. Ling. He signed the pledge nine years ago.

Maryland is a small state, almost cut in twain by the Chesapeake, but her 15,000 Christian Endeavorers, divided among 350 societies, challenge comparison. Christ cares less for numbers than for individuals.

BUT LITTLE IMPROVED

The Business of the Week Shows Slight Change.

Leading Manufacturing Industries Report That Extreme Conservatism in Purchases Will Mark the Spring Trade—Improved Demand for a Few Commodities.

New York, Jan. 19.—With few exceptions, according to Bradstreets, commercial, financial and industrial features indicate only a retention of improvement heretofore noted. Among the more favorable phases of trade is found a somewhat improved demand for Bessemer pig iron and steel billets, woolens, rubber goods, shoes, hardware, and, to an extent, for leaf tobacco. Although steel and iron have advanced a trifle from lowest quotations recorded, print cloths have gone down to a "lowest price on record." London wool sales opened 5 per cent. off, which affected prices here unfavorably. One southern pig iron company is reported to have taken an order under $6, and woolen and cotton goods manufacturers in eastern, central and middle states declare prices are so low and broken there is practically no profit. Other declines in prices this week are wheat and corn 1c. each, oats ¼c., pork 25c. and lard 15c., while the only important advances in addition to those specified are on lumber at some western markets, and coffee ⅛c. General lines of cotton goods are effected by conditions resulting in depressing prints, and although ginghams are more animated and demand for foreign woolen dress goods is noticeable, domestic woolen dress goods remain quiet, with little new business for the mills. Large quantities of foreign piece-dyed serges and clay worsteds are here in bond, pointing to competition with corresponding domestic fabrics.

Heavy gold exports, aggregating $4,750,000, and the corresponding reduction of the treasury gold reserve to under $70,000,000 have not affected stock prices at New York. Speculative activity on the stock exchange is very restricted, but there is an underlying tone of strength, based on an apparent belief that currency legislation will be secured. Investment buying of bonds and high priced dividend-paying stocks also increases the power to resist unfavorable news.

The number of business failures decreased this week, the total for the United States being only 378, against 405 last week and 404 in the week a year ago. As contrasted with two years ago the increase is marked, 378 against 290, but in the like week in 1892 the total was 405.

Leading manufacturing industries and larger wholesale houses at business centres report that extreme conservatism in purchases will mark business during the spring; that interior buyers are not inclined to anticipate wants more now than in the previous year; that prices generally continue at very near the lowest reported for many years, and that wages, with rare exceptions, are as low as they have been at any time during or since the panic of 1893. A redeeming feature is found in a moderately increased number of industrial employes at work compared with one year ago, but rates of compensation have not advanced.

Bank clearings throughout the United States for six business days ending with January 17 aggregate $977,809,000, about 6 per cent. less than last week, but 6.7 per cent. more than in the third week of January, 1894. Compared with the like week in January, 1893, the falling off this week is one-third, and as compared with the corresponding week in 1892 the decline is 24 per cent.

The total quantity of wheat (flour included as wheat) exported from both coasts of the United States this past week has jumped up sharply at New York, San Francisco and Portland, Ore., amounting altogether to 3,564,000 bushels, compared with 2,587,000 bushels the week before, 3,332,000 in the week a year ago, 3,637,000 two years ago, and 4,522,000 bushels three years ago.

COUNTERFEITERS ARRESTED.

Raid Made in New York City and a Complete Outfit Secured.

New York, Jan. 19.—An important raid of alleged counterfeiters was made by secret service agents last night, when Frank Soldano, May Soldano, his wife, Felix Camerone, and Giusseppe Conforto were arrested. The three men were found in No. 328 East Seventy-fourth street, where the agents discovered a number of moulds for making spurious dollar, half dollar, quarters, and ten and five-cent pieces, and about $100 in counterfeit coin.

When arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields, Conforto broke down and confessed his guilt. He said he "might as well be sentenced at once." He was held to await the action of the grand jury. The other three prisoners were held in $5,000 bail each for examination on Jan. 25.

Badger and Panel Worker Arrested.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Jan. 19.—The police have under arrest a tall slender young woman richly dressed who came here a few days ago and rented furnished rooms, and hung out a fortune-tellers sign bearing the name of Mme. St. Elmo. Since then it has been learned that she is one of the most clever badger and panel workers in Canada and but a few days previous to her arrival here victimized a prominent business man of Niagara Falls, Ont., to the extent of $1,000.

Sentenced for Illegal Voting.

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 19.—Michael Keegan who was arrested Saturday night on a charge of voting at the recent city election in the name of Michael Wall, was tried before Judge Hadley. The defendant was found guilty and fined $150 and sentenced to five months in jail.

The Dry Goods Market.

Nw York, Jan. 19.—Business in the direction of store trade in the dry goods market has been quiet throughout, only a limited number of buyers putting in an appearance, but in most directions some improvement is reported in the mail order demand.

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6.37 P. M. WESTERN EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, dining car daily for Pittsburg, Chicago, Cleveland, daily except Saturday, for Toledo, Williamsport, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

8.34 p.m—SOUTHWESTERN EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping car, daily, to Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, and Memphis. Dining car Altoona to Richmond

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For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 00, 9.06, 9.36 a. m., 9.29 p. m.

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For Baltimore only 1 37 p. m., week-days.

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For Philadelphia—1 00, 5 37, 7 19 9 05, 9 36, 11 43, A. M., 1 05, 1 37, 3 33, 5 06, 6 36 7 46, 9 49, 2 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 39, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M., 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Banway—1, 1 43 daily ex. Monday, 4 06, 6 44, 7 10, 7 59, 8 54, 9 46, 9 50, 10 59, 11 47 a. m., 12 46, 1 18 1 37, 2 48 3 20, 3 39, 3 59, 4 38, 4 53, 5 22, 5 40, 6 06, 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 45, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 46, 8 14 8 55, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1, 1 43, 6 59, 7 43, 9 49, 10 25 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 2 47, 3 28, 4 50, 5 20, 5 40, 7 21, 7 27, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 06, 9 36, 9 50, 11 42 a. m., 12 35, 1 37, 2 48, 3 59, 5 08, 5 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 09 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 06, 9 36 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a. m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 05 a. m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 05, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 55, 2 48 and 6 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 5 37, 7 19, 7 59 9 06, 9 36, 11 43 A. M., 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08 6 16, 7 46, 8 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 39, 9 05 9 36 10 41 A. M., 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 1 20 A. M., 12 00, 1 45, 2 30, 6 28, 8 00, 9 11, 9 30, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 50, 8, 8 40 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 24, 6 04, 7 09, 8 30, 9 32, 10 37 P. M. Sunday—8 07, 9 05, 10 08, 11 20, A. M 12 28, 1 45 2 30, 3 30, 7 11, 8 29, 9 32, 10 37 P. M.

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Passengers for Newark change cars at Bloomfield.

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Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 30, A. M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 32, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m, 5 05 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua,

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch,

9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 39 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 9 27 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 27, 9, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 9 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

7 10, 7 59, 8 54, 9 46, 9 50, 10 59, 11 47, a. m., 12 46, 1 18 1 37, 2 48 3 20, 3 39, 3 59, 4 38, 4 53, 5 22, 5 40, 6 06, 6 12, 6 17, 6 27, 6 45, 6 52, 6 59, 7 20, 7 46, 8 14 8 55, 9 54, 11 02 11 45 p. m. and 12 27 night week-days Sundays, 1, 1 43, 6 59, 7 43, 9 49, 10 25 10 41 and 11 47 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 2 47, 3 28, 4 50, 5 20, 5 40, 7 21, 7 27, 7 47, 8 14, 8 47, 9 16, 10 14, 11 and 11 55 p. m.

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REVOLUTION IN HAWAII

Followers of Queen Lil Rise in a Vain Revolt.

The Little Republic Promptly Suppressed the Royalists, and Many of the Rebels Were Arrested—Several Lives Lost and a Number of Persons Injured.

San Francisco, Jan. 19.—Correspondence of the United Press, per steamer Alameda:

Honolulu, Jan. 10.—On the 5th, per Australia, I reported what seemed an attempt on the 3d to arm natives at Kakaako beyond the marine railway. Such an attempt was actually made to land rifles from the steamer Waimanato. It was frustrated by the vigilance of the police, but a second attempt was successful.

On the evening of Sunday, the 6th, as many as 600 rifles were landed between Waialae and Diamond Head, nearly six miles from town. Some 500 natives were collected there and received guns and ammunition from the schooner Norma, of Victoria, if our information is correct.

The natives were under the command of Bob Wilcox and Sam Nowlein. They captured during the day and detained eight or ten white persons of both sexes found taking Sunday afternoon strolls beyond Diamond Head.

The wires of the telephone on the Head were cut, so that no information could reach the city.

It was this intention to rush in early in the evening and surprise the city while the people were at church. The authorities received information towards night that arms were being landed at Diamond Head, at the house of George Bertelman, a half white royalist leader, well under the base of the Head.

A strong squad of mounted police was immediately sent out to search Bertelman's house.

The police were fired upon from the beach by rebels.

The rebels were scattered by a resolute attack. Troops aided the police.

Several lives were lost and many injured.

On Monday morning John Dunn, one of the most trustworthy men in the government employ, received instructions to enter the lines of the enemy if such could possibly be done, and ascertain the true situation of the revolutionists.

Leaving Honolulu Dunn made his way out to Waikiki and found the party consisted of over 150, all natives. The men were mostly lying down, while several were walking up and down in order to keep warm. They had only a few blankets and wraps and many of them it was noticed were in their shirt sleeves. Robert Wilcox was in command, and it was to him that Dunn chiefly addressed his conversation. Wilcox described how the royalists would make a detour of the country, be reinforced at different points en route and finally enter Honolulu by way of the plains, with over 1,000 men at his command. They had plenty of food, ammunition and guns, and would surely succeed in overturning the hated missionaries.

Early Tuesday morning Wilcox called 125 men together and spoke to them in their tongue. What he said evidently pleased them as they seemed anxious to depart. Before starting, however, Wilcox turned to Dunn and told him he was going to march straight for Ponchbowl, and would capture the government powder magazine. Dunn was to proceed immediately, notify Nowlein of his intention and tell him to join him at Punchbowl with his entire command as soon as he could get there. "I will capture and hold Punchbowl until he (Nowlein) arrives; but all haste must be made by him to join me there."

Wilcox said a large force of natives under the command of Evans, a Canadian, who was then supposed to be in the vicinity of Moanalua, would also join him at Punchbowl.

In the Evans party there were seven white men, all of whom had seen service in Canada during the Riel rebellion. Part of them came to Honolulu recently in the pay of a well known royalist. With these parting words Wilcox and his party moved away on foot and at a fast pace. The remainder of the natives were told before hand to follow Dunn and join Nowlein. Under the pretense of going, he followed to see how the land lay. Dunn managed to elude the natives and started for Honolulu as fast as he could travel. Travel-stained, foot sore and weary, he reached the police station with a story that startled all those who heard its narration.

After a hurried consultation with officers there, Dunn was taken to President Dole's residence and there recounted his experience. The recital of the story caused the government to take steps to occupy Punchbowl. In accordance therewith companies E and B with field pieces were ordered to that locality at midnight. A short time afterward Punchbowl and surrounding points had been occupied by government troops no sign of the enemy being visible.

It was by the testimony of the natives captured later that the officials were able to discover the instigators of the insurrection. Soon a net of conviction was woven about many prominent royalists in town.

Cautioned To Obey the Law.

Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—President Geo. B. Roberts, of the Pennsylvania railroad, has issued a notice to the officials of the company's system drawing their attention to provisions of the new constitution of New York forbidding the soliciting or issuing of free passes to and person holding a public office, and cautioning them to obey the law.

Protest Against Taxation.

Vienna, Jan. 19.—Dispatches from Athens say that mass meetings are held daily in many parts of Greece to protest against the increase of taxation. While much excitement is manifested there have been no outbreaks as yet and no revolution is expected.

$3,500,000 More Gold for Export.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The gold withdrawn at New York yesterday for export amounted to $3,500,000.

NOT ENTITLED TO INHERIT.

Decision in a Case Involving Property Willed by Former Slaves.

Washington, Jan. 19.—In the District of Columbia circuit court Judge Bradley decided, in a case involving property willed by free colored parents, formerly slaves, to their children, that where there was no proof of actual marriage between the slave parents within the limits of time allowed by an act of congress of 1879 and various acts of state legislature, legitimizing children born of slaves, such children were not entitled to inherit, as legitimate issue.

The case, besides being of general interest, is of importance to many property holders in the District of Columbia. Valuable property in this city is involved through its former ownership by colored people, as to whose legal marriage and the rights of dowery of their wives no satisfactory evidence could be obtained.

Much of this property has been transferred in recent years and in order to minimize the chances of litigation through clouded titles arising from its former ownership by children of slaves, or freed men, careful speculators have taken the precaution to have it pass by technical purchase through the hands of numerous wealthy citizens, before deeding it to the actual purchaser. By this means, a bulwark of responsibility is imposed between any embarrassing and expensive litigation.

$400,000,000 AT STAKE.

Holmes' Heirs Have Secured Mayor Johnson To Prosecute Their Suit.

Springfield, O., Jan. 19.—Mayor James Johnson, of this city, has begun active work as attorney for the heirs, scattered all over the country, of James Holmes' estate of $400,000,000 in the bank of England and Dublin.

A big meeting of the heirs held Wednesday at Decatur, Ill., resulted in Mayor Johnson's appointment, his success in securing money from the big Woods' estate in England for the American heirs two years ago operating to his advantage. The estate is the largest undivided one in the world.

Holmes was a South Sea Island trader and died in 1727. An effort was made 60 years ago to obtain possession of the property and was abandoned on account of the death of the principals. The heirs at present interested have plenty of money, and will make every effort to get the property.

Among the prominent heirs the country over are: Chicago, Judge Alfred Ennis, Mrs. A. B. Buford; New York city, James Nimrod; St. Louis, Dr. Alex Holmes Shaw; Cincinnati, Dr. James Baldridge; Pittsburg, John Baldridge; Springfield, O., Dr. J. T. McLaughlin.

THE ICE CROP.

Hudson River Companies Preparing for the Harvest.

Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 19.—The superintendents of the companies that have ice houses along the river are getting so anxious about the securing of a crop that they will not wait for anything over eight inches to begin the harvest. If cold weather continues, cutting will probably begin by Tuesday or Wednesday of next week.

Gangs of men were at work at about every house on the river north of this city, either tapping the ice to flood the snow, or scraping and cleaning it off. The ice averages from five to six inches in thickness, and if the light snow upon it can be flooded it will be a protection to the fields if another thaw should occur.

Up the river cutting has commenced, and the Jersey City Ice company are storing nine inch ice at Stuyvesant. The Staats Brothers are harvesting nice ice at Castleton, while the Greene County Ice company are storing eight and one half inch ice cut from the Coxsackie channel, and McCabe is harvesting nine inch ice at Athens. At Hudson nine inch ice is being cut.

SUGAR TRUST RIVAL.

A $3,000,000 Refinery To Be Erected at Camden, N. J.

Camden, N. J., Jan. 19.—The sugar trust is threatened with a rival refinery in this city. At least it is said that plans are now being prepared by Adolph Segal, a builder of manufacturing plants, to erect a $3,000,000 sugar refinery here which will have a capacity of 4,000 barrels of refined sugar a day.

A site is said to have been purchased at the foot of Cooper street, having a frontage of 500 feet and running out 1,350 feet to the Riparian line. Men are at work clearing up the ground, and the building will be erected as speedily as possible.

Mr. Segal declines to say by whom the plant will be operated, but it will be run in opposition to the sugar trust.

A gentleman prominently interested in the refining of sugar states that the new concern may be composed of Boston independent operators.

Lord Rosebery's Views.

London, Jan. 19.—Lord Rosebery said in a speech in Cardiff last evening that Welsh disestablishment would be the first measure of the next parliamentary session. He did not doubt that the established church in Wales was doomed, but everybody must remember that the house of lords presented a permanent barrier to the measures on which the Welsh had set their hearts. The position of the lords was the supreme question of the hour. When the government resolution dealing with this question should be submitted, it would involve the dissolution of parliament.

Big Fire at Macon, Ga.

Macon, Ga., Jan. 19.—Fire last night destroyed over $500,000 worth of property. Waxelbourn & Sons, dry goods, lose $275,000; Dunlap & Co., hardware, $60,000; Dannenborg & Co., dry goods, $225,000, and E. S. Harris, shoe broker, $25,000. All insured.

Intercollegiate Gymnastic Meet.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 19.—Arrangements have just been completed for the first intercollegiate gymnastic meet ever held in this country. It will take place at the Yale gymnasium Feb. 27 between Yale and Princeton.

Mr. Forrester Still Living.

Boston, Jan. 19.—The statement published this week that Arthur M. Forrester, widely known in Irish nationalist circles, had died, is incorrect. Mr. Forrester, though very seriously ill, is still living.

WHAT THEY ALL SAY.

Beautiful Women Give Some Wonderful Information Concerning Female Beauty. We Do Not Think It Will Take Women Long to Act Upon This Idea.

The poet and philosopher, Ralph Waldo Emerson says:

"If eyes were made for seeing,
Then beauty is its own excuse for being."

Beauty of feature and elegance of form have ever been the desire of the feminine mind And it is a perfectly laudable and natural ambition. Women are born to sway the hearts and minds of men as much by their beauty and attractiveness, as by the subtler charms of goodness and purity.

And yet how few women attain the beauty which should be theirs, and in those few who are beautiful how quickly their beauty fades! This is wrong. Women are naturally beautiful—at least of pleasing and attractive appearance—and in nearly all the cases where women lack these physical charms, the fault is their own.

Good looks and beautiful forms are entirely dependent upon good health. One must have strong nerves and pure blood to be beautiful Failing to have these, is to fail of good looks and fine figure, and the woman who becomes broken in health, even in the slightest degree, will see her beauty gradually fade. The moment women realise this, that moment will they understand that physical beauty is a matter within their own control. And just how it is so, is told by Mrs. Francis Lytle, of 2 Hunter ave., Rochester, N. Y.

"I was very pale and delicate," she says, "and had no color, and had female weakness I am now well, thanks to Dr Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. My face is plump and my cheeks red, and my complexion pure. When I began the use of this remedy, I only weighed eighty-one pounds, and now I weigh 115 pounds and am still gaining. Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is a wonderful medicine. I have not had any trouble since I began taking it."

Miss Emma Marlatt of Oxford, N. J., says: "I have been a sufferer for ten years, and the victim of a large tumor weighing twenty pounds, which I had removed, and I suffered untold anong for many months after.

"I tried the skill of many physicians, all of whom utterly failed to give me any relief.

"I then used that wonderful medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and after using a few bottles I was entirely cured.

"To those who have been suffering from various diseases, and have failed to find any relief, I am today, a living testimony and witness to the wonderful and marvelous curative powers of this great medicine. To persons suffering from various diseases, I earnestly recommend the use of this remedy if they would be cured. For further information I will willingly, cheerfully and promptly respond.

Miss Delia T. Shea of 210 Lexington st., East Boston, Mass., makes the following statement:

"About seven years ago I began to feel very uncomfortable after eating, so much so that I found it impossible to keep the lightest food on my stomach. I grew worse for three months so I was obliged to give up work and go to the hospital.

"I tried many remedies and doctors, but they did me no good. A friend advised me to try Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

"I began using it, and after a week felt much better. When I had taken four bottles the weakness in my stomach was all gone and I could eat anything without distress, while a short time before I found it impossible for weeks at a time to even drink a glass of milk and keep it in my stomach.

"I was unable to wear anything but a loose dress and I did not go out of the house for months at a time. I am now cured of my troubles and am well and strong. My cure is wonderful. Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy has done what the hospitals, doctors and other medicines could not do.

"It is a splendid medicine, and I urge every suffering person to use it. I love to think of the good it is doing, and wish every one who is not perfectly well would take it."

Miss Rose McCarthy, of 347 East 87th st., New York City, writes as follows.

"For a long time I was troubled with nervousness and violent headaches. I would lie awake nearly all night, and was in constant misery. Previous to this, my complexion was a very healthy color, but now it became very bad.

"I took three bottles of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and was entirely cured. My nervousness and headaches left me, my good complexion returned and I slept perfectly. I can safely say to everybody who is suffering just give it a trial and you will be cured. I hope my statement will find relief for many people who do not know the benefit of such a wonderful medicine."

It is thus evident that women can get well—can secure perfect health, strong nerves and pure blood by using the great vital restorative, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. If, therefore, women will maintain their health and strength by this remarkable medicine, we will guarantee them beauty of face and form, the bright eyes, pink cheeks and clear complexion of youth, and the rounded form graceful lines and elastic step of vigorous physical development.

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TODAY IN HISTORY.

A Famous Deed of Arms.

Jan. 19, 1812, Wellington won three new handles to his name by a brilliant and audacious assault on the walls of Ciudad Rodrigo, in Portugal. The English batteries rained shot upon the French ramparts 12 days, and when two breaches showed themselves on the afternoon of the 19th Wellington declared, "Ciudad Rodrigo must be stormed this evening."

Standing upon the ruins of the convent of Francisco, he pointed out to Major Napier of the Light division the spot where he was to lead in 300 volunteer stormers. Having done this, he said, "Now do you understand exactly the way you are to take so as to arrive at the breach without noise or confusion?"

"Yes, perfectly," answered Napier and gave the signal. One of Wellington's aids then said to the major, "Why don't you load?"

"No," he responded bluntly, "if we can't do it without loading, we shall not do it at all."

"Leave him alone," exclaimed Wellington.

NAPIER.

A company of sappers had been ordered to precede the stormers with sacks of hay to fill in the ditch, but when the great cathedral clock told the hour of 7 the forlorn hope set off without waiting, and Major Napier led his little column forward close at their heels. The soldiers sprang quickly to their task, jumped into the ditch, which was 11 feet deep, and scaled a perpendicular wall, facing the low exterior rampart. A terrible shower of grape and bullets struck them at the ditch and on the wall. Half way up they saw the breach barricaded and strongly manned by the French. For personal defense each one of the stormers instinctively snapped his piece, although it was not loaded. Major Napier meanwhile had fallen with a terrible wound made by a grapeshot. Lying on the ground, he shouted and gestured to the men to trust to their bayonets. Officers with streaming wounds rushed ahead of the soldiers, who went furiously on and on and on until there stood along the rampart 52 out of the 300 who had begun the ascent. The defenders were bayoneted at their guns, and the English supporting columns, following, turned right and left down the wall. By this means the great breach was flanked.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

A Battle Tragedy at Mill Springs.

On the 19th of January, 1862, the Confederates met with a severe disaster at the hands of General George H. Thomas' troops on the field of Mill Springs, Ky.

Thomas set out from the interior of Kentucky to drive the enemy from the upper Cumberland region and across the mountains of east Tennessee. On the north bank of the Cumberland, opposite Mill Springs, the Confederates held a fortified position, which Thomas approached, cautiously moving his force in two columns. The Confederates, led by Generals George H. Crittenden and F. K. Zollicoffer, sallied out of their intrenchments on the night of the 18th, bent upon attacking Thomas' advance column, which lay west of Fishing creek and separated from the reserves by that stream. Crittenden expected to dispatch the Union columns in detail.

Zollicoffer led the attack, drove in Thomas' cavalry pickets and burst upon the camp of General M. D. Manson before it was fairly daylight. The last regiment of Manson's to turn out at the alarm was the Fourth Kentucky, led by Colonel Speed Smith Fry. This command started at double quick in the direction of the firing and halted behind a fence on the edge of a field across which Zollicoffer's men were advancing. Fry crossed the fence and rode off to the flank to reconnoiter.

GENERAL ZOLLICOFFER.

Returning from his reconnoissance, Fry met a strange officer, whose uniform was veiled by a white gum cloak. The stranger evidently recognized an enemy in Fry, but in order to cover himself he said, pointing to some of his troops advancing out of line, "We must not fire on our own men." "Of course not," Fry answered and rode toward his regiment. In a few seconds another stranger appeared, who fired his revolver at Fry. The latter turned and sent a fatal bullet into the cloaked figure riding away, who proved to be Zollicoffer.

On the fall of their leader the Confederates broke in confusion, but Crittenden, who opportunely reached the spot, ordered a general advance. Thomas also appeared at the head of a fresh body of men and handled them so skillfully that the Confederates were first checked, then finally routed, by a rush of the Second Minnesota and a superb bayonet charge by the Ninth Ohio "Prussian" regiment. Meanwhile the Union column east of Fishing creek got across, and Thomas chased the Confederates beyond the Cumberland, turning their retreat into a Bull Run stampede.

GENERAL S. S. FRY.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

BIG WARS CAUSED BY TRIFLES.

A Shaven Chin Cost France Three Million Lives—Modena's Bucket.

Many times it has happened that a great and costly war has been brought about by an incident trivial and even ridiculous.

Thus the war of the Spanish succession is said to have been caused through a glass of water. A lady, Mrs. Masham, was carrying a glass of water when she was obstructed by the Marquis de Torey. A slight scuffle ensued, and the water was spilled.

The marquis thereat took offense, and bad feeling ensued between the English and French courts, with the ultimate result that a war was declared.

The campaign cost France many severe battles—viz, Blenheim, 1704; Ramillies, 1707; Audenarde, 1708, and Malplaquet, 1709.

Quite as absurd in its origin was the war that took place during the commonwealth of Modena.

A soldier stole a bucket from a public well belonging to the state of Bologna. Although the value of the article did not exceed a quarter, its annexation was the signal for a fierce and prolonged war.

Henry, the king of Sardinia, assisted the Modenese to retain the bucket, and in one of the subsequent battles he was made a prisoner. The bucket is still exhibited in the tower of the cathedral of Modena.

A third instance of a war resulting from a trifling cause was that between Louis VII of France and Henry II of England.

The archbishop of Rouen decreed that no one should wear long hair upon their heads or chins. Louis submitted to the decree, whereupon his wife, Eleanor, rallied him upon his appearance. A quarrel ensued, which resulted in the dissolution of the marriage and Eleanor's marriage with Henry.

By this marriage the broad domains in Normandy formerly belonging to Louis passed into the possession of Henry. Louis, hotly incensed, made an attack on Normandy, and henceforth, for nearly 300 years, arose those bloody and devastating wars which cost France upward of 3,000,000 of lives.—London Answers.

CARDINAL ANTONELLI.

The Great Papal Statesman as He Appeared to a Painter.

Rudolph Lehmann's visit to Rome in 1857 led to the painter's introduction to the great papal statesman, Cardinal Antonelli. He says:

Before me sat that execrated statesman, "the best hated man in Rome," in the most affable of moods. His bronzed and somewhat oriental features were certainly far from handsome, but they were full of character, energy, and, according to some, cruelty, with the large, dark, piercing eyes overshadowed by a heavy brow, the strong aquiline nose and the full sensual lips. He was in a talkative mood and spoke freely of the difficulties that beset his onerous ministry, of the position of the papacy becoming daily more threatened through the ever increasing energy of its wicked enemies, or what he called "the modern spirits." "But," he added, "history teaches us that it has always triumphed in the long run, and it will do so now." He also told me that the worldly interests of the brothers Antonelli had never been separated; that they possessed all their worldly goods in common, one brother being director of the Banca Romana; one, the Conte Gregorio, taking care of their vast possessions in the Pontine marshes, a third being syndaco of Rome and the youngest being employed in diplomatic missions by the secretary of state.

During a short rest he showed me, with evident pride, over his elegant apartment, furnished with all the latest modern comforts. But the crowning climax was the bedroom, combining with the solemnity and mystery of the abode of a prince of the church all the luxuries of the boudoir of a petite maitresse. The walls, the curtains, as well as the hangings round the spacious four poster, were of the heaviest crimson damask, looped up with enormous tassels.—Boston Herald.

The Beauties of the Alleghanies.

The Alleghanies are fertile to the very summits, and not the least of their glories are their magnificent forests of oak, hickory, chestnut, maple, pine and other noble trees, in the spring when they are budding forth, in the summer when they are in the full bloom of maturity and when the laurel is in blossom, and in the fall, when the brilliant tints of red and gold and green and purple overwhelm one with a sense of Mother Nature's æsthetic genius in always harmonizing such a profusion of colors.

After all, it is the thoroughly satisfactory sport to be had with the game sheltered in these mountains that most endears them to the man who has any taste whatever for that sort of thing. The conditions are perfect. The game ranges from quail, or, as the Virginians call it, partridge, to deer and bear, and especially this is one of the last strongholds of that noble game bird, the wild turkey.—Magazine of Travel.

The Nonprofessional Profile Head.

"I don know how many times I have seen people—I don't mean artists, but all sorts of people, including children—draw profile heads. It is common enough for anybody to draw them on a slate, a scrap of paper, anywhere," said Mr. Billtops, "but I don't remember ever to have seen any of them draw a right handed profile—I mean one facing to the right. I suppose there is some very simple reason for this, but I am acquainted only with the fact."—New York Sun.

A Bad Break.

"You brought all that beautiful china back with you?" exclaimed the caller. "Didn't you break anything?"

"Nothing but the customs laws," replied the young lady, who had just returned from Europe.—Washington Star.

ADMIT ITS EFFICACY.

The interest taken in the almost miraculous cures made by Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, at Athens, N. Y., and other places, resulted in the Albany, N. Y., Journal sending a special representative to Athens to investigate the cases, and it was found that many of the cures made by this medicine were simply wonderful.

In the cases of Mr. Lewis Clow, who had chronic kidney disease, Mrs. Casper Brooks, suffering from female troubles, and Mrs. Wm. Tiffany, who suffered from general prostration, all of these cases were abandoned by their attending physicians. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was then used by them and in every case an absolute cure was effected.

The Company Should Pay.

Inspector Herbert Chamberlain yesterday found that two of the North Plainfield fire-alarm boxes were burned out by the electric-light contact of a few nights ago. The damage is expensive to repair, and should be paid by the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, which in constructing the system ought to have established thorough insulation.

A Local Evangelist.

William Richards of West Second street, who has been conducting religious meetings in the vicinity of Plainfield, is having excellent success. One service which he had charge of at Garwood was largely attended and very interesting, and a later one held at Locust Grove resulted well. Mr. Richards is an interesting speaker, and a good Bible student.

Special for the Young.

As many of the young people have been unable to attend, a special service will be held this evening in Vincent Chapel. It will be conducted by the Drew Quartette who will also sing at the several services tomorrow. All are cordially invited.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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CRESCENT AVENUE RECEPTION.

Plainfield Bestows Honors on Rev. Dr. Henry Blodgett and Wife.

The reception given to Rev. Dr. Henry Blodgett and Mrs. Blodgett in the Crescent Avenue Church Saturday evening was a most enjoyable occasion, calling together fully two hundred friends of the guests of honor who were most pleasantly entertained and edified during the early evening by Dr. Blodgett, who gave a most interesting resume of his forty-one years experience as a missionary among the Chinese. For over thirty years he was located at Pekin, and though at first working under the most adverse circumstances and in the face of seemingly insurmountable obstacles, he had the satisfaction of seeing his work prosper by the grace of God and become the means of elevating and Christianizing many who had been buried in the depths of superstition and idolatry. Several instances of personal conversion were spoken of in a most interesting manner, unconsciously showing, as the speaker related them, how deeply at heart the good Doctor had the salvation of all with whom he had made his home, and whose uplifting has been his life work. Robert E Speer, for years a secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions in New York, followed Dr. Blodgett, speaking with warm words of praise of the many translations which the modest Doctor had neglected to touch upon, and mentioning the untold benefit which these scholarly volumes had been in carrying forward the good work.

The assembly then adjourned to the parlors where a bountiful banquet which had been prepared by the Ladies Aid Society was discussed. The pleasant social intercourse which is always a feature of the Crescent Avenue gatherings seasoned the repast.

Plainfield Indians Abroad.

Messrs. J H. Carney, H. C. Runyon, L K. Clarke and William F. Trust, who went to Port Oram Thursday to attend the installation of the local tribe of Red Men, were royally entertained. That they did their share during the evening session goes without saying, the genial "Jack" being right in his element and bringing down the house, which was packed to the doors, with his witty and laughable sallies. The others of the Plainfield party were a close second, and fully maintained the reputation of Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque, No, 193 To show their appreciation of the visitors the Port Oram Tribe gave them the freedom of the town and escorted by the mayor and aldermen the party were piloted through mines, furnaces and smelters and were shown all the historical points of interest in the city. The boys finally had to tear themselves away and were followed to the train by the fife and drum corps and the Port Oram military band, being allowed to purchase tickets for Plainfield only after making sworn affidavit that they would return inside of six months and give another entertainment.

Union C. E. Services Tonight.

At Trinity Church this evening at 7:45 will occur the annual election of officers of the local Christian Endeavor Union for the ensuing term.

Rev. Dr. J. Clement French, the President of the New Jersey State Union, whose eloquent and interesting lectures have won him many friends throughout our city, as in fact wherever he has spoken, will deliver the principal discourse of the evening.

The Christian Endeavor Gospel Hymns will be used, and Endeavorers are requested to wear their badges. The yearly reports will be read during the meeting.

In the City Court.

Charles Davenport who was ordered by Officer Kiely to appear before Judge Coddington this morning to answer to the charge of reckless driving and cruelty to his horse yesterday was given a hearing and fined three dollars, which he paid.

Terence McCabe, who was found by Officer Frederickson Friday evening in a drunk and disorderly condition on Front street, was allowed to depart after depositing $3 with the Judge.

By Conan Doyle.

The Daily Press tomorrow will contain the latest copyrighted story of that most popular author, A. Conan Doyle, entitled "Recollections of Captain Wilkie". It is copyrighted, and will appear in this paper alone. The length is nine columns, and the story is handsomely illustrated.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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Skating Reserve.

Owing to Percy Ohl having an altercation with some roughs on his pond who had insulted some ladies, Mr. Ohl decided to allow only those to skate who left their names at the house and procured tickets, which are sold at twenty-five cents and are good for the season.

That this has been fully appreciated, is shown by the fact that among the names registered are the following: Frank Talmadge, R H Cox, C L Runyon, E F Dorman, H N Hall, E W Erickson, W Wadsworth, C P Halloway, Harvey, Gus and Charley Fisk, Dan Bunkie, Morris Dumont, Howard Miller, the Misses Patterson, Stanley and Gracie Peck, E and H Stockton, A Finch, Owen Fleming, Edith Boone, F Richardson, H E Swayze, H J and P Phillips, Miss Cone Lela Howard, Miss E Corlies, Thad. Dufion, Jack Hall, E Perkins, H Baker, Robert Tilney, H W Brower, Frank Stevenson, Frank Dumont, R Parry, Miss Cruikshank, the Misses Whiton, Miss Bogert, the Misses VanZandt, R W Erickson, Gilbert and Miss Lovell, Charlie Davis, F Squires, S Hunter, P W Mason, E Beveridge, Miss E Bowen, J W Talmage, J W Middlediith, J Walz, Miss Miller, the Misses Hyde, B G Harman, Grace Abbott, E H Sterling, J P W Taylor, Miss DeWilde, L L Gilbert, T E Erickson, and a great many others. Mr Ohl has given to their subscribers the entire use of the skating privileges on the pond, and they arrange for the keeping of it in order.

Plainfield Riding Club's Proposed Fair.

At the special meeting of the Plainfield Riding Club Saturday evening the following men were appointed a committee to arrange for a fair to be held at the riding academy February 22.

Messrs. J. W. McQuaide, F. R. Van Boskerck, William J. Roome and W. E. Pentz were named.

A complete programme has not been formulated as yet but that the affair will be a most successful event is assured by a glance at the names of the popular leaders. Among the special features will be winding the May pole, tent pegging, high hurdling and the execution of many intricate feats both bareback and in the saddle.

Death of Edward Wilson's Bride.

A most distressing bereavement is the death of May Hayden Taylor, daughter of the late Morgan S. Taylor, and wife of Edward Taylor Wilson, which occurred suddenly this morning. The happy young people were married but this Winter, and Death's untimely ending of their honeymoon arouses the deepest sympathy of all their friends.

Fainted During Service.

Mrs. C. S. Myers of Kensington avenue fainted during the evening services of the East Third Street Mission yesterday, but was readily revived after being taken to the open air. Mrs. Myers has suffered on previous occasions in a similar manner, the cause being attributed to an affection of the heart.

Business Increasing.

George Kirch, the ever-busy grocer of 196 Somerset street, has just had a 1 400-lb safe put in his store from the National Safe and Lock Co. of Cleveland, Ohio.

—7,000 soldiers are on duty in Brooklyn today. There is little disorder. More cars are running.

—The Epworth League of the Monroe Avenue Chapel will entertain in the chapel Tuesday evening, Jan. 29.

—Mrs. James Coleman Drayton today asked for more time to prepare her reply to her husband's petition for divorce.

—Revival services are to be held in Grace church every night this week at 8, with the possible exception of Saturday. A feature will be singing by the chorus choir.

Miss May Stockton Shreve of Grove street has set forth in the current number of Harper's Young People an attractive idea for a young girl's luncheon under the title of "A Literary Salad". The problem of how to provide entertainment of a nature not too frivolous for young people, without becoming pedantic and dull, has always been a difficult one, and Miss Shreve's suggestion will be remembered as one of the details of its solution. The article will be perused with interest, not only by her friends, but by all the readers of the Young People.

THE PASTOR'S POKER.

Housebreakers Put to Flight by the Plucky Rev. Hauser.

The lights had been put out in the front part of the house, and the clergyman and his wife were in the kitchen, when, at 10:15 Saturday night, Rev George Hauser of Duer street and Park place heard some on the front stoop working at one of the windows.

Taking a stout poker, Mr. Hauser noiselessly unlocked the front door and stepped out on the stoop. There was a man at the window, and one at the gate.

"What are you doing there?" said the pastor.

The window operator made a motion as if to grapple with the parson, but that athletic gentleman gave him several whacks over the head with the poker, till it was bent out of shape.

"Don't do that!" screamed the man, at the top of his voice, and broke away and ran to the street. Both he and his companion took to their heels, and the last seen of them they were running up Duer street.

"You got in the wrong place that time!" shouted the dominie.

Mr. Hauser took the lamp to investigate the damage to the window, and found a well-worn woolen cap which the robber had dropped.

The audacity of the attempted housebreaking is seen in the fact that the houses of the neighborhood were illuminated, and the time for sleeping had not come. The people of the section were startled by the outcry.

Studying Local Charities.

At the meeting of the Plainfield Branch Alliance of Unitarian and Other Christian Women, to be held in the lecture room of All Souls Church tomorrow at 3 p. m., the topic will be "Local Charities", and the matters discussed will be their cost, how they are administered, how the methods compare with those of neighboring cities, whether some better method can be devised for the care of paupers, whether pauperism is increasing in proportion to population, the tramp question, and provision for defective classes.

A Master of the Art.

A. Wehner, the ever good natured musician whose ability as an instructor on the piano is of the high grade expected of a graduate of the Conservatory of Leipsic, already has three pupils in Plainfield, though his introduction to the town is but recent. He desires a few more Plainfielders under his tuition, and will speedily answer all letters addressed to him in care of The Daily Press.

Protecting Animals.

The esteemed correspondent writing to The Press of the cases of cruelty to animals that have come under her notice is informed that the State laws give ample protection, and on her complaint, or that of any citizen, the abuser of any animal will be arrested and punished as the evidence warrants. Any justice of the peace will take complaint.

Died of Hiccoughs.

Mrs. Fred J. Mitchell of Plainfield avenue has gone to Providence because of the death of her father, C. W. Morris, who for the past two weeks has been suffering with hiccoughs and who died Saturday night as a result of the attack.

Spiriing Up.

Several members of John Hand Camp will meet tomorrow evening to be measured for uniforms. Any of the other members wishing information about them can receive it by seeing any of the officers.

Minnie Lester's Return.

The plays to be given by the Minnie Lester company on their return to Music Hall the week of March 25 will be: "Out in the Streets", "Waifs of New York", "Ragged Jack", "The Devil's Mine", "Miss Rora", and "Beacon Lights".

Music Hall Prices.

The new scale of prices in Music Hall is as follows: Front four orchestra rows, $1; balance of floor, 75 cents, except rear three rows, which are 50 cents; gallery, front three rows, 50 cents; rear three, 35; admission without seat, 25 cents.

Send Along a Better One.

The Daily Press is in receipt of a long letter in reply to American, so full of personal abuse and so empty of genuine argument as to be unworthy of the cause it champions.

Wear the Badge.

At the meeting of the local Christian Endeavor Union in Trinity Reformed Church tonight every Endeavorer should wear the badge of the society.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE PLAINFIELD WATER-SUPPLY INVESTIGATION.

Complete Official Report of the Common Council Committee, With Counselor Marsh's Review of the Thirteen Questions, and an Additional Explanatory Letter by Councilman Frost in Reply to President Frank Bergen's Caustic Criticisms.

The great public importance of the report of the councilmanic committee on Plainfield's water-supply investigation makes it imperative that every citizen should study it; and the nicety of the legal points involved demands that the answers of the Corporation Counsel to the 13 questions submitted, be given fullest circulation in their entirety.

Realizing the gravity of the case, and true to its office of the people's paper, The Daily Press has undertaken what all others have neglected, the widespread circulation of the complete report.

Everything of the report is published complete in this issue, including the illustrations which were so carefully prepared; and a copy is put into every home in the town.

In addition to the committee's report (which includes Counselor Marsh's answers) there is printed a letter from Chairman Frost citing the committee's authorities, and answering the criticisms made against the report by President Frank Bergen of the Water Supply Company.

This matter is of great concern to every local landowner and inhabitant, and the issue is extremely valuable and should be preserved.

The Honorable the Common Council of the City of Plainfield:

In the matter of that portion of the Mayor's message, viz:

"Another question which sooner or later "may be of importance to the people of "Plainfield is connected with the Water Com-"pany. This company, or its promoters, have "undertaken to furnish Fanwood, Westfield, "Cranford, Roselle and Elizabeth with water "drawn from our own source of supply. How "long this drain can continue without being "seriously felt by our people, is a question "worthy of serious consideration. At the "present time danger may not be imminent, "but the natural increase in the population of "the places referred to may in time result in "an insufficient supply for our purposes. I "recommend that during the year some action "be taken by your honorable body to obtain "information both as to the extent of the dan-"ger referred to, and as to our legal rights in "the premises."

Your Committee, to whom it was referred, submit the following:

Concerning "the extent of the danger referred to," any investigations of the subject of a subterranean water supply are necessarily indefinite: from the experience of numerous investigators much valuable information is obtainable, yet the conclusions are only approximate, and may vary very widely; it is only by actual test that the

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can be absolutely determined.

Your Committee has prepared a contour map from the State Geological Survey, showing the area of the Plainfield watershed, also profiles and sections, from which a fair conception of the situation may be obtained, with an approximate estimate of the available water supply, and its liability to prove insufficient for the future needs of the City of Plainfield, if any considerable proportion of the natural existing supply is diverted to other communities.

SOURCE OF SUPPLY.

The water for our industrial and domestic uses is obtained from the loose porous sand and gravel, and from the open fissures in the rocks underlying any given watershed. The quantity normally held in such soil is not the same, but differs from the kind and structure. It is estimated that in a free, open soil, such as underlies Plainfield, about one-fourth of the rainfall percolates into the ground, and the balance is taken up by evaporation and vegetation, or runs off over the surface to the streams and ponds. As the laws of gravity govern the flow of water through the soil in the same way as in streams, retarded only by the frictional resistance of the material through which it passes, the more compact the material the greater head required to force itself to an outlet, hence the great difference in the level of the ground water, even in localities of small area.

HYDRAULIC PRINCIPLES.

In order to determine the availability of a district to furnish a supply of ground water, the topography and geological formation must be carefully studied. If it is to be depended upon as the only source of supply, then the storage capacity must be equal to the maximum consumption during the months of the year when the percolation is less than the demand.

If, as in the case at Plainfield, by pumping, the level of the water is quickly drawn down and continued with a uniform yield and quick recovery of the original level upon stopping the pumps, then it may be assumed that the storage area is small, but the supply is constant through open strata. If the yield should be equal to the capacity of the pipes without lowering the ground water, then may the supply be assumed to be abundant. If the level of the water is reduced slowly, and has an equally slow recovery, it would indicate a storage reservoir without material supply.

THE "UNDERGROUND RIVER"

from which we obtain our supply of clear and wholesome water is of purely local origin—the rainfall over an area of about (10) square miles—and the volume of flow is subject to the variations of the seasons of average or excessive rainfalls of ordinary dry weather or severe droughts. This "underground river" takes its rise near Springfield, and, flowing in a southwesterly course, parallel to the Watchung Mountain, gathers volume from the steep sides of the mountains on the right and from the lesser slopes of the "short hills" on the left, until it passes the corner of the terminal moraine at Netherwood, where it broadens out to the southeast, and in a wider and presumably shallower stream, finds its way through gravel and shale to the Raritan River.

The upper surface of this "underground river" is easily determinable anywhere over its entire extent by the simple process of boring in the ground until water is reached. If the records of all the well-borings in Plainfield and vicinity are plotted on profile paper, the points showing the surfaces of the water in the wells will be found to be on a tolerably uniform slope, which, between the city line on the east and the surface of the water in the Raritan, varies from one foot in 500 feet to one foot in 300 feet. This line is practically permanent as to slope, but will rise or fall two or three feet, according to the wetness or dryness of the season, and with it the surface of the wells it supplies will experience similar variations of level, the changes occurring between May and September. This line is called the hydraulic slope or "water table" of the "underground river" and it is the resultant of the exact equality the force of gravity and the retarding influence of the material through which the water flows in its course to the outlet. Differences in the permeability of the strata through which the stream flows will affect the velocity of flow; there may be veins of water owing, to the greater porosity of the strata, and at depressions of the ground where the plane of the water table comes above the surface there will be springs and flowing streams. But the general flow will be constant, and the slope will vary only between narrow limits.

If, now, it were possible to make an absolutely correct survey of the surface of the red sandstone which underlies our entire watershed, it would also be quite possible to obtain a close estimate of the volume of the "underground river" and its availability as a water supply for the needs of our city and adjacent communities. It is, however, impossible to make such a survey, and the best we can do is to study carefully the geological structure of the district, and from this knowledge, and the records of well-boring, compile such a map of the rock bed as it is possible to do.

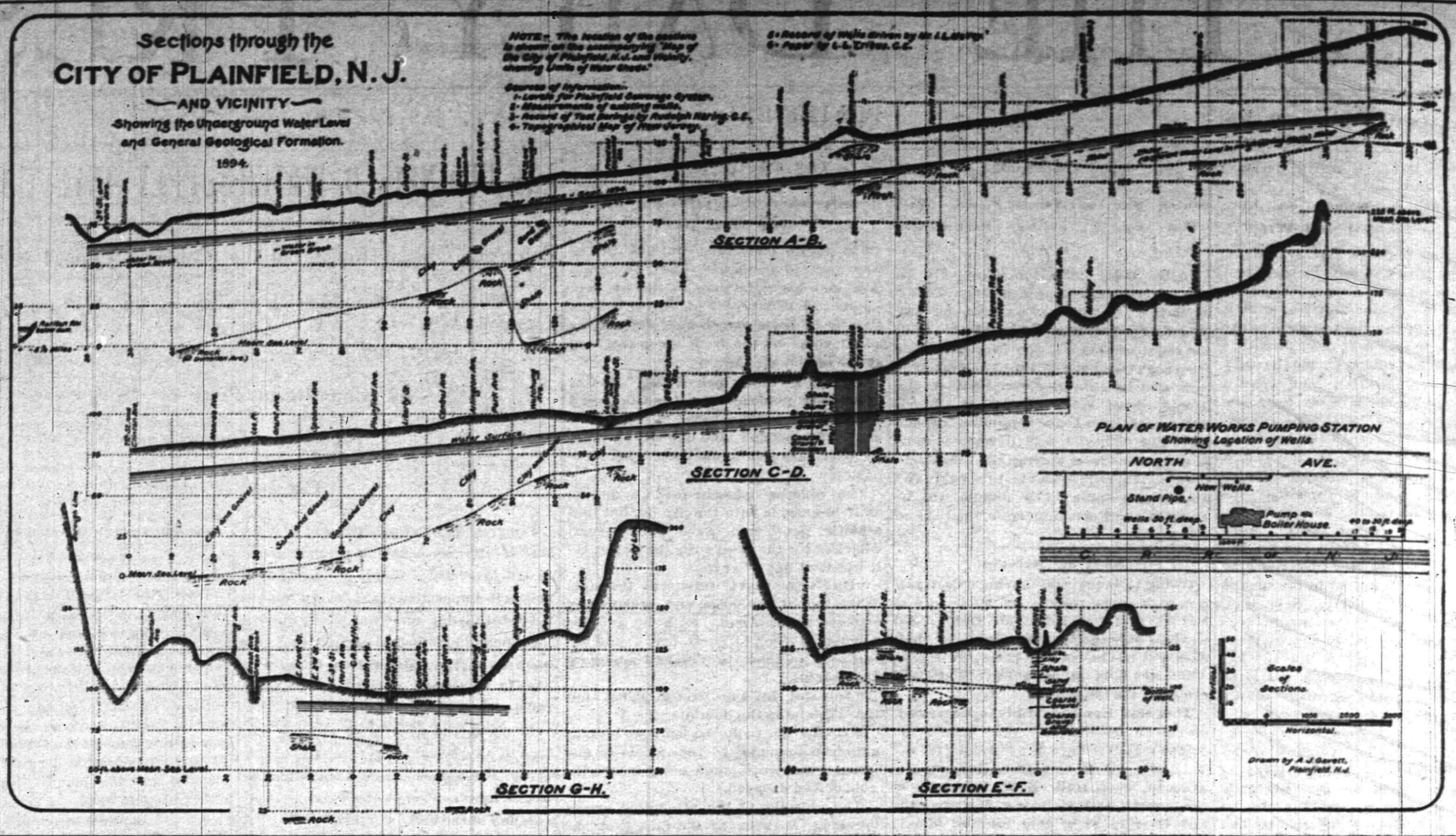
THE AREA OF THE WATERSHED

tributary to the well of the Plainfield Water Supply Company at Netherwood is about five square miles. The red sandstone underlying this area has been furrowed deeply in places by glacial action; bowl-like depressions, similar to what is seen on the surface among the "short hills" have been formed, as also rock mounds, the counterpart of surface topography. These irregularities are overlaid by the "boulder drift," composed of small boulders, gravel, sand, shale, and clay, and it is through this material that the "underground river" flows in its course to the Raritan.

AVAILABLE SAFE VOLUME.

If we allow 25 feet as an average depth of boulder drift above the rock, and 15 feet as an average from the surface of the ground to the water table, there is 10 feet depth of saturated gravel and shale from which the total yield of water must come. The total volume of water held in suspension in the interstices of a gravel bed such as that of the Plainfield watershed, extending over five square miles and 10 feet deep is 3,136,320,000 gallons, allowing 30 per cent. of the total cubical contents to be water. This volume is moving in a stream the entire width of the valley, and cannot possibly all be intercepted by a single pumping system. Allowing one-third of it to be intercepted at the Plainfield Water Company's wells gives 1,045,000,000 gallons as the permanent storage basin to be drawn upon. At 2,000,000 gallons per day pumped, there is a supply for 522 days, or less than one and one-half years, after which time the supply would have to be provided from the water which soaked into the ground from the rainfall.

If we allow 12 inches of the annual rainfall as reaching the storage area, it will amount to a daily yield of 2,875,000 gallons. But only about one-half of this can be depended upon for a permanent supply, hence the amount available will be less than 1,500,000 gallons per 24 hours. During the dry months, from May to September, the ordinary rainfall never reaches the saturated bed; it is, therefore, from the storage basin, or the so-called "underground river," that the supply is drawn in these months. As the storage basin is drawn upon by pumping, the level of the water table is lowered; after a time the yield becomes so lessened that the pumps must be lowered, and this is what occurred at the Plainfield Water Supply Company's pumping station in the dry season of 1894, when the water table was lowered six or seven feet, and necessitated lowering the pumps eight feet one inch below their original positions. Engineer Brush, in referring to this neces-



sity, stated that it was an indication "that the supply was not inexhaustible."

THE "AREA OF INFLUENCE."

To explain this effect of pumping upon the ground water more fully: At the normal volume of the "underground river" the water table, representing the surface, maintains its permanent slope and its distance from the ground surface; when pumping begins the water falls at first rapidly, afterwards more slowly, until, if the discharge of the pump be uniform, a point is reached where the water is supplied at exactly the same rate as delivered by the pump, and therefore pumping can go on indefinitely; but if the pumping is forced, the water line sinks, and in doing so assumes the shape of a flattened, inverted cone, of which the pumping well is the apex, and the absolute depth of the cone cannot extend 30 feet below the surface of the water in the saturated bed. The average suction lift of the pumps of the Plainfield Water Supply Company was 20 to 23 feet during the original tests, and within a year after commencing to pump, the natural result of excessive pumping—lowering the water table—occurred. The immediate area subject to the influence of the pumps is presumably a circle, with the center of the well for its center, but in the case of a system of gang wells such as those of the Plainfield Water Supply Company, the form will be that of an ellipse, and allowing for a depth of 50 feet, the area of the influence will be about 100 acres; the westerly limit will be about 200 feet west of Leland Ave., and the easterly limit about at Terrill Road; the sides of the ellipse will be distant about 1,100 feet on each side of the pumping station; allowing 25 feet depth of the saturated bed gives 35,000,000 cubic feet of gravel, or 66,500,000 gallons of water. On account of intermittent pumping time is allowed daily for a partial refilling of the area of influence, but as consumption increases so is the time of pumping lengthened, and as the water in the cone (or pyramid) is lowered, the discharge is diminished proportionately as the head is diminished. If the pumping be kept at the rate of maximum yield the cone of influence will eventually be emptied, when no more water can be obtained until after such time as it can be partly or wholly replenished from the natural rainfall reaching the saturated bed. There may, however, be water below this limit of suction, and to reach it deeper and larger wells must be driven and the pumps lowered to within 30 feet or less of the surface. The old wells of the Plainfield Water Supply Company were driven 40 to 45 feet deep, but it has become necessary to sink new and deeper wells to the north of the old line of wells.

CONCLUSIONS.

From our investigations thus far we can state:

1st. The source of the Plainfield Water Company's supply is local.

2d. Tests of numerous dug wells from the water-works eastward and northward over the watershed along Front St., Terrill Road, Martine ave., and at Scotch Plains, give evidence of a lowering of the water table, and consequent lowering of the storage basin.

3d. Inquiries disclose the fact that several wells eastward of the water-works have been deepened within two years.

4th. There has been general complaint of lowering of water in all the wells in the city and vicinity.

5th. The action of the Water Supply Company in lowering their pumps and boring wider and deeper wells indicates exhaustion of the storage supply.

While we do not find that there is immediate danger of an insufficient supply for the needs of this city, reasoning from the experience of other localities with an underground water supply, the records of which we have examined, the inference is that the probability of a very much diminished supply in the near future is imminent.

POSSIBLE CONTAMINATION.

There is, however, a consequence of excessive pumping which directly concerns the people of Plainfield. In the slow percolation through sand and gravel, water is very thoroughly filtered, and is delivered to consumers in a safe and wholesome condition; the action of forced pumping is to create a more porous condition of the soil, and, indeed, to create open channels through which the supply of water will be temporarily greatly increased, but at the expense of the purity and wholesomeness; as every drop which reaches the pumps has passed downward from the ground surface through the intervening strata, so must the supply be more or less contaminated at the start by the condition of the soil through which it passes. It is a fact that in the Plainfield watershed are barnyards, manured fields, cesspools, privy vaults, and cemeteries, and a portion of the rainfall which soaks through these is pumped into the pipes of the Plainfield Water Supply Company, and delivered to consumers. Thorough filtration is secured by slow percolation, although absolute purification is not. If a series of channels is induced by forced pumping, is it not clear to any intelligent person that the danger arising from the delivery of possibly contaminated water is greatly increased?

The remedy for this condition of our public water supply is to secure a sufficient watershed as free from contaminating influences as possible, and take from it only such supply as is needed by the citizens of Plainfield and such adjoining communities as can safely be supplied.

OUR LEGAL RIGHTS.

Regarding our legal rights in the premises thirteen questions were submitted to the Corporation Counsel, and the following copy of his opinion upon each of these questions is appended to and made a part of this report, viz:

Office of Counsel to the Corporation of the City of Plainfield.

To the Committee on Water and Sewerage:

Gentlemen—This opinion deals with the thirteen written questions submitted by your Committee in the order in which such questions were propounded. The question in each instance is first quoted in full, and my opinion thereupon follows before the next question is taken up.

The first question is: "Is the Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey incorporating 'The Plainfield Water Supply Company', being Chapter DLIV of the Laws of 1869, constitutional and valid?"

No suggestion is made in the inquiry submitted as to any particular ground on which the constitutionality of the Act is doubted. If it has been supposed that the act is unconstitutional because it is special legislation (as it has been intimated to be orally), the answer is that at the time the Act was approved, there was no constitutional provision prohibiting special legislation conferring corporate powers. Such special legislation as to the future was prohibited by the Constitutional Amendment of 1875. If it was supposed that the act is unconstitutional on the ground that it authorizes the taking of private property for use of the corporation, the answer is that the corporation is a quasi public corporation, on which it is legitimate, under our constitution, to confer the power of eminent domain. In the Act under consideration, it is expressly provided that the rights of owners damaged under the Act shall be legally obtained and paid for; that if the company cannot agree with the owner or occupants of any land or water intended to be taken, commissioners shall be appointed to assess the damages; and that an appeal may be taken to the courts from the determination of the commissioners. In short, the Act provides the usual preliminaries to the exercise of the right of eminent domain, and if the company disregard these provisions, the trouble would not be with the charter, but with the violation of the charter. The question whether there is any defect in the title of the Act whereby the Act is rendered unconstitutional or invalid is a more troublesome question. The title is "An Act to supply the Town of Plainfield, Union County, and towns adjoining with water for public and private use," and the Act itself is in substance and effect a charter of a stock corporation. The constitutional provision applicable at the time the Act was approved, was, as to the point referred to, the same as at present, viz.: "To avoid improper influences, which may result from intermixing in one and the same act such things as have no proper relation to each other, every law shall embrace but one subject, and that shall be expressed in the title." (Constitution of 1844, Art. 4, Sec. 7, Par. 4; Constitution, as amended, Art 4 Sec 7, Par. 4)

The doubt suggested to my mind is not as to whether the creation or the corporation has a proper relation to the supply of Plainfield and surrounding towns with water, but as to whether the title truly expresses the real object of the Act, or, in other words, as to whether the creation of the corporation, with its powers and franchises, may not be said to have been the leading object of the legislation—the object which, under the Constitution, is required to be not only embraced in the title, but expressed in the title. Said Mr. Justice Vanseykel, in Camden & Amboy R. R. Co. v. Mays Landing, etc., R. R. Co. (19 Vr., 531, at page 560), speaking for the majority of the Court of Errors: "The constitutional restraint could not be invoked for a more salutary purpose than to suppress a scheme to amplify corporate powers in a way which effectually conceals the intention to do so." Citing Jersey City v. Elmendorf (18 Vr., 283). So Chief Justice Beasley, in Rador v. Township of Union, already cited, in discussing the question whether the title, "An Act in relation to streets in Union Township, Union County," was sufficient to validate an act which created a municipal corporation, uses this illustration: "And so, a law entitled 'An Act in relation to silk goods' would not indicate in the faintest outline a purpose to incorporate a body for the manufacture of such fabrics. Such titles would be idle and inefficacious for every purpose. And yet the latter example of a nugatory title is not unlike the one prefixed in the act under consideration. It is described as being in relation to streets in Union Township, but its immediate purpose is to create a corporation to take charge of such streets." The title in the case last cited was held insufficient and the Act declared unconstitutional.

On the other hand, a reference to similar acts, and even to general laws authorizing the formation of water companies, shows that the kind of title adopted was not unusual. The Act of April 1, 1876, which authorized the formation of water companies generally in certain municipalities, was entitled "An Act for the construction, maintenance, and operation of water-works, for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, and villages of this State with water" (Rev. Supp., 650) There is nothing in the title referring to the purpose of authorizing the formation of corporations, and yet the Act provides for the incorporation of stock corporations, and nearly a hundred New Jersey water companies owe their charters to that act. That act was attacked as being unconstitutional, and the attack was conducted with great vigor, by one of the ablest constitutional lawyers of this State, and no question was raised as to the sufficiency of the title. It became my duty, on behalf of the City of Plainfield, in that case, to endeavor to sustain the constitutionality of the Act, and the city was successful. (See Lewis, Pres., v. Moore, 25 Vr., page 121) On the whole, the question would seem to be, may the titles of the act under consideration, and the other acts referred to, be taken to express the objects of the acts respectively, and the incorporation of the stock companies be taked to be merely the means by which that object was to be accomplished. If the act in question will bear that construction, the title would be sufficent, as it is not necessary to state in the title the methods by which the object of the statute is to be effected. (See Rader v. Township of Union, 10 Vr., 500, 518; Newark v. Orange, 26 Vr., 514) While the constitutionality of the act on the point under discussion is a debatable question, yet in view of the declaration made by Chief Justice Beasley, in State v. Hammer, 13 Vr., 435, that it is only in perfectly plain cases that it is proper for the courts to vacate statutes on the ground in question, I incline to the opinion that the title under consideration would be held sufficient. The Court of Errors and Appeals, per Mr. Justice Vanseykel, in Paul v. Gloucester City (21 Vr., 583, 590), held that "to be in doubt is to be resolved in favor of the law."

No other grounds of attack under the provisions of the Constitution have been suggested to me, nor have any occurred to my own mind in the time which I have been able to give to the consideration of the Act.

It has been suggested that the charter of Plainfield repealed the charter of the company. There is no force in the suggestion. As was tersely said by Mr. Justice Depue in the North Hudson Co. Railway v. Hoboken (12 Vr., 71, 78): "The charter of a private corporation, created for purposes of business or trade, will not be modified, altered, or impaired by a statute creating a municipal corporation, unless the intent to effectuate that purpose is plainly to be deduced from the language employed by the Legislature."

There is no language in the charter of this city expressing or implying such a legislative intent. The fact that years after the date of the city charter, the Legislature passed the 1874 supplement to the company's charter hereinafter referred to is conclusion of the contrary intent.

On the last point, I furnished an opinion to the same effect as above stated, to the Common Council of 1890. An appeal was taken to the opinion of ex-Chancellor Runyon, who was specially employed for the purpose, with the result that my opinion was in all points affirmed.

The second question is: "Has that company, by reason of non-user, or otherwise, lost any, and if any, what franchises rights, or powers granted by that act?"

The facts relied upon in propounding this question have not been laid before me.

A supplement to the company's charter (see P. L., 1874, page 1,100) provides that the charter shall not become void or inoperative because of any failure, past or future, to hold elections or elect officers, and that the officers last elected shall hold over until others are elected. Provision is also made as to how a quorum of directors shall give notice of election, etc.

I understand that for more than sixteen years after the date of the supplement of the Plainfield Water Supply Company's charter the company had no plant, obtained no source of supply, laid no pipes, and, of course, supplied no water, under its charter or otherwise, and that the first steps taken in these directions were taken by the company in the year 1889. As to the organization of the company under its charter, election of directors, etc., the city obtained some information from original sources four years ago.

By reference to correspondence which in 1890, was conducted between the city and the company, I find under the hand of the president of the company the following statement, addressed to the Corporation Counsel, under date of Oct. 30, 1890:

"In reply to your letter of the 28th inst., I will say that the records of the Plainfield Water Supply Company show that the incorporators named in the charter met on the 4th of May, 1889, in Plainfield, and organized, by the election of the late Enos W. Runyon as President, James Clark, Vice President, and S. D. Horton, Secretary and Treasurer. Shortly after they adopted a seal and by-laws. The incorporators, as directors of the company, remained in office until the 15th of June, 1889, three, however—Messrs. Lane, Hyde and Coddington—died prior to 1889 (June 15.) At a meeting held on that day, Messrs. Frank H. Collins, John O. White, John W. Murray, Townsend Cox, Jesse W. Starr, H. M. P. Burkenbine, E. N. Ackerson, J. F. Hubbard, Peter L. Voorhees, Elias R. Pope, James C. Pope, and James F. Cox, were elected directors. They remained in office until Aug. 4, last, except three, who died in the meantime. On Aug. 4, last, the present directors were elected."

Assuming the facts to be as above stated, I am of opinion that the company did not by non-user forfeit its charter rights. Vice Chancellor Van Fleet, in the case of Elizabethtown Gas Light Company v. Green (1 Dick., 118, 128), after referring to the facts that for nineteen years the Metropolitan Company had made no active use of the franchises granted to it in 1870, but had continuously refrained from putting them into active exercise, and that nothing had ever been paid on the stock subscribed in 1870, and that the company for all those years was without either officers or property, except its franchises, proceeded to say:

"There can be no doubt that the Legislature might have repealed its charter for its neglect, for so long a time, to put its franchises into exercise, but I think it may be doubted whether any court would, even in a proceeding instituted by the State, on its own behalf, deprive a corporation of its franchises simply on the ground of non-user, where, as in this case, nothing can be found in its charter indicating, either by express words or implication, that a non-user of its franchises should operate as a surrender, or work as a forfeiture of them. In a standard treatise on the Law of Corporations (Ang. & A. Corp., Sec. 773) it is said: 'Mere non-user of its franchises by a corporation is not a surrender; nor are courts warranted in inferring a surrender from an abandonment of the franchises in intention only, unless there be something in the act of incorporation to justify it.'"

This case was affirmed in the Court of Errors and Appeals. (See 4 Dick., Ch. 329.)

Whether the non-user or other facts referred to in the question submitted would be sufficient to induce the Attorney-General (ex-officio) in the exercise of the discretion which the law gives him to ask for a forfeiture of the charter, is, of course, another question, which the Attorney-General alone, or those having power over him, can decide. (State v. Paterson & Hamburg Turnpike Company, 1 Zab., 9.)

The third question is as follows: "Can the City of Plainfield, as a municipal corporation, initiate and maintain any action or judicial proceeding to determine whether the Act referred to be unconstitutional, or whether the company created thereby has for any reason lost any franchise, right, or power purporting to be thereby granted to it, or, if the exercise by the company of any such franchise, right, or power, be unlawful, to restrain such exercise, or must action for any such purpose be by or through the Attorney-General of the State, and what, in any case, is the nature of the appropriate proceeding, and is the previous consent of the Supreme Court to such a proceeding necessary? If previous consent of the court be necessary, is such consent ordinarily granted in such cases as a matter of course?"

If it can be shown that the property or rights of the City of Plainfield have been unlawfully taken or injured by the Plainfield Water Supply Company, the appropriate action for redress may be brought before the proper tribunal, and if the company should attempt to justify under its charter, all questions as to the constitutionality of the charter would be subject to judicial investigation and decision. If the acts of the company cause a public nuisance, the company may be indicted, and its charter, whether constitutional or not, would afford no defence. If the city can make out a case of irreparable injury, the Chancellor would have jurisdiction to grant an injunction upon a bill and information being filed in the name of the Attorney-General at the relation of the city. (See Newark Plank Road Company v. Elmer, 1 Stock., 754; Attorney-General v. The Hudson River Railroad Company, 1 Stock., 527)

Other offences against the rights or property of the city, falling short of a public nuisance, or irreparable injury, may be the subject of the corresponding common-law action. If the acts of the company are not such as to make it amenable to any of the remedies above pointed out, but still such acts are supposed to be in violation of its charter, the Attorney-General has the power to take proceedings to dissolve the corporation. An attempt was once made to induce the Supreme Court to grant certain citizens leave to use the name of the State in a proceeding to dissolve the corporation known as the Paterson & Hamburg Turnpike Company, on the ground of gross neglect and violation of duty on the part of the corporation, and reliance was placed upon our statute of quo warranto. Said Judge Carpenter, speaking for the Supreme Court:

"An information for the purpose of dissolving a corporation, or seizing its franchises, cannot be prosecuted in the name of the State, at the relation of private persons, though leave be asked of the court. Such proceeding can be instituted only by the Attorney-General on the part of the State, either merely ex-officio, or under special directions from the proper authority. The statute of 9 Anne extends only to individuals usurping offices or franchises in a corporation, and not to the corporation as a body. (Citing cases).

"This distinction is well settled, and is a safe and proper rule. The State, said C. J. Parsons, in a case cited, may waive any breaches of any condition, express or implied, on which the corporation was created, and the court cannot (or ought not) to give judgment for the seizing of the franchise of any corporation unless the State itself be a party in interest in the suit, and thus assents to the judgment."

Judges Whitehead and Randolph concurred in the opinion, and the latter says, on page 12 of the report:

"Our statute (Rev. Laws, 209), like that of Anne (ch. 20) only applies to individuals who usurp or intrude into a franchise or an office. (Citing cases). The law does not contemplate the use of this writ by individuals to redress the wrongs of the State. I think the rule should be discharged. (State v. Paterson Turnpike Co., 1 Zab., 9.)"

The consent of the court is necessary under our statute when an action of quo warranto is brought in the name of the Attorney-General at the relation of other persons before the information can be filed. If a proper case can be presented under that statute, the practice is to apply to the court in the first instance for a rule to show cause why leave should not be granted. On the return of the rule both sides are heard, and it then remains discretionary with the court whether to grant or refuse leave. See State v. Stevens, 4 Vr., 195, in which Depue, J., states the question before the court to be as follows:

"The next question will be as to the expediency of permitting the inquiry into the title of these defendants to proceed. The question is entirely independent of the question whether the title of the defendants is valid or not. It involves nothing more or less than—conceding that the defendants' title is bad—will the public interest be injuriously affected by a successful prosecution of proceedings to oust the defendants from the office."

In that case it was shown that great public inconvenience would result from granting leave to file the information, though it was conceded that the title of the de facto officials was defective, and the Court refused leave and allowed the de facto officers to continue to govern the city. It follows, of course, that the consent of the Court refused leave and allowed the de facto officers to continue. The Court will pass upon each case as it is presented, and will grant or withhold leave to file the information as the interest of justice may dictate.

"The rules," said Mr. Justice Depue, in case cited, "which ordinarily govern the Court in the exercise of this discretionary power appear to be these: First, that the relator is not a mere stranger coming in to disturb a corporation with which he has no concern. Secondly, that he has not consented to the which he afterwards complains of as illegal, and, third, in the absence of fraud, or a will violation of law, that public or private interests will not be seriously impaired by the ouster of the officer whose title to office is proposed to inquire into."

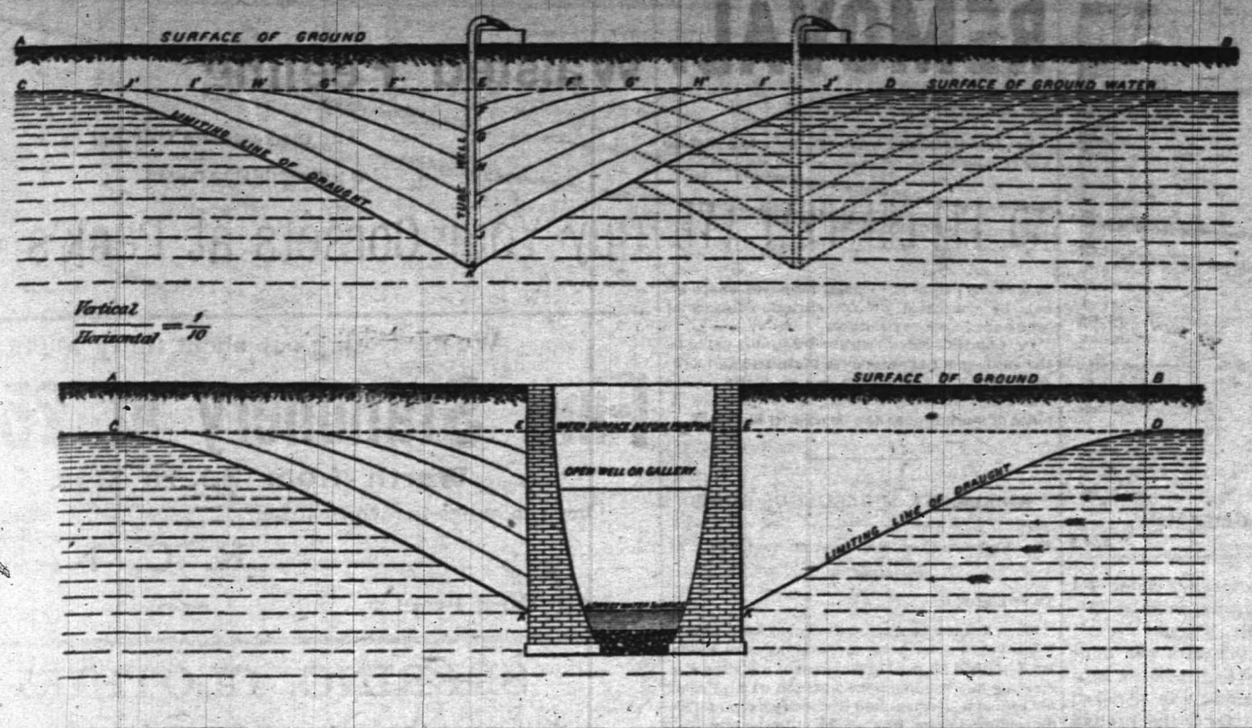
As has been shown, however, it has been held in this State that when public corporations are once de facto formed and are exercising corporate powers, proceedings by quo warranto to declare such corporations inoperative and in effect dissolved, can only be in the name of the Attorney-General acting ex-officio, and the Supreme Court has no authority to direct such information, but will leave the matter to the discretion of the Attorney-General (State v. Paterson, &c., Turnpike, Co., supra.) In the case last cited, the opinion of Mr. Justice Randolph quotes with approval the language of Achhurst, J., in Rex v. Pasmore (3 B., 244), as follows:

"A scire facias is the proper mode of proceeding against a legally existing body for an abuse of power, or where delinquency is imputed to them. But a quo warranto is necessary when there is a body de facto, but from some defect in their constitution, they cannot legally exercise the power they affect to use."

In the case of the Attorney-General v. Stevens (Sax., 369), an information was filed by the Attorney-General to restrain the defendants, who proposed to act under the authority of the Camden & Amboy R. R. Co., and also said company from erecting a bridge. It was claimed that the company had no legal existence because the terms of their charter had not been complied with. The Chancellor said:

"It is proper to inquire in this place how far this Court will undertake to look into the matters thus incidentally brought before it and decide upon their illegality or irregularity. Here, then, is a set of men, claiming to be a legally incorporated company under an act of the Legislature, exercising all the powers and functions of a corporation. They are a corporation de facto, if not de jure. Everything necessary to constitute them a cor-

DIAGRAMS ILLUSTRATING EFFECT ON THE GROUND WATER, OF CONTINUED DRAUGHT FROM WELLS OR GALLERIES. FROM CROES & HOWELL'S REPORT ON ADDITIONAL WATER-SUPPLY FOR NEWARK.



tion has been done, colorably at least, if not legally, and I do not feel at liberty in this incidental way, to declare all their proceedings void, and treat them as a body having no rights or powers. It has been seen that the Court will not do this where a corporation, properly organized, has plainly forfeited its privileges, and there is but little difference, in principle, between the two cases. In both the corporation is actually in existence, but whether legally or rightfully so is the question. And it appears to me that if the Court can take cognizance of the matter in this case, it must in all others where it can be brought up, not only directly, but incidentally. * * * The corporation is now organized, and, if acting without authority, is liable to be brought up at any time before a competent tribunal, in a mode the legality of which cannot, as I apprehend, be questioned."

The case in Saxton was decided in 1831, and the Court of Errors and Appeals declared in 1880, in the case of the National Dock & R. R. Co. v. Central R. R. Co. (5 Stew., 755, at Page 762): "This decision was rendered half a century ago, and its propriety has never hitherto been doubted." The case in Saxton was followed by the Court of Errors in the case last cited, and Mr. Justice Dixon, speaking for the entire bench, used this language, which is directly in point on the third question submitted to me:

"Whenever it is sought to impugn the legality of a corporation which exists under the forms of law, the remedy is by quo warranto, or information in the nature thereof, instituted by the Attorney-General. Said Ashhurst, J., in Rex. v. Pasmore (3 R., 199, 244): 'A quo warranto is necessary where there is a body corporate de facto who take upon themselves to act as a body corporate, but from some defect in their constitution, they cannot legally exercise the powers they affect to use.' And in Rex v. Corporation of Carmarthen (2 Bar., 869), it was asserted by Lord Mansfield and Mr. Justice Denison, and conceded by all the counsel, 'that there was no instance of any information in nature of a quo warranto being brought against any corporation, as a corporation, for an usurpation on the Crown, but by and in the name of the Attorney-General on behalf of the Crown'. These views are approved in State v. Paterson & Hamburg Turnpike Co. (1 Zab., 9), and are maintained and applied in numerous cases cited in the text-books on this subject. We think they are accurate statements of the law applicable to the case in hand."

"4. ARE THE franchises, rights, and powers granted by the Act referred to limited to the purposes expressed in the title of the Act, namely, 'to supply the town of Plainfield, Union County, and towns adjoining with water, for public and private use,' and what is the meaning of the expressions 'towns adjoining' and 'adjoining towns' in the title and body of the Act?"

As already pointed out in the answer to the first question, it is not necessary that the title of the Act should go beyond expressing the object, to specify the means and methods by which the object is to be accomplished; but the title of an Act has undoubtedly the effect of a constitutional limitation on the franchise, rights, and powers conferred in the body of the Act. (Dobbins v. Northampton, 21 W., 496 499.) If the title is not broad enough to cover the powers conferred in the body of the Act, the Act does not conform to the constitutional requirement, and one of two things necessarily follows, viz.: either that the provisions which are too broad for the title will be held nugatory, and the rest of the Act valid, or else that the whole Act is unconstitutional and void. The test as to which result follows is, does the obnoxious provision of the Act stand by itself, separable as a distinct thing from the body of the Act, and is there any reason to suppose that the portion thus eliminated constituted an essential motive to the enactment of the law. (See Rader v. Township of Union, supra, at page 514; Van Riper v. North Plainfield, 14 Vr., 349, for two cases in which the obnoxious provisions were held separable.) If, therefore, the body of the statute contains any provision purporting to authorize the supplying of other places than Plainfield, Union County, and towns adjoining, with water for public and private use, such provisions are in any case illegal, and if not separable in any way suggested, they would render the charter null and void.

The expressions "towns adjoining" and "adjoining towns" have reference to the towns which were immediately adjacent to the town of Plainfield, without intervening territory of other political divisions. This is the ordinary and natural interpretation of the words. The word "adjoining" was construed in the case of Akers v. United N. J. R. R. Co. (14 Vr., 110, 112.) The question in that case was concerning the right of a railroad corporation to condemn lands "adjoining their road as constructed on their right of way as located." Mr. Justice Dixon read the opinion in the Supreme Court. He said:

"The next question is as to the meaning of the word 'adjoining,' for the Act only authorizes the condemnation of lands adjoining the road, etc. The defendants claim that it means 'near'; the prosecutors that it means 'touching,' 'in contact with.' The latter is the proper signification, and it is the more readily to be adopted in this case, because it thus restricts the grant of eminent domain, which is never to be extended by unnecessary implication. It is, perhaps, true that under this construction the power to condemn will always be limited by the width of the property belonging to the owner of the lands contiguous to the railway, and it may sometimes be convenient for the corporation to take lands that lie beyond; but the Courts do not, for the sake of corporate convenience, regard lands as subject to the exercise of the sovereign power, where the Legislature has not plainly declared them to be so."

See also American Dock & Improvement Co. v. The Trustees of Public Schools (12 Stew., 409, at page 435.)

"5. DOES THE power by that Act granted to the company to take water 'within the County of Union or adjoining counties,' and to store and convey such water 'through the lands, streets, and roads of the town or village of Plainfield and adjoining towns,' authorize the company to take and convey water from any place within those counties outside of 'the town or village of Plainfield and adjoining towns'?"

The act in plain terms describes the limits within which the company is authorized and empowered to take water from any lake, pond, stream, or spring. That territory is described as being the territory "within the County of Union or adjoining counties, except the Rahway River and its branches." If the question is pointed to the fact that there is nothing in the title of the Act to suggest the conferring of power to go outside of Plainfield and towns adjoining in the matter of taking water, the answer is that it was not necessary, as shown by the authorities already cited, to refer in the title to the Act as to the sources of the water supply. Mr. Justice VanSyckel, in the case of Newark v. Orange, already cited, regards a similar proposition as not open to question. In that case it was contended that the Sewerage Act of April 7, 1890 (P. L., page 192)—being the same Act under which the Plainfield system of sewerage is being introduced—was unconstitutional, because, among other things, the title "An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in cities of this State," did not express the object of the Act, inasmuch as the Act authorizes cities to carry their sewers through other townships and municipalities to tidewater, and the point made was that the title did not sufficiently indicate its purpose to grant the right to invade adjacent territory. After discussing the question at some length the learned Justice concludes that branch of the case in these words:

"If the title of the Sewer Act is not sufficiently particular to validate the legislation on which the ordinance before us rests, then under the title, 'An Act to provide for a water supply in the cities of this State,' it would not be competent to provide for obtaining water ab extra. It appears to me that the title in the one case is quite as suggestive that the Act may provide for carrying the sewage beyond the city boundary as it is in the other that it may permit the water to be conducted from and through adjacent territory into the city. In either case I deem the title to be sufficient to support the legislation, and that a narrower construction is in accord neither with a wise policy nor with the current of judicial decision in this State."

"6. DOES THE grant by the Act referred to, of the right to supply water to 'towns adjoining' Plainfield, authorize the company now to supply water to any place which, at the time of the approval of the Act, was within the limits of a town adjoining Plainfield, but which, by reason of change of boundaries or the creation of new towns, is not now within any town adjoining Plainfield?"

I am of opinion that the powers conferred by the charter under consideration have not been impaired by any subsequent alteration of the boundaries of the political districts of this State. To determine whether the company's charter conferred the right on the company to distribute water for public and private purposes at any given point, the test would be, was that point, at the date of the charter, within the territory covered by the description "town or village of Plainfield and adjoining towns"?

"7. IS THE right of the corporation, under the Act to supply water, limited to the supply of water for public and private use in Plainfield and adjoining towns; and can the corporation lawfully convey water for public or private use to any place outside of Plainfield and adjoining towns?"

To the first inquiry I answer Yes; to the second, No.

Under the charter the right of the company to supply water is limited to the supply of water for public and private use in Plainfield and adjoining towns, as above defined, and under its charter the company cannot lawfully convey water for public or private use to any place outside of Plainfield and adjoining towns. This I take to be plain meaning of the language of the company's charter, and, as Vice-Chancellor Van Fleet declared in National Trust Company v. Miller (Stew., 155 162):

"It is a cardinal rule of the law of corporations that a corporation created by statute can exercise no power and has no rights except such as are expressly given or necessarily implied." (Citing cases.) "This rule, for a long time, has formed part of our statutory system." (R. S., 136, sec. 3; Rev., 177, sec. 3; Trenton, etc., Ins. Co. v. McKeleway, 1 Beas., 133.) "Nor can the powers of a corporation be in the slightest degree enlarged or extended by the assent of its stockholders or by any action they may take." The learned Vice-Chancellor adds: "While it must be admitted that this country has not received the sanction of every judge who has been called upon to enforce it, yet I think it is now vouched for by such august authority and is so manifestly supported by sound reason and the highest considerations of policy, that it must hereafter be accepted, universally, as expressing the true rule of judgment in such cases."

"8. DOES THE power granted by the Act 'to take water from any lake, pond, stream, or spring within the County of Union, or adjoining counties, except the Rahway River and its branches,' authorize the company to take water from any underground stream or body of water by means of wells sunken for the purpose?"

The answer to this question must be in the affirmative. The Legislature did not undertake to specify the means by which the company should obtain water, whether by wells or otherwise, but gave the broad power to "take water from any lake, pond, stream, or spring within the County of Union or adjoining counties, except the Rahway River and its branches." These words are broad enough to authorize the company to take water by wells or otherwise from streams, underground or surface, or from any other body of water coming within the description "lake, pond, stream, or spring," within the territory mentioned, except the Rahway River and its branches.

"9. CAN THE company, by means of wells sunken within Plainfield or any adjoining town, lawfully take and divert and convey to any place outside of Plainfield and adjoining towns for public or private use water from any stream or body of water flowing or existing beneath the soil of Plainfield or any adjoining town, to such extent as to lessen the flow of surface streams in Plainfield or diminish the supply available for municipal purposes by means of wells sunken by the city, or otherwise, or to any what extent, and upon what conditions can the same be so taken and diverted and conveyed?"

I am clearly of the opinion that the company cannot lawfully take and divert and convey to any place outside of Plainfield and adjoining towns water for public or private use, whether from streams on the surface or streams under ground, or from any other body of water, to any extent whatever, and this irrespective of the question whether Plainfield's supply would be damaged much or little, or not at all. As before stated in this connection, the limit of the company's powers is to be found in its charter, and there is nothing in its charter to authorize the company to do any of the things suggested in the ninth question (National Trust Co. v. Miller, supra.)

"10. IS ANY right or interest of the city in respect of water which may be taken from beneath the surface of the ground in Plainfield or any adjoining town dependent upon or affected by the circumstances that the body from which it is taken is an underground stream flowing from beyond the limits of those towns, or is the result of percolation through the soil, and, if so, how and to what extent?"

This question cannot be satisfactorily answered in all its phases without first determining the character of the "underground stream" referred to. No description of this body of water has been laid before me, nor have I any independent knowledge of its character or extent—that is to say, as to whether the underground source of supply consists of a lake, a pond, a stream, with known and fixed flow and channel or otherwise, or water that has percolated through the soil, and is contained in more or less saturated sand or gravel. I understand that some data on this question have been obtained, but they are not set forth in the question propounded, nor have I any knowledge of their character. Under these circumstances I can only give the general principles of law applicable to the several possible conditions, and leave the law to be applied when the actual conditions are made known.

If it can be shown that the underground stream referred to has a known and well-defined channel, with a regular and constant flow of water, the law of surface streams applies, and any unlawful interruption or diversion thereof may be restrained by injunction (Haldeman v. Bruckhart, 45 Penn St., 514; Dudden v. Guardians of the Poor, 1 H. & N., 627; Grand Junction Canal Co. v. Shugar, L. R., 6 Ch. App, 483. See also 2 Washburn on Real Property, 355; Smith v. Adams, 6 Paige, 435; Wheatley v. Baugh, 25 Pa. St., 528; Whetstone v. Bowser, 29 Pa. St., 59). These cases hold that a stream of water flowing underground, having known channel and outlet, is subject to the same rules and restrictions as streams flowing on the surface of the earth. The burden of proof is on him who alleges that the underground stream has such a known channel and outlet (Hansom v. McCue, 42 Cal., 303; Moiser v. Caldwell, 7, Nev., 363.) The case of Haldeman v. Bruckhart, above cited, was one in which the plaintiffs, a mining corporation, in developing their mine, excavated a tunnel into the side of the mountain. In so doing, they struck a large and valuable stream of water, which was a source of great revenue to them. The defendants also excavated a tunnel from a point some distance away to a point directly under the stream of water, and the result was that the whole stream of water was diverted into the defendants' tunnel, and by them appropriated to their own use. This was held to be an unlawful diversion by the defendants, which entitled the plaintiffs to an injunction.

If it can be shown that the underground stream in question is of the character last above referred to, the question would remain, what rights over such a stream were given to the Plainfield Water Supply Company by its charter, and the answer is, only such rights as they would have in a surface stream—that is to say, the right to take the waters thereof by purchase or condemnation under the power of eminent domain.

If, on the other hand, it should be made to appear that the subterranean water in question does not flow in any definite channel, or does not flow at all in the ordinary sense, but oozes through the soil according to the quantity of rain that may chance to fall, the weight of authority is that the owner of the soil may deal with it as he pleases, and turn it wholly to his own use (see cases cited in 3 Waite's Actions and Defenses, page 713, sec. 10).

An instructive New Jersey decision directly in point is the case of Ocean Grove v. Asbury Park reported in 13 Stew. Eq., page 447. In that case the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association applied for an injunction, and showed by their bill the following facts: Fifteen years previously they purchased a large tract of land fronting on the ocean chiefly for the purpose of a summer resort and to exercise the right of worship. The place soon became densely populated. To preserve the good health of the residents and visitors, it became necessary to improve the water supply and sewerage system. To this end, the complainants bored for water on their own grounds, and at a depth of over four hundred feet struck water which gave them a flow of fifty gallons per minute at an elevation above the surface of twenty-eight feet. With this water, which they carried to the city by means of pipes, they supplied about seventy hotels and cottages, and flushed their sewers. The volume of water continued to flow undiminished in quantity and with unabated force until the action of the defendants against which the complaint was made.

The adjoining community of Asbury Park found difficulty in procuring sufficient water for municipal purposes by sinking wells upon their own lands, and thereupon they obtained from owners of certain Ocean Grove property a right to sink a shaft into the public highway in Ocean Grove within five hundred feet of the complainants' well. This bore extended to the depth of four hundred and sixteen feet, and by means of it a flow of water was secured at the rate of thirty gallons per minute, and the flow from the complainants' well was almost immediately decreased from fifty gallons to thirty gallons per minute. The Asbury Park authorities proposed to sink other wells still nearer the complainants'. The bill of complaint prayed that the Asbury Park authorities be prohibited from so doing, and that they be compelled to close the well already opened, which, it was alleged, was supplied from the same source that the complainants' well was supplied from.

Vice-Chancellor Bird decided this case in 1885, and in the course of his opinion said:

"The complainants are first, in point of time. They are upon their own land and premises. They procure water from their own soil to be used in connection with their said premises, in the improvement and beneficial enjoyment of their occupation.

"In this they have exercised an indefeasible and unqualified right. It matters not whether the water which they obtain is from a pond or underground basin, or only the result of percolation, or from a flowing stream. The defendants went from their own land upon the land of strangers, and obtained permission to bore for water, and there sink their shaft, procuring water from the same source that the complainants procured their water, and diverted it and carried it to their premises, three-eighths of a mile, for use.

"Can they be restrained from doing this? A very careful consideration of a great many authorities leads me to the conclusion that they cannot at the instance of the complainant (citing cases).

"The Courts all proceed upon the ground that waters thus used and diverted are waters which percolate through the earth, and are not distinguished by any certain and well defined stream, and, consequently, are the absolute property of the owner of the fee as completely as are the ground, stones, minerals, or other matter, to any depth whatever beneath the surface. The one is just as much the subject of use, sale, or diversion as the other. The owner of a mine encounters innumerable drops of water escaping from every crevice and fissure; these, when collected, interfere with his progress, and he may remove them, although the spring or well of the land owner below be diminished or destroyed. So, the owner or owners of a bog, marsh, or meadow may sink wells therein and carry off the water collected in them, to the use or enjoyment of a distant village or town, although the waters of a large stream upon the surface be thereby so diminished as to injure a mill owner who had enjoyed the use of the waters of the stream for many years. Upon these principles there can be no doubt but that every lot owner in Ocean Grove or Asbury Park could sink a well on his lot to any depth, and in case one should deprive his neighbor of a portion or all of his supposed treasure, no action would lie. A moment's reflection will enable every one to perceive that such conditions or contingencies are necessarily incident to the ownership of the soil.

"In the case before me there is no proof that the waters in question are taken from a stream, and I have no right to presume that they are. The presumption is the other way.

"It seems to be my very plain duty to discharge the order to show cause, without costs." (Citing authorities.)

"11. ARE THE franchises and rights and powers by the Act granted to the company exclusive?"

The answer is Yes, subject to the qualification that other water companies may now become incorporated under general laws, and thereby become possessed of similar powers, and subject to the other qualifications contained in the answers to the next question (No. 12.)

In Elizabethtown Gas Light Co. v. Green (supra), Vice-Chancellor VanFleet, in speaking of a decision of the Court of last resort in this State, said:

"The latter Court held that every grant of a franchise is, in its very nature, exclusive against everybody but the State, and that an attempt by a person to exercise a like franchise, without legislative authority, to the detriment of the grantee, is a public nuisance. Chief Justice Beasley, in delivering the opinion of the Court, expressed the judgment of the Court on this point, in this language: 'When, therefore, the complainants obtained from the State the right to establish their road, I think that, by the intrinsic force of such grant, such franchise was exclusive against all persons but the State. A competing road, set up without legislative license, is a fraud upon such grant, and is a plain public nuisance. The consequence is, that the case of the complainants, in my opinion, does not, necessarily rest upon the express clause in their charter guaranteeing to them an exclusive privilege. After January 1, 1869, when the effect of this clause will be spent, the defendants, as at present constituted, will have no greater right than they now have to establish a line of railroad to compete in business with the complainants between the cities of New York and Philadelphia.' (2 C. E., Gr. 572.)"

"12. IS THE City of Plainfield, by reason of the contract heretofore entered into with the company referred to, estopped from questioning the validity of the Act by which the company was incorporated, or the exercise by the company of any of the franchises, rights, or powers granted thereby, or claimed to exist thereunder, or deprived of the power to obtain a supply of water for any municipal purpose through means other than the instrumentalities of the company?"

If the city should be sued for hydrant service furnished by the company under its contract with the city, it is doubtful whether the city would not be estopped from setting up, in that action, defenses alleging invalidity of the company's charter or invalidity of the exercise of the company's franchises. But this is hardly material, since it is quite clear that even if such defenses would be available as to the express contract, the city would still be held liable under an implied contract to pay for what it had expressly ordered and the benefit of which it had already enjoyed (see 2 Dillon, Municipal Corp., 4th Ed., sec. 930, and note).

It is equally clear in my opinion that, apart from liability to pay for service actually performed by the company and accepted by the city, the contract in question does not estop the city from invoking any remedy based upon the alleged unconstitutionality of the company's charter, or any alleged illegal act of the company in the exercise of its franchises, rights or powers. Furthermore, any taxpayer of the city, who has not been barred by laches, would be at liberty, under the precedent established in the case of State, Lewis, Pros. v. Moore et als., already cited, to have the validity of the contract reviewed by the Supreme Court on certiorari. In such a proceeding, the question of the constitutionality of the company's charter would be open to review, if the Court should follow the precedent referred to.

To the other inquiry in question No. 12, I answer that the City of Plainfield is not by the contract in question deprived of the power to obtain a supply of water for any municipal purposes through means other than the instrumentalities of the said company. See P. L., 1888, page 366, for an Act authorizing the Common Council of any city to make or enter into a contract or agreement with any water company or other company, contractor or contractors, for one year or a term of years (not longer than twenty-five years in any one term) for the obtaining and furnishing of a supply, or a further or other supply of water to such municipal corporation, for the purpose of extinguishing fire, and for such other lawful purpose or purposes as may be deemed necessary and convenient.

See also Rev. Supp., page 650, for a general act applicable to Plainfield, whereby another water company may (if the city consent) be formed, with necessary powers to use streets of the city, to acquire land, etc., by exercise of the right of eminent domain, and to sell and dispose of water, etc.

There are also other public Acts whereby the City of Plainfield may construct its own water-works and supply water for municipal purposes, as well as for private consumption, which Acts may readily be found by referring to the appropriate title in the Revision, Revision Supplement, and the pamphlet laws since the year 1876.

"13. IF THE city possesses any right which has been or is infringed by the company, what remedy has the city therefor, and what action or judicial proceeding or other means can be lawfully taken to establish and protect such right?"

This question has been mainly answered in the answers already given to the preceding questions. If the alleged unlawful acts constitute or cause a public nuisance, the remedy is by indictment; if they make out a case of irreparable injury, the remedy is by bill and information in equity in the name of the Attorney-General at the relation of the city. Before such a bill could be filed, it would be necessary to procure the consent of the Attorney-General to the use of his name, but this would offer no serious obstacle, as the Attorney-General would unquestionably consent to the use of his name if he thought the case a proper one for submission to the Court. If the alleged unlawful acts injure the property or rights of the city, but not to the extent of creating a public nuisance or so as to make the injury irreparable, the remedy is by action in tort or by other common law action; if such acts relate merely to the organization of the company, or if they consist of alleged breach of conditions imposed by the company's charter, or in the exercise of its franchises in a manner not authorized by its charter, or in usurpation of powers or franchises, or other acts ultra vires, not producing a public nuisance or irreparable injury or special damage, the remedy is by scire facias or quo warranto, to dissolve the corporation or forfeit its charter to be instituted by the Attorney-General ex officio.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 22, 1894.

(Signed): C. A. MARSH, C. C.

Your Committee, in conclusion, recommend that in view of the importance of the matters under consideration and the few days left before the expiration of the term of the present Council, the report of the Committee and the opinion of the city's legal adviser be referred to the next Common Council.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 28, 1894.

GEO. H. FROST,
(Signed): E. N. ERICKSON,
S. A. GINNA,
Committee on Water and Sewerage.

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WALTER IRVING CLARKE, Managing Editor.

CITY EDITION, 4 O'CLOCK.

FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., JAN. 21, 1895

The Westfield Standard, anxious to say a good word for Senator Voorhees, gives him an honor that he does not merit, in stating that he bolted the Sewell caucus. As a fact, the benign Foster voted for Sewell, and the Voorhees who bolted was the Assemblyman from Bergen. When Pearsall ventures out of the Westfield woods he needs a compass.

The unwisdom of printing pamphlets for the circulation of important public documents is shown by the heap of junk in the City Treasurer's office composed chiefly of the copies of the book issued in 1893 containing the Mayor's message and the annual reports of the city government. The people paid for the job, and it was money that should have been expended with the newspapers of the town in giving thorough circulation to the reports and message. The newspapers reach the people; the pamphlets reach chiefly the junkman, and form a costly library that he does not appreciate.

The complete publication in this issue of the report of the Councilmanic Committee on the water-supply investigation is a characteristic piece of enterprise on the part of The Daily Press. The people have been demanding to see all that the committee said; and since the Council would not authorize the legitimate expense of official publication except in limited-edition pamphlet form, The Press decided to do the work of popular publication, and to put a copy into every house, store and office in the city and borough. Hereafter no one can plead ignorance of the matters of grave importance contained in the report now published.

It is the fashion for all Plainfield to read The Daily Press every day, but some there be who borrow and not subscribe. To all such The Press suggests a trial subscription of one week. For 10 cents a week the faithful carrier of any section will leave the paper at the door, and those who wish to keep thoroughly informed on the world's progress will find The Press an unfailing guide. Besides giving the complete local news it summarizes the despatches of the entire globe, and provides a feast of the best and freshest literature. Its copyrighted stories from the pens of the favorite living authors are a feature unapproached by any other Plainfield paper. The town's leading merchants keep its advertising columns filled with the latest news of trade, and altogether the Plainfield Daily Press is so unexcelled a home newspaper that that Plainfield home is cheerless and incomplete which does not read it regularly.

BY THE WAY.

—Policeman Frederickson is spoken of for the office of Chief.

—Hoyt's "A Texas Steer" is to be played in Music Hall tonight.

—The conclusion of Stephen Crane's story "The Pace of Youth" is unavoidably deferred till tomorrow.

—The street lamp at the corner of Westervelt avenue and Orange place went off duty last night.

—The great rush at the Two Van's was a result of the liberal advertising of their great bargains in The Press.

—The letter-box at the corner of South avenue and Central street has been removed, much to the dissatisfaction of the residents in the immediate vicinity

—S. S. Cruikshank is having the trees cleared on a piece of ground belonging to him opposite his handsome property "Sacmore", at the corner of Watchung and Belvidere avenues.

—Henry G. Adams of 306 Orange place, near Westervelt avenue, is writing fire insurance for the old reliable and honorable "National" of Hartford, and he thanks Plainfielders for their liberal patronage.

—Rev. Dr. Moore of New York preached an impressive sermon in the First Baptist Church yesterday morning, and last evening a very large audience witnessed his illustrated lecture on Home Missions, which was very interesting.

—The Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church, together with their friends, will be entertained by Mrs D. Dewitt Brokaw at her home, 38 Sycamore avenue, Thursday evening, Jan 24 with a musicale. Invitations have been liberally distributed

Heard Here.

The Elizabeth fire gong, blowing at 12:20 this morning for the burning of a dwelling at Fourth and East Jersey streets, the 'Port, was plainly heard in this city.

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COUNCILMAN FROST REPLIES.

Concerning Alleged Misstatements in the Report on the Water-Supply.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—When the Committee on Water and Sewers was instructed to prepare a reply to that portion of the Mayor's message of 1894 relating to the future water supply of Plainfield and the legal rights of the citizens of Plainfield regarding it, the Committee did not consider the commission a mere perfunctory one and that a statement from the Plainfield Water Supply Company showing number of gallons of water pumped during one or two years past, together with a quotation from the Company's Comprehensive Charter, showing how absolutely in possession of the territory it was, would be all that was expected by the citizens of Plainfield on this interesting subject.

Concerning the legal rights of the city, a series of questions covering, so far as was deemed necessary, the whole subject, was prepared by an eminent lawyer and submitted to our very clever Corporation Counsel, with the result as shown in the report, which can be judged on its own merits by the citizens of Plainfield. If the Committee, by provoking criticism, as it desires to do, succeeds in gaining additional light upon the legal methods of the Plainfield Water Supply Company it is thankful; meanwhile it disclaims any other purpose than a sincere desire to accomplish that for which its inquiry was instituted.

Concerning that portion of the report which relates to the purely physical conditions of our water supply, a method quite similar to that employed by the Corporation Counsel was pursued, viz: Consulting the most competent known authorities on the subject of subterranean water-supply and recording the results with special application to the local conditions. While Frank Bergen's qualifications as a "pipelayer" both in Union County and at Trenton were thoroughly recognized, yet the Committee regrets to say that up to the time of completing its report it had seen no evidence upon which to place Mr. Bergen on the list of competent authorities to be consulted, and nothing in his published utterances since has given any reason for a change of opinion. Among the authorities consulted are the following:

"The Brooklyn Water Works and Sewers", 1867. Report by James P. Kirkwood. Pages 59 to 61 inclusive, referring to Underground Water-Supply.

Journal of the New England Water-Works Association. Paper by Albert F. Noyes, City Engineer, Newton, Mass., on "The Driven Well System as a source of, or a means of obtaining a Water-Supply", March 9, 1887. Also a paper by Phinehas Ball, Worcester, Mass., on "Soils from which Water-Supplies may be drawn by Filter Galleries or Driven Wells", June 13, 1888. Also a paper by W. C. Bryce, C. E., Worcester, Mass., on "Can Tests by Tubular Wells be relied upon to show the amount of water that may be obtained for a public water-supply", June 15, 1888.

Reports of Artesian and Underflow Investigation between the 97th degree. West longitude and the Foothills of the Rocky Mountains, with Maps and Profiles. Prepared under the direction of the Secretary of Agriculture, by Edwin S. Nettleton, C. E., Chief Engineer of Investigation, Washington, 1891.

Report Massachusetts State Board of Health, 1893.

"Water Supply, considered mainly from a Chemical and Sanitary Standpoint." By Prof. Wm. Nichols, Massachusetts Inst. Technology, 1888, Chapter VI. Ground Water as a Source of Supply.

Report on Additional Water Supply for Newark, N. J., by Croes & Howell, 1879

A Practical Treatise on Hydraulic and Water Supply Engineering, Relating to the Hydrology, Hydrodynamics and Practical Construction of Water Works in North America, by J. T. Fanning, N. Y. 1894 Chapter VII. Springs and Wells, Water Shed of Wells.

Water: Its Composition, Collection and Distribution, by Joseph Parry, C. E. London, 1881.

Transactions Am. Soc. C. E. for March, 1894 Paper by L. L. Tribus, Constructing Engineer of Plainfield Water Works, on "The Driven Wells of the Plainfield Water Supply"—with discussion

Minutes of Evidence taken before the Royal Commission on London Water Supply, 1892, 4 volumes with maps.

In addition to these the levels of the Plainfield fire wells, and of a number of other wells between Richmond street and Scotch Plains and Fanwood were taken several times during the last half of the year; inquiries of well borers were made, and several visits were made to the Water Company's pumping station. The results of these labors are shown on the sectional map prepared by A. J. Gavett from information gained.

Among the authorities quoted attention is called to the paper by Mr. Tribus, who was the resident engineer during the construction of the water-works and whose paper was prepared from personal knowledge. It is a very favorable exhibit of the underground resources of the Water Supply Company and is probably a familiar document to Mr. Bergen. Mr. Tribus says (page 377):

"During the long continued dry weather of 1891, the water level became so low that difficulty arose with the extreme suction lift obtained from 20 to 28 feet., according to rate of pumping, a fall of some 6 or 7 feet, since the earlier observations, so that in the Summer of 1892 it was deemed best to lower the pumps which was done to the depth of 8 ft. 1 in. below the former positions."

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Chas. B. Brush, engineer-in-chief for the Water Supply Company, said, in discussing the paper of Mr. Tribus:

"The year in which the work was done was a wet one; there had been a considerable fall of rain and it was believed that the level of the water in the ground would remain practically constant, but the first year after the supply was put in use happened to be very dry. That indicates that the supply was not inexhaustible. The ground-water fell to a considerable depth below what was supposed to be its permanent level. That necessitated the lowering of the pumps some 8 ft., after the works had been in operation a couple of years."

But neither engineer refers to any "mistake" in locating the pumps, as Mr. Bergen now makes capital of.

The report did not give 10 feet as the thickness of the water bearing gravel of the Netherwood wells; it allowed 25 feet; the profile shows the character of the strata in which the wells are driven—the number, 10 feet, is given as an average over five square miles, and Mr. Bergen nor any other man can say positively that it is an understatement; if it is too small, double or quadruple it; there is no objection, since it does not alter the principle of ultimate exhaustion of the water bearing gravel if more is drawn out than is taken in by percolation from the annual rainfall.

Concerning the possible pollution of the water there is no reason to alter the language of the report, and indeed from first to last the statements of the report are reiterated with the request, however, that it be subjected to intelligent criticism in the interest of the public good and not of personal gain or petty malice. Sooner or later a vastly increased population of Union County and "Adjoining townships" of Plainfield will necessitate vastly increased drafts upon our available uncontaminated watershed, and it is very proper that this flourishing city of ours should inquire in season "What is it going to do about it?" GEO. H. FROST.

Plainfield, January 19, 1895.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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Van Emburgh,

Corner Store, Babcock Building.

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Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Sidney E. Flower, of the city of Plainfield, Union county, New Jersey, carrying on the business of dealer in pictures and stationery at No. 123 East Front street, in the city of Plainfield aforesaid, that all claims against his estate must be exhibited to the subscriber, his assignee, at his store, No 151 West Front street, Plainfield, New Jersey, under oath or affirmation, on or before the 12th day of March next, being the time fixed by order of the Orphans' Court of Union county within which such claims must be presented, or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the said estate; and said creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against said Sidney E Flower will be filed with the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union at the expiration of said time when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested

V. L. FRAZEE,
Dated Plainfield, Jan. 17, 1895. Assignee.
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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. B. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt, of Nos 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

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can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

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Our entire stock of Winter Dress Goods must go at once.

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Our 50c plain colors, all wool serges, go at.....35c
Our 85c and $1 fine all wool serges, diagonals, Stephanas, henriettas, etc., go now at.....55c
One lot of fine Covert Cloth, 52 inches wide, at.....65c
One lot China silk, 30 inches wide at 50c.....value.....69c
Teazle Down Wrappers $1.25 to $2, now 88c. $1. $1.42 and $2
Fur Capes at cost or less.

Special Sale of Muslins and Sheetings Now On.

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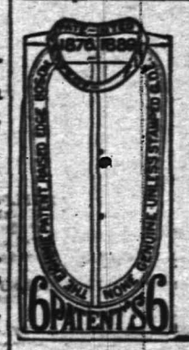

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Herman Keller is very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. T. S. Wheeler of Park avenue is ill with the grip.

Mrs. Swinton of Putnam avenue is a victim of the grip.

Miss Amy Emmons of Prospect place is confined to her bed with influenza.

Miss Katherine Reinhart of Netherwood is confined to her home with the grip.

Miss Edith Huribut of Richmond street is out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. Curtis and daughters Florence and Louise are slowly recovering from the grip.

Miss Ellen Demarest of Florida is the guest of Miss Frankie Demarest of Park avenue.

Henry B. Newhall of East Seventh street is detained at home by an attack of the grip.

Miss Lucy Thornton of Fall River, Mass., is visiting J. C. Peck of Myrtle avenue.

Chester Cleaves of Warrenville broke ground today for a new house on Coddington avenue.

Clarence Angleman of 229 Madison avenue is recovering from the effects of an attack of the grip.

Frank Venino of Stelle avenue has obtained a place with the Steinway Piano Company in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hazell of Westervelt avenue spent Sunday at the former home of Mrs. Hazell, Summit.

Miss Florence Abbott of Central avenue is home from Bridgeport, where she has been the guest of Mrs. Warner.

Miss Grace E. Overton of Rockview avenue is entertaining her cousin, Miss Sarah Overton of Coney Island.

Both Mrs. Bret Harte and daughter Miss Jessamy, of Putnam avenue, are confined to the house with the grip.

Miss Grace Miller, daughter of Major W. D. W. Miller of LaGrande avenue, is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Andrew Rutherford of Sherman avenue celebrated his birthday Saturday by giving a dinner party to a number of his friends.

Miss Alice Haines of First place is making an extended trip through the South with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Haines.

Miss Grace Smith of Park avenue has been confined to the house for several days with the grip. She hopes to be out in a few days.

W. E. Brock and family of Mountain avenue will spend the Winter in Troy. They will then return to their home in North Plainfield.

Judson Kitchen of Brooklyn was the guest yesterday of his brother John H. Kitchen of Somerset street. This is their first meeting in four years.

Caspar Kirkner of West Eighth street sat up for the first time yesterday after his severe illness. His many friends will be glad to hear of his improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Gaston of Somerville were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dunham of East Fifth street. Mr. Gaston is a brother of Mrs. Dunham.

Miss Maggie Huribut, daughter of Rev. Dr. J. L. Huribut, formerly of East Fifth street and now of New York, is the guest of Miss Ethel Holmes of East Fifth street.

Dr. Endicott of East Seventh street has been compelled to give up his office hours on account of the many cases of the grip requiring his attendance at the homes of his patients.

George F. Randolph, formerly of this city, but now of New York, brother of Pharmacist L. W. Randolph of West Front street, is very low with pneumonia. His family also are ill.

Miss Violet Truell of Central avenue gave a reception Saturday evening to P. Ludwig Condé and the Symphony Orchestra. Choice music was played, and refreshments were served.

Borough Councilman Valiant has given to Builder Lunger the contract for the erection of a house on Craig place, near Grove street, and excavating for the cellar was commenced today.

Mr and Mrs George W. Mead spent Sunday with Mrs. Mead's parents, I. L. Metler, 114 Plainfield avenue. Mrs. Mead's many friends in Trinity Church were glad to welcome her once more.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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Sold by druggists, 75c.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. P. M. Fine of West Front street is ill.

David S. Dunavan spent Sunday in New York.

Dr. C. H. Clark is much improved, and is able to sit up.

Thomas Young of Somerset street is ill with a heavy cold.

Miss Ada Wagner of Doane & Edsall's is a sufferer from the grip.

Miss Sadie Howell of Willow avenue is confined to her home by illness.

Jed Smalley is ill with pneumonia at the home of his father on Craig place.

Herbert Clark has recovered from his illness so as to be able to go to work.

Charles Hayes of West Seventh street spent Sunday with relatives in New York.

Mrs. C. W. Smith is confined to her home on Johnston avenue with the grip.

Miss Florence Dodge of New York is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. H. Keller.

Clarence Hillman of New York was a welcome caller on Plainfield friends yesterday.

Miss Ella Conkey of New York is visiting her aunt Mrs. N. W. French of West Fourth street.

James Field and family of Somerville were guests of Mrs. Jaques of Hotel Albion yesterday.

Hiram Hornish, who is a Muhlenberg patient suffering from Bright's disease, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Miller and son Russell were entertained by Newark friends yesterday.

Theodore Kurzhals has fully recovered from his recent injuries, and was able to resume work today.

Mrs. Herbert W. Harris of New York is visiting Mrs. C. P. Ball of Belvidere avenue, Netherwood.

Mrs. S. P. Smith of Central avenue left Friday for Hartwick, N. Y., where she will spend two weeks.

Mrs. A. B. Dunavan of Elmwood place has returned from Newark, where she has been visiting her mother.

Miss Lilly B. Livingston is seriously ill at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. M. O. Williams, Somerset street.

Miss Maggie Filmer of Gloversville, N. Y., is visiting a few days with her aunt Miss Filmer of Central avenue.

C. VanHerwarden and family of Flushing moved last Saturday into their new home on South avenue, Netherwood.

Capt. John I. Holly went on the 2:14 train this morning to join his troops in defense of Brooklyn against the mob.

Raymond Hodge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hodge of Somerset street, is suffering from a painful abscess over his right eye.

Miss Mabel Van Alstyne of Chatham, N. Y., is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Van Alstyne of Watchung avenue.

Walter C. Williams of Netherwood avenue has rented the Lisignolo property on East Front street, where he moved with his family Saturday.

W. P. Williams of New York city returned to his home Saturday after a short visit with his mother, Mrs. M. C. Williams of 147 Somerset street.

Letter-Carrier Robert Loughlin will now be able to cover his district in the specified time (eight hours), as he has just purchased a new Columbia bike.

Mrs. E. M. Hannigan and daughter Miss Eugenie, of 15 Prospect place, are at the Magnolia House, St. Augustine, Fla., where they will remain the balance of the Winter.

A four-page letter has been received from Judge John Ulrich indicating his greatly improved condition. His friends will be glad to learn of his steady recovery.

Gustave Sutterlin of Greenbrook road, who has been a sufferer the past two weeks with inflammatory rheumatism, is now able to go about with the aid of crutches.

The crisis in the condition of Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., of East Second street, was reached yesterday. Under the skilful care of Drs. Manning and Boone he is beginning slowly to improve.

J. B Bovey of Somerset street, who has been ill the past week with the grip, has so far recovered that he was able to attend to attend to his business in New York city as usual today.

Tickets for the bal poudre are selling rapidly, and it is sure to be a great success. The patronesses are: Mrs. Samuel Townsend, Mrs. George D. Hallock, Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., Mrs. J. H. Howell, Mrs. F. G. Grant, Mrs. W. J. Boome and Mrs. Charles A. Reed.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

W. J. Stephenson has put in a 'phone, No. 121 B.

Miss Jessie K. Stevens of South avenue is confined to her home by the grip.

C. H. Lippencott of 28 Jackson avenue is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. C. B. Clifton of West Second street is rapidly recovering from the grip.

Miss Kate Garey of East Front street is convalescing after a severe attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Bowman and daughter of East Sixth street have all been sick with the grip.

Miss Ella Serrell of West Front street left this morning for a visit to her brother Wallace Serrell in Chicago.

Theodore Smith of the borough is almost helpless from muscular rheumatism. Garret P. Smith is acting as nurse.

A portrait and biographical sketch of Mrs. David P. Hall of this city adorns the women's page of the New York Recorder today.

Miss Lottie V. Johnston of Prospect Heights, Brooklyn, is being entertained by her friend Miss J. Louise Jenkins of of West Second street.

Kind friends of Mrs. Lawrence Myers and party were profusely generous in their remembrances with a wreath of flowers on their departure for Europe on Saturday.

Albert Woltmann, Oscar Nightengale and Edgar Serrell went to Bound Brook Saturday to enjoy the skating on the Barrtan canal. They found no ice on the canal but skated to New Brunswick and return on the Raritan river.

New Market Wants a Borough.

The citizens of New Market met in Friendship Hall Saturday night and passed resolutions to make application to have the old town of New Market formed into a borough. The proposed lines are to begin at Centre street, where the Dunellen borough ends, and extend to Blue's corner. The Dunellen people hoped to be able to extend to the Lehigh Valley Railroad, thus enlarging their area and giving those living in School District No. 2 the benefit of Dunellen schools. Counselor Willis presented the petition to make Dunellen an independent borough last week. The matter will be decided by election very soon.

The Parks Win at Whist.

Saturday afternoon an exciting contest in the whist tournament resulted in the defeat of the visiting Montclair players by the Park enthusiasts, the score being 14 to 11. This victory ties the Parks for first place in the tourney. Saturday's game completes the first half of the present series of games.

Those who support the Park Club standard are Messrs. G. T. Rogers, S. St. J. McCutchen, Samuel Townsend, J. H. Howard, J. B. Drayton and J. M. Leonard. Wednesday evening next the Fanwoods will try conclusions with the Parks at the pleasant home of the latter.

Insane at 77.

Application was made in the Somerville Court today for the removal of James F. Randolph, 77 years of age, for a long time a resident of North Plainfield, to the insane asylum.

If you find that trade goes slowly
And is never at its best,
With an ad just press the button—
Watch The Press ad do the rest.

—The West End Glee Club will hold their meeting Monday evening in Plainfield Avenue Hall.

DEATHS.

PHILPOTT—At his late residence, 141 Duer st., North Plainfield, Sunday, Jan. 20, 1895, Moses H. Philpott, in his 65th year.
Funeral private. Interment at Cypress Hills Tuesday.

WILSON—Suddenly, in this city Monday, Jan. 21, 1895, May Hayden Taylor, daughter of the late Morgan S. Taylor and wife of Edward Taylor Wilson.
Funeral services at the residence of her mother, 10 Rockview Terrace, Wednesday, Jan. 23, at 3 p. m. 2

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Wednesday, January 22.

W. H. Powers's unparalled success. The picturesque Irish drama,

The Ivy Leaf,

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SEE—The Revolving Tower.
Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c $1.
Box office now open.

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One night,

Thursday, Jan. 24

Engagement of MR. WM. MORRIS, late leading man of the Empire Theatre Stock Co., N. Y., in H. C. DeMille's great play,

THE LOST PARADISE,

direction of Mr. Gustave Frohman. A strong supporting company, including Miss Etta Hawkins in her original character,

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Mrs. Dr. Edwards

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Thursday, January 24.

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one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.
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Reply to John Clacy.

In reply to the statement of John Clacy in The Press of last night that the story was untrue that he had a wife and family in England, I would state that I have left at the office of The Press for the inspection of all interested, a copy of the photograph of himself and wife, and have abundant proof that he has a wife and family in England. The family consists of three children, to my own knowledge, which I can prove.
PATRICK O'KEEFE, 35 Somerset st.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOARD—To let, pleasant room, good neighborhood, central location, home comforts; a few table boarders also taken. 303 West 4th street, near Central avenue. 1 10 tf

WANTED—A reliable girl for general housework. Call 908 West Front street. 1 21 2

STRAYED away, 2 yellow Spitz dogs, answering to the names of Prince and Vickey. Finder will please return to Mrs. R. Gow, 222 Manson place.

HORSE for sale, 15½ hands; 9 years old; a good, strong, reliable horse and warranted perfectly sound and kind; price $125; would exchange for buckboard or 4-seat wagon, groceries, meat, coal, hay or feed. Address Horse, care Press. 1 21 2

FOUND—On Grove st., North Plainfield, light brown shoulder cape belonging to child's cloak. It is at 9 Rockview Terrace.

WANTED—Young girl to assist in light housework. Call 73 Sandford avenue.

FOR SALE—Chestnut posts and rails, telegraph poles, white oak and hickory timber. E. C. Potter, Mt. Pleasant, Box 664 Plainfield. 1 19 3

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CHOICE of three fine fresh cows for sale: $45. D. Hand, Netherwood. 1 21 2

WANTED—A thoroughly competent nurse. Call at 703 Watchung ave. 1 12 tf

WANTED—House 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; reasonable rent; possession April 1. Address "Ed", care Press. 1 17 tf

WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

NINE-room house and stable for sale or to let; 112 Lafayette place; rent $18 per month. Stable to let, room for 6 horses; $10 per month; Watchung ave. Do you intend to move in the spring? If so, call and get a list of houses I have to let and for sale. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung avenue. Office open every night from 7 to 9 o'clock. 1 14 6

EIGHT-room house for sale or to let 69 Manning ave; price $3,100; rent $18 per month. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung ave. 1 14 6

$10,000 TO LOAN, amounts to suit; gilt edge real estate. Mulford, broker. 1 14 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 1 4 tf

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LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

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Tea Pots, 2 quart,	52c.,	regular price,	69c.
" 1 "	45c.,	" "	53c.
Tea Kettles,	91c.,	regular price	99c
Lipp Sauce Pan,	19cts.,	" "	25c.
" "	29cts.	" "	35c.
" "	31cts.	" "	37c.
" "	43cts.	" "	49c

Wash Basin, 23cts. regular price, 27cts.
Water Pails, 12c., regular price, 17c
Cedar Tubs, 50c., 60c., 75c.

SPECIALS:

Laundry Soap 3c. cake, Washing Powder, 3c. cake, Silexo, 4c. cake. Pearline ½lb. 4c package.

DINNER SETS.

100 piece Dinner set $6.75, $7.29, $7.99, regular price, $9, $10, $11. For other articles necessary in your kitchen or dining room call and price our goods.

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upon our display of Dress Goods, also the low prices and you can plainly see that our prices and quality of goods can not be equaled in the city. Just received a new supply of those Flannels 38-inch wide, all-wool, 25c. worth 40c, 15 pieces changeable worsteds, one yard wide 15c. worth 25; 10 pieces Scotch Plaids, 7-8 yard wide 12½c worth 20. All of our 65c Cashmeres and Serges reduced to 50c for one week only.

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OF THE

Dime Savings Institution

Of Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1895

ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage. (first liens)		$124,200 00
Value of property mortgaged, $320,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured at	120,600	
Market Value.		
$3,000	Union County Bonds	$3,540.00
25,000	Hudson "	28,500.00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10,600.00
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00
13,000	Loan City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000.00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000.00
4,500	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,500.00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900.00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10,850.00
	Demand Loans	3,200.00
	Interest due and accrued	4,081 11
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400.00
	Cash in Banks	56,542 32
	Cash in Office	502 45
		$328,066 39

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,598 28
Surplus	15,468 11
	$328,066.39

State of New Jersey, } ss
County of Union, }

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres.
ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.
JAMES C. POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

J. FRANK HUBBARD,
JOSEPH B. COWARD,
G. W. ROCKFELLOW, } Committee.
Plainfield, January 14, 1895. 1 19 10

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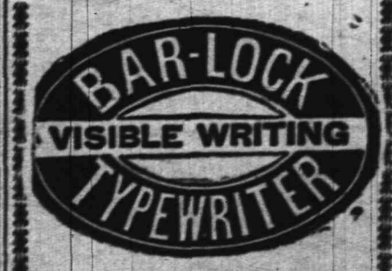

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9x4 sheeting 16c.
10x4 sheeting 17c.

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Ladies heavy ribbed vests	–	25 cents
" " pants	–	25 cents
" merino vests and pants		33 cents
Men's shirts and drawers	–	35 cents
Children's heavy seamless hose		12 cents
Ladies " " "		12 cents
Ladies full regular hose 25c quality		19 cents
Ladies fine cashmere hose	–	21 cents

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No profit here for us. We don't want any garment we have and they are yours at your own price

Best Apron Gingham	– –	5 cents
Best Indigo Print	– – –	5 cents
Heavy Domet Flannel	– –	5 cents
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Dinner napkins 98c dozen.
All linen cream damask 21c
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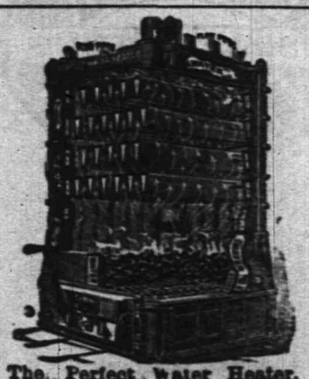

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Nearly 8,000 Men Mobilized in Brooklyn to Help the Police Keep Order and Protect Railroad Property—The Mayor Issues a Proclamation to the Citizens.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Notwithstanding that the city was under the control of the police and militia all day yesterday, the companies did not succeed in running as many cars as they have during the past few days of the strike. President Lewis still holds that he has not enough protection, while the strikers claim that he and President Norton are only bluffing, and that they have not the available force to run the cars.

Mayor Schieren, after being in consultation all day with both the officers of the road and the labor leaders, and apparently without doing anything to bring the company and strikers closer together, last night issued a proclamation to the citizens of Brooklyn and the public in general, requiring all persons within the limit of the city to refrain from unnecessary assembling in the streets during the present disturbed condition and until quiet is restored, ending his proclamation by exhorting all persons to assist in the observance of his request. Mayor Schieren's proclamation caused much indignation both among the citizens and strikers, because the entire day, considering that between 7,000 and 8,000 men are on strike and that the local transit system was largely suspended in consequence, was passed in a remarkably peaceable manner.

At a consultation yesterday afternoon between Mayor Schieren and Col. Olin, of the staff of Brig.-Gen. Fitzgerald, the colonel was requested by the mayor to return to New York and ask Gov. Morton for more troops. At this request the governor ordered the whole of the First Brigade, which consist of five regiments and two battalions of infantry, two batteries, a troop of cavalry and a signal corps, aggregating 4,710 men.

At 6 o'clock last night the cars which had been operated on the Fifth avenue, Seventh avenue, Ninth avenue and Bergen street lines of the Atlantic avenue system; the Sumner avenue cars of the Brooklyn, Queens county and Suburban system, and the Court street, Fulton street, Putnam avenue and Flatbush avenue lines of the Brooklyn Heights company, stopped running, as none of the lines wanted to risk running cars after dark. The two lines not affected by the strike operated day and night. The troops on guard at all of the car houses and depots during the day were relieved by those who had been on reserve duty. Guards were kept at all of the armories. Brigadier General McLeer was at his headquarters in the hall of records building all day, and held several consultations with Mayor Schieren and with Police Commissioner Welles.

Superintendent of Police Campbell said last evening that the troops of the Second Brigade are practically at the disposal of the police, and are acting as their aids. He said he did not know what disposition would be made of the troops of the First Brigade when they arrive.

Several hundred strikers attended the services at Rev. C. S. Williams' Methodist Episcopal church, Flatbush avenue and Fennimore street, last evening. Mr. Williams said that the men had his sympathy. He advised them to be orderly and hoped for their success.

Meetings of union men in other trades were held during the day and evening in various parts of the city.

The principal disturbance of the day occurred in the vicinity of Broadway and Flushing avenue. Thousands of New Yorkers crossed on the Grand street ferry to the foot of Broadway during the day. There were workingmen, out for their Sunday holiday, who came over to see a scrap or two between strikers and non-union men, and there were toughs who came over to take a hand in any rows that were on. People from all parts of Williamsburg also gathered on Broadway until the sidewalks were a mass of slowly moving people for two miles back from the ferry. There were fully 5,000 persons in the crowd.

About 3 o'clock in the afternoon a trolley car of the Sumner avenue line was besieged by the crowd at Gwinnette street and Broadway. Captain French, of the Sixteenth precinct, who rashly got on the front platform of the car and stood by the motorman, was hit on the nose with a stone thrown from the crowd. His nose was cut slightly, but he refused to go to the station house to have the wound dressed. He remained with the car until Captain Martin and a squad of mounted police forced the crowd back and obtained a semblance of order. The police were reinforced by detachments from half a dozen other precincts, and all the afternoon squads of mounted men, followed by patrolmen on foot, passed up and down Broadway between Flushing avenue and the ferry, keeping the crowds off the car tracks and scattering the people whenever the crowd became congested.

President Lewis, of the Brooklyn Heights company, stated late last night that he expects to operate the Court street, Fulton avenue and Putnam avenue lines this morning and later in the day open other lines. He said he would be governed by the situation at 10 or 12 o'clock. He expects to have fifty miles of roads in operation at noon and it is now the plan of all roads to run cars until midnight. Mr. Lewis said that Mr. Norton expects to operate the Atlantic avenue lines more fully than any day since the strike began. Mr. Wicker's intentions are to start the Reid, Ralph and Sumner avenues lines, but he might forego the attempt to start the first two lines and run only the latter. Mr. Lewis was asked how many cars his company had run during the day. He replied that really he had been too busy to ascertain the exact number, and would not hazard a guess.

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9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
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6 19 P. M. for Flemington.
6 58 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.
8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
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The State of Missouri Sunk at Alton, Ind.

Struck a Rock and Went Down in Fifty Feet of Water—The Frantic Efforts of Passengers as They Were Carried Away by the Swift Current of the River.

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 21.—Brief and fragmentary details of the destruction of the big passenger steamer State of Missouri, at Alton, Ind., 100 miles above here, have been received. She struck a rock and sank in fifty feet of water.

The reports say that at least forty passengers were drowned, but no names are given.

The State of Missouri was a very long stern-wheeler, plying between Cincinnati and New Orleans. She had on board a fairly large cargo of freight and 100 persons including a crew of 60.

At Alton the river narrows, and the water being high an extremely swift current results. This threw the stern of the boat in toward the Indiana shore. Before the pilot could regain control of the boat she hit a rock, tearing a long hole in the hold at the water line.

The shock was terrific and the boat trembled from bow to stern. Consternation seized upon the passengers and in a moment they were frantic.

Without regard to consequences they rushed to the upper decks in the hope of delaying the inevitable, as the boat was rapidly sinking.

Women and children were trampled upon, but it is believed all got out of the cabin. Then the scramble for seats in the yawls began. It was a fight for life, in which many combatants are believed to have gone to their death.

The first yawl launched was sunk within twenty feet of where it struck the water. It is believed every one in it was drowned in sight of the affrighted people huddled together on the sinking steamer.

A second yawl was then pushed off. It contained four women. This is believed to have reached shore. Just when there seemed some hope that by means of this yawl the passengers could be saved, the steamer gave another terrific lurch and literally broke to pieces, and in ten minutes from the moment the rock was struck nothing but the hull remained.

The cabin and the pilot house floated away, dragging down into the water everyone upon it. The lighter freight was washed from the main deck, and on this men, women and children clung as best they could, many, however, only to fall back into the ice-cold water. Several succeeded by this means in getting into the willows and trees, and were rescued by farmers and passing steamers.

On the City of Owensboro, which passed here last night, were four of the passengers who had been rescued from the trees.

Two of them were W. C. Leathers, of Hopkins county, Ky., and Mr. Gregory, of Cave-in-ehe-Rock, Ill. The names of the other two could not be learned.

Mr. Leathers thinks at least 40 people were drowned. He saw four men go under within five feet of him, but the current was so swift he could render no assistance. Mr. Leathers says there were fifteen cabin passengers, thirty deck passengers and a crew of sixty on board.

The steamer Tell City, bound for Louisville, hove in sight yesterday and took most of the survivors to Louisville.

Alton, Ind., where the wreck occurred is thirty miles from a telegraph station, with almost impassable roads. The news secured came by steamers passing here.

The Missouri, it is stated, was well insured. Captain Conlon, master of the vessel, is only 28 years old, but is an experienced river man and very popular.

Had an Apoplectic Fit.

Doylestown, Pa., Jan 21.—Asher Dungan, a butcher, 83 years of age, was found at his residence, just south of the borough, frozen stiff with a number of cuts and bruises on his forehead and his face covered with blood. This first led to a supposition that he had been murdered, but after a post-mortem examination a jury decided that Dungan had an apoplectic fit, after which he had frozen to death.

French Missionaries Expelled.

London, Jan. 21.—The Daily Chronicle correspondent in Rome says: "The documents which Gen. Baratieri seized in Chief Ras Mangascia's tent after the last battle prove that the French Capucians fomented the present native revolt against the Italians. Therefore Gen. Baratieri ordered that all French missionaries be expelled from the territory occupied by the Italians."

Successful Anti-Toxine Treatment.

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 21.—A severe case of diphtheria has been successfully treated with anti-toxine here. The son of John McManus, aged 5 years, was stricken Friday. He was given an injection Friday evening, when nearly dead. A second injection was made Saturday, and the child is now out of danger.

Shoe Company Assigns.

Beverly, Mass., Jan. 21.—The news that the Seth Northwood Shoe company had assigned caused great surprise here. The liabilities are not known but a member of the firm intimated them to be between $70,000 and $80,000. The cause of the failure was heavy losses.

Girl Strikers Return to Work.

Reading, Mass., Jan. 21.—The strike of the girls in the shoe factory of E. R. Richardson here is ended, and all the girls, with the exception of four, have returned to work at the old schedule of wages.

Creedon Wins an Easy Victory.

Galveston, Tex., Jan. 21.—Dan Creedon, the Australian middleweight, won an easy victory over Berneau, of Texas, last night, knocking his man out in the second round.

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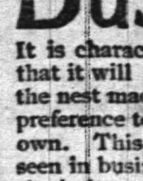

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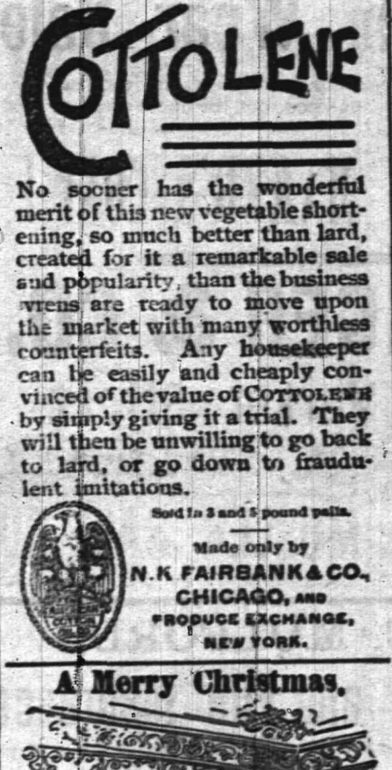

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—The colored concert troupe known as the Nightingales will entertain in Bethel Chapel Feb. 14.

—The cheap crayon portrait manufacturer who recently took rooms in the Schwed Building has vanished.

—The postage-stamp chain has been broken. Miss Brown of Illinois, who wanted 1,000,000, has more than 3,000,000 already.

—The horse that draws Allen's stage fell down this morning on Park avenue and had to be unharnessed before he could rise.

—A special committee meeting of Benate Lodge, K. of H., was held Saturday evening at Doane & Edsall's to audit the 1894 books.

—The Young Ladies Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Church will hold a cake and candy sale in the church parlors on Saturday, Jan. 26 at 2:30 p. m.

—D. W. Littell is busily engaged on the tinning, plumbing and heating contract recently awarded him for the large residence of Wm. H. Cook of Newark.

—The dialogue, "Swinging on the Gate," given in Monroe Avenue Chapel on January 2, will be repeated Tuesday, January 29. There was music on banjo and guitar.

—While skating on Johnston's pond, Saturday afternoon, Harry Anderson and George Stewart broke through the ice. They reached the shore with nothing more serious than a wetting.

—The lathe and other tools at J. G. Daniel's Plainfield manual training school are being kept very busy by the pupils making pretty little souvenirs to be given away at their reception January 24.

—"Hark, Hark, My Soul" was excellently sung by a male quartette, Messrs. Robert and Edward Clark, F. S. Cutter and A. J. Moore, in the Trinity Reformed Church last evening, during the offering.

—The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday was the largest yet held in the new building. The address by Capt. Morrison on the coastliness of service deserves special mention. The solos, with autoharp accompaniment, were also very effective.

—While Noah Terry of Cushing road was engaged in killing pigs on his farm Friday was severely bitten through the left hand by one of them. The animal already had its throat cut, and its jaws had to be pried open to release Mr. Terry's then lacerated hand.

—The special sale inaugurated by Doane & Edsall Saturday evening was so successful that these sales will be made a regular Saturday night feature, some special line of goods being sold at actual cost on each occasion to attract the public to this leading footwear establishment.

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For the benefit of the insurance companies who have policies on hotel and contents, and the people who are laboring under the impression that everything in the hotel is to be sold, I wish to say that the notice of an auction at the hotel tomorrow has seemed to give a false impression unintentionally. All there is to be sold is a few articles of the "Hotel Netherwood Co." which is an entire separate organization from the hotel and its contents which belong to Chas. Hyde and is in no way affected by the sale.

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T. G. Smith, formerly of the Boston Conservatory of Music, who is the new organist and musical director of the Crescent Avenue Church, was met by a number of the vocalists of the parish in the church parlors, Saturday afternoon, who gathered for the purpose of forming a new chorus choir. Mr. Smith expresses much pleasure at the number of excellent voices which he had to select from and hopes at no far distant day to have a choir second to none in the city.

The Parish Lyceum.

A meeting of the Clinton Avenue Lyceum will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, at 8, in the Parish House of the Church of the Heavenly Rest. Every member is earnestly requested to be present, and also those interested, as important business is to be brought before the Lyceum.

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PERTINENT TO PLAINFIELD.

Sample of What Might Happen Here, According to the Councilmanic Committee's Report.

(From Crecs & Howell's Report on the Additional Water Supply for Newark.)

A good illustration of the effect of a constant draught in permanently lowering the level of the ground water is afforded by the well in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, N. Y The well was constructed in 1869

The elevation of water table as first found, November, 1868, was 15.6 feet above tide level. Elevation of water table, May, 1869, 15.2 feet above tide level. Elevation of water table on completion of well, December, 1869 14.55 above tide level.

Pumping began regularly on June 5, 1870; the effect has been as follows:

Year	Average number of gallons per day.	Average elevation of water table.
1870	300,000	14.15
1871	272,000	13.03
1872	437,000	10.56
1873	288,000	11.29
1874	333,000	10.70
1875	294,000	9.83
1876	235,000	9.83
1877	252,000	9.21

It seems here that an average draught of only 304,000 gallons per day has lowered the water table five feet in eight years, and also that the yield is diminishing, for while in 1873 a daily draught of 288,000 gallons permitted the water table to rise five inches, in 1876 a draught of 235,000 gallons was just equal to the supply, and in 1877 a draught of 252 000 gallons again lowered the water.

Independently of the manifest insufficiency of this mode of supply, serious objection is to be made to it in the case of Newark, in that the gathering-ground must necessarily be in a region where the population will rapidly increase, and for many years the water will be exposed to the worst possible contaminations, the drainage from privies and cesspools. A district which is growing, and as yet not supplied with sewers, furnishes the most unwholesome water that can be used. The shallowness of the earth over the rock makes it certain that any well supply will be fou.

May Revive the Coaching.

A rumor, which had its birth in Philadelphia is going the rounds that the coaching route between Philadelphia and New York, by way of Plainfield, which attracted so much attention last season, will be re-established. A Quaker City coaching enthusiast is quoted as saying: "There are no prospects that the New York Coaching Club will do anything. Over there the coaching club exists in name only, and here is a chance for Philadelphia again to come to the front."

The members of the New York Coaching Club have given no thoughts to taking up these trips. Prescott Lawrence said that the "subject had never entered his mind". Another member of the club said: "I never heard that we intended to establish the route, but if the Philadelphia people wish to go ahead, I presume the New York club would willingly co-operate. My memories of the trip are that the ride is too long and dusty to be pleasant. Shorter trips are far more enjoyable."

This Perfect Board Perpetual.

The annual congregational meeting for the election of trustees and the transaction of other business was held in the Crescent Avenue Church last evening.

During the evening the financial condition of the church was discussed, and found to be eminently satisfactory.

The old trustees were re-elected as follows: Charles Place, president; Harry James, Ephriam Miller, Isaac W. Bushmore, J. K. Myers; William Arnold, secretary and treasurer.

The congregation are so highly pleased with the board that they have no desire to make any change, and would not let any of them insist on resigning.

Fun for the Boys.

Sixty members of the Boys Club enjoyed last Saturday's entertainment. They were delighted with the performance of Samuel W. Waldron of New York, on the autoharp, piano and bones, and roundly applauded him again and again. The Silver Leaf Quartette also gave great delight by their fine singing, while the jig dancing of two of its members was, as one boy said, "bully".

Next Saturday night a novel feature in the entertainment line will be introduced, which is sure to captivate the boys. A large attendance is looked forward to.

In a Little Corner.

The House Committee of the Scotch Plains Public Library, a report of which was given in the Plainfield papers last week, will give an afternoon tea at the Library rooms Friday afternoon, Jan. 27. Mrs Thomae of Bound Brook will read a paper, entitled "In a Little Corner with a Little Book". All interested in the Library are cordially invited.

Fell Into Parody.

An insecure pedestrian, wending her way over the icy streets yesterday morning, might have been heard saying:

Little piles of sawdust,
Little grains of sand,
Make the slippery pavement
So that folks can stand.

1636.

THE PARK BOWLERS' RECORD SCORE.

They Walk Right Away from the Roselle Casino Team, Setting the Pace from the Start to the Wire, and Making a Garrison Finish.

Last evening's league contest on the Park alleys between the home team and the Roselle bowlers was one of the most interesting games of the entire series, and the weather which would naturally be looked upon as a hoodoo was a mascot for the Parks who came up smiling at the call of time and outpointed their adversaries from start to finish, keeping Walter Murray, who held the bottle in their corner, busy during the entire ten rounds marking strikes and spares to their credit.

Captain Matthews was unavoidably absent from the alleys and Dr. Thiers temporarily filled his place. Whenever the genial doctor stepped from his corner he did nothing but make strikes and spares, and it did n't seem to trouble him the least bit in the world; all he counted was 212—five strikes and five spares without a single break—and the boys, well, they simply fell all over him as he kept the pace up to the end.

The score of the Parks was the largest ever made by them, and is not many pins under the record score of the entire league. The game throughout was replete with brilliant plays, and it was most unfortunate that the weather was such as to keep many enthusiasts in doors for the evening. The score:

PARKS.		ROSELLE.	
Sandford	166	Hibbard	170
Randolph	167	Greves	149
Erickson, J.	161	Birdsall	136
Faber	132	Woodruff	144
Waring	140	Patterson	149
Murray, J.	153	Hibbard, W.	174
Worth, W.	136	Cook	149
Leonard	171	Benedict	151
Brown	178	Miller	151
Thiers	212	Warner	135
	1636		1508

BY FRAMES:

Parks	177	321	477	631	800	958	1087	1251	1461	1636
Roselle	155	275	433	597	726	916	1054	1231	1379	1508

To Shoot Here in June.

The delegates representing the clubs comprising the New Jersey State Trap Shooters' League met yesterday and perfected their organization for the ensuing year. The clubs represented were the South Sides of Newark, Climax of Plainfield, Maplewood of Maplewood, Elizabeth of Elizabeth, Endeavors of Jersey City, Riversides of Red Bank, Union of Springfield, and Boiling Springs of Rutherford, the Brunswick Club of New Brunswick and Myrtle Park of Newark being represented by proxy.

The officers elected were: President—E D Miller, Springfield; Secretary and Treasurer—W R Hobart, Newark; Manager—W N Drake, Orange.

In the drawing for the shooting meetings the Boiling Springs Club drew, April, Myrtle Park; March, Elizabeth; May, Endeavor; June, Climax; August, Brunswick, September, Riverside; October, Union; and December, South Side.

Off Its Trolley.

Car No. 6 of the Front street trolley line had quite a lively trip this morning. It was inclined to be gay when it left the car house for the down trip, but Conductor Jesse Hetfield decided to make the run and things went fairly well until Grove street was reached, when in some manner the current was "short circuited", and the lower part of the car began to blaze in a lively manner. The trolley was at once released and the circuit cut, the passengers finishing their trip on foot and the smoking car stood quietly in front of Peck's until the car following came to "push it along".

Growth of Grace.

There was a delightful company of earnest people at Grace M. E. Church last night, notwithstanding the very unfavorable weather. Mr. Randolph developed the thought that true Christians are living epistles, known and read of all men. The hour passed quickly, with hearty singing, short voluntary prayers and interesting testimonies. The meetings will continue during the week.

Singing School.

It has been proposed by some of the Congregational people to start an old-fashioned singing school for instruction in sight reading and the practice of part songs. Invitation has been given to all interested to meet at the close of the prayer meeting tomorrow evening, and talk over arrangements. Others than members of the congregation will be welcomed.

—Get a pair—E. M. Laing gives 'em away—a 50c. pair of suspenders with every $2 hat.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

CHICKEN THIEVES.

Marshal Pangborn Makes a Skilful Capture—Both Prisoners Held.

The case of the State against William Deane and Edward Drake, on complaint of M. Stites, came up before Justice Crosley this morning at 10.

The complainant charges that five chickens were stolen from his coop Saturday evening, Jan. 12. He placed the matter in the hands of Chief Marshal Pangborn, who with his usual skill succeeded in capturing the guilty persons.

Lawyer DeMeza appeared for Deane and Drake, while Marshal Pangborn looked after the interest of Stites.

Stites was put on the stand and stated that he owned nine chickens; that they were all in the coop Saturday afternoon at 4. On Sunday morning about 8 he went to the yard and found only four.

Edward Drake was called next and proved to be an unwilling witness, refusing to give any information, in spite of the fact that he voluntarily had made a statement disclosing his entire whereabouts at the time in question. His counsel refused to let him answer any question of importance.

Policeman Lines stated that Drake had previously made confession. Albert Brown, Drake's employer, was put on the stand, but knew little of the case.

Mrs. Barry said that she found four chickens in her coal box, and that Deane had brought them in the house for the purpose of cooking them, which she did, Deane having told her that he won them at a raffle.

Drake was again put on the stand and additional information was obtained.

Lawyer DeMeza then asked for a dismissal of the case as far as Drake was concerned, but the justice did not grant his request.

William Deane as principal in the crime was held in $150 bail for the Grand Jury, and Edward Drake, as an accomplice, in the sum of $100.

Marshal Pangborn deserves great credit for the way in which he has handled the case. Even after an attempt was made to get Stites out of the way, he defeated the efforts, and waited till midnight at the Barry home, when he had the house surrounded and the fugitive hunted out.

TRIBUTE TO UNCLE PETER.

(From The Sabbath Recorder.)

Peter Wooden was born in Plainfield, N. J., May 24, 1800. He died Jan. 14, 1895, in the ninety-fifth year of his age. April 28, 1825, he was married to Rachel, daughter of Nehemiah Randolph, who died Oct. 11, 1837. In 1840, March 22, he married Margarett Cory, who died March 22, 1890, the date of their "Golden Wedding." Bro. Wooden united with the Seventh-Day Baptist Church of Plainfield, by baptism, Feb. 11, 1843; being baptized by Rev. David Clawson. He was a man of simple habits, in which economy, humility, and honesty held the first place. He was loyal to all his church relations, and always at the house of God on the Sabbath unless detained on account of sickness. His life embodied quiet, but genuine Christian faith and character in an eminent degree. He was "Uncle Peter" to a large circle of acquaintances and friends; enemies he could not have.

He passed the last day on earth in usual avocations about his home. During the afternoon he visited a neighboring place of business in his usual pleasant way. Just at nightfall he came in from attending to little duties about the place and sat down by the stove for warmth and rest. A little later those sitting in the adjoining room heard him fall from his chair. His warm heart, under the strain of more than ninety-four years, had come to its final rest without pain or struggle.

Spiritually, "Uncle Peter" was ripe, waiting for the call, ready and fully fitted to enter into the rest that remaineth for the people of God. Never were these words of the poet more appropriate:

"And I am glad that he has lived thus long,
And glad that he has gone to his reward;
Nor deem that kindly nature did him wrong,
Softly thus to disengage the vital cord.
When his weak hands grew palsied,
And his eyes dim with the mist of age,
It was his time to die."

Truly God giveth his beloved sleep on earth but everlasting waking in the blessed life beyond.

—Heath & Drake, the Newark house who have won such a trade throughout the State, have entered on their inventory sale, and offer wonderful bargains, as announced on Page 8, Col. 6.

—Anyone desiring to go, can get free tickets for the Madison Square Bicycle Show, good Thursday evening only, New Jersey's night, on application to W. H. Rogers or John Petrie. A crowd from the Crescent Wheelmen will attend.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

A WOMAN WORTH KNOWING.

Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, Daughter of Julia Ward Howe, and Herself a Writer, Lecturer and Leader.

[From The New York Recorder.]

The clever writing and speaking of Mrs. Florence Howe Hall have earned her the title of "the woman humorist of the country". She does, indeed, possess a notable ability for presenting the gravest questions in a manner that carries weight because of its liveliness and wit. She is identified with many varied interests. From her father she has inherited an aptitude for organization, and is thus never happier than when planning fairs, lecture courses, sewing circles, reading classes, clubs, etc. She was a charter member of the Monday Afternoon Club of Plainfield, and for two years its president. In the work of the General Federation she has also been active and is now serving her third term as State Chairman of Correspondence for New Jersey. She was the first to propose a State Federation in New Jersey, and used both voice and pen to bring it about.

Mrs. Hall has long been known to literature. Soon after her marriage to David Prescott Hall, a well-known New York city lawyer, she took up the work of writing for the press and the periodicals. With her sister, Mrs. Maud Howe Elliott, she has for some years been engaged in writing the life of her father's famous pupil, Laura D. Bridgman, who was the first blind deaf-mute ever taught the use of language. Mrs. Hall is the author of a number of farces which will soon appear in book form. One of these, a satire on the anti-woman suffragists, has already won hearty plaudits before amateur footlights.

The suffrage question has been the theme of many of her most successful addresses and papers. Her speech at the Federation meeting in Philadelphia last May, was a humorous plea in its behalf, and excited wide interest. She is the president of her State's Suffrage Association, and president of the Plainfield Branch Alliance of Unitarian and Other Liberal Christian Women.

As a lecturer, Mrs. Hall has enjoyed an unusual success, and has found much pleasure and profit, she says, in addressing her audiences. n accordance with Dr. Howe's theories that every woman should have at her finger's end some means of support, Mrs. Hall was early trained in bookkeeping. Her published volumes include "Social Customs" and "The Correct Thing." She has four children, the eldest, Samuel Prescott Hall, having been recently graduated from Harvard College with classical honors at the age of 20.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

John Weir is ill at his home on Willow avenue.

Jeremiah Jaggers of Emily street is severely ill.

Miss Steadman is the guest of Miss Dunham of Madison avenue.

Bert Brenden of Dunellen avenue is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Miss May C. Sutphen of Second street is confined to the house with an attack of the grip.

Miss Rogers of LaGrande avenue is slowly improving from her severe attack of the grip.

Henry Eggerding is at his place of business today, after wrestling with the grip since Saturday.

Mrs. Julius Williams of Elmwood place has returned home from a visit among friends out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Flack and James Flack have removed from Somerset street to 151 Central avenue.

Mrs. John Doane of LaGrande avenue has returned home from her uncle's funeral in Moscow, Pa.

Walter E. Probasco of East Front street, who has been ill with the influenza, is able to be out again.

Letter-carrier J. W. A. Bauersachs is kept at home with the grip. Substitute P. Reville is acting in his place.

Mrs. Parks of Short Hills was seized with the grip while visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jaggers of Emily street.

Miss Sarah Overton of Coney Island, who has been visiting Miss Grace E Overton of Rockview avenue, has returned home.

Mahlon Dayton of New Market, formerly a member of the Class of '95 in the High School, spent last night with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis, who formerly resided on Carleton avenue, and who are now residents of New York, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stockton.

E. C. Pease of the Park has been away some weeks, and is still away on a business trip in the lumber camps of Wisconsin, Michigan and the Canadas.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

C. E. ANNUAL MEETING.

THE EIGHTEEN SOCIETIES OF THE LOCAL UNION WELL REPRESENTED.

Eloquent and Earnest Address by Rev. Dr. J. Clement French, on Good Citizenship—Election of Officers and Annual Reports.

The annual meeting of the local Christian Endeavor Union held last evening in Trinity Reformed Church called together a goodly representation of the eighteen societies of which it is comprised who gathered despite the inclement weather to listen to the eloquent discourse of Rev. Dr. French of Newark and to hear the gratifying reports of progress during the year just brought to a close.

The meeting was opened with a service of song led by Precentor H. J. Martin who at the close of the concert singing sang the beautiful solo "Scatter Sunshine", in the chorus of which the entire audience joined. President E. M. Cave offered prayer and was followed by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, who read a scripture lesson and offered an earnest prayer in which he asked that a special blessing might come upon the work which all Endeavorers have so much at heart, the uplifting and Christianizing of their fellow men.

Dr. J. Clement French, of Newark, who was next introduced by President Cave, before announcing his subject spoke in a most pleasant way of the difficulties which had seemed thus far to block his way at each attempt he had made to speak to a Plainfield audience. His first audience numbered less than one hundred and they seemed to wish themselves where all the other citizens were at the time—viewing the Boice fire. Again he found nearly all the residents following the band which had in a great political demonstration, and last evening the elements seemed to conspire against him yet he was there enthused with the great work already accomplished by Endeavors throughout the world and hopeful as to the still greater work to be accomplished during 1895 for the uplifting of souls and the purification of municipal governments.

The learned Doctor announced Good Citizenship as his subject and spoke in no uncertain tones of the putridity now existing in the leading municipalities throughout the length and breadth of this fair land of ours. Touching a more local field he spoke at length of the good work accomplished by the Good Citizenship Committee of Newark (of which he is the efficient head), and stated that instead of being jeered and sneered at, as was the case when the movement was first inaugurated, all classes of citizens were now interested in the movement, some through fear that their evil deeds would be discovered, many more with an earnest and honest desire to help in every possible manner the good work which had been started in the face of so many apparently insurmountable obstacles. "Be it understood", continued Dr. French, "that the Good Citizenship Committee has no affiliation whatever with any political party, but is wholly and unconditionally opposed to political wire pulling, regardless of who the transgressors may be."

It is opposed to bribery, blackmail, corruption, and the machinations of scheming politicians, no matter in what way they cloak their wickedness. No one can fail to read the lesson taught by the recent terrible expose in New York city and what is true of New York is true in greater or less degree of every municipality throughout the land. God be praised there are good men holding public office; men who walk uprightly, with the fear of the Lord in their hearts, but these men are in the minority; hasten the day when they will be the great majority. The moral putridity of our cities is simply appalling, and it is against this rottenness that the good citizenship committee must constantly direct their efforts to the final extermination of gambling dens and other resorts which in the face and eyes of the law continue to disobey the statute restricting the liquor traffic.

Still again must this body of earnest workers make a firm stand toward the repression of those law-breakers who desecrate the Holy Sabbath with bands of music, picnics and unseemingly demonstrations, all of which is emphatically against the law of our statute book. The apathy of good men is surprising in view of the plain, unvarnished truth which presents itself at once when the matter is investigated. But despite failure and discouragement this noble work is going on, thanks to the faith, courage and zeal of its promoters. During his discourse, the learned Doctor paid a glowing tribute to the life and works of J. Judson Pierson, the former President of the State Endeavor Union, who was for some time previous to his death so prominently identified with the Good Citizenship Committee.

Throughout his lecture Dr. French held his audience by his eloquence, ofttimes facetious, always interesting, with a fund of incident and anecdote drawn from years of personal experience, seldom if ever before has a Plainfield audience been so highly edified or so deeply stirred as they were last night.

After the double quartette had rendered a selection, Miss Florence Hawkins, the secretary of the local union, called the roll, a larger portion of the eighteen societies being represented. Miss Hawkins also read the minutes of the last meetinn as well as the able reports of progress in her own work as secretary and treasurer.

An interesting report prepared by President Cave was also read by the efficient secretary, mention being made in the paper of the fact that the Executive Committee has added to the Constitution the following articles:

Article X, Correspondence Department, so that the local union may the more fully keep in touch with all that transpires among the vast army of Endeavorers. Article XI, Missionary Department, which shall be a bureau of information in its special sphere, and Article XII, Good Citizenship Department, which will follow in the way set forth by the lecture of the evening, arrange for rallies, mass meetings, etc. The annual election resulted as follows: President, E. E. Anthony; Vice-president, E. W. DeForrest; Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Florence Hawkins.

President Anthony on taking the chair thanked the members for the great honor conferred upon him in his election as president and mentioned the 950 Christian workers enrolled in the local union as a regiment ready at all times to fight for the Lord Jesus Christ and his Kingdom. After unanimous votes of thanks had been extended to Rev. Dr. French for his earnest discourse, and to retiring President Cave for his efficient work during his term of office, the benediction was pronounced by the Rev. A. I. Martine.

GRAND ARMY INVESTIGATION.

They Will Hear the Complaint of a Tramp Against Sergeant Kiely.

Nicholas O'Brien, the old soldier from Hampton, Va., who stopped in Plainfield last Friday night for lodging, after having walked from New York, claimed that he was abused at the police station-house.

He says he met Policeman Cooney, and when he asked for a place to sleep he invited him in.

There were several other policemen present at the time, among them Frederickson, Hartpence and Vanderweg.

Soon afterward Sergeant Kiely came in, and, looking in one of the cells, saw a man there. Cooney told him he was an old soldier, when the former, he claims, said, "Hang him"; and made other remarks of a like nature. The wayfarer also claimed that he was asked by the same policeman why he did n't stay where he belonged, and if he did n't get a pension.

Then, he says, Policemen Cooney and Kiely had a dispute in which some strong language was used, and that the former seemed to be down on him, and was not at all friendly.

Both Chief Grant and Sergeant Kiely went to see the soldier Saturday morning, and the two officers asked the latter what he had been reporting about them, whereupon he told the same story, which was denied emphatically by the police. Still the soldier claimed that he had been ill-treated, and says that he can prove it by any that were present in the station house.

The complaint of the veteran was reported to the Grand Army men of this city, and they feel much incensed, if what the soldier reports is true, and the matter will be brought up at their meeting this evening.

If they find the soldier's report substantiated, it is likely that resolutions will be drawn and forwarded to the Mayor asking for the removal of the officer complained against.

One Great Man on Another.

The lecture given by Professor H. H. Boyesen, the well-known novelist and writer, in the Casino yesterday afternoon was a rare treat fully enjoyed by the large audience of women.

His subject was "The Influence of Goethe", and his treatment of it was a delight to all.

The subject was divided into five parts: "Poetry", "Estimates of Woman", "Dramatic Works", "Scientific Discovery", and "Ideals of a World of Literature".

He spoke of the great poet as being the last great man who desired to know something of all. In the scientific world he made important discoveries, and much of his time was given to the theory of evolution.

The enthusiasm of the speaker in his lecture made it an ideal one, and the professor would meet a very much larger audience should he return to Plainfield.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

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PROCEEDINGS DELAYED

Mrs. Drayton Gets a Stay in the Divorce Case.

She Wants the Privilege To Amend the Bill Answering the Charges of Her Husband — What Mr. Drayton's Counsel Thinks of the Last Move in the Suit.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 22.—Mrs. J. Coleman Drayton, through her counsel, R. V. Lindabury, has filed an order of the court of chancerry of New Jersey delaying the taking of testimony in the divorce suit brought against her by her husband, James Coleman Drayton. From this it is evident that Mrs. Drayton intends to fight the suit. She will arrive in this city on Thursday and will then proceed to fight her husband in every possible way.

It is said that already detectives are at work, and it is expected that evidence enough will be found to warrant Mrs. Drayton's attorney in filing a cross bill against Mr. Drayton.

The order delaying the taking of evidence is signed by Vice-Chancellor Green; and it also cites James Coleman Drayton to appear before the chancellor at Newark on Jan. 29, and show cause why Mrs. Drayton shall not have the privilege to amend her bill answering her husband's charges of adultery with Allsop Borrowe.

Somerville, N. J., Jan. 22.—When Hon. Alvah A. Clark, counsel for J. Coleman Drayton was seen at his home here last night he at first refused to say anything about the famous divorce suit, but when Mr. Clark was shown the statement in an evening paper intimating that counsel for Mrs. Drayton have new facts in their possession upon which she would file a cross bill Mr. Clark said:

"Mr. Drayton courts the fullest investigation into his personal affairs. This step has only been taken for the purpose of delay as has been their mode of procedure all along. We have been ready time after time only to be delayed just as often by the other side."

On good authority it has been learned that arrangements had been entered into by Mr. Clark and the counsel for Mrs. Drayton that forty-eight hours after Mrs. Drayton landed the examination should be begun. This time was further extended to four days by Mr. Clark and it was agreed that testimony should be taken in Bernardsville, N. J., on Jan. 28 before Special Master in Chancery Herbert Knight, of Newark. Of course these proceedings are now stopped by the order to show cause, granted by the vice-chancellor and which will be argued at chancery chambers in Newark on next Tuesday.

It is said that Mrs. Caroline Astor, mother of Mrs. Drayton, would be summoned to appear in the case and tell what she knew about it. It was also stated that she knew the true facts as intimated by her in letters written to Mr. Drayton and which he has in his possession. About a week ago, after the arrangement to take testimony had been made, Mr. Clark wrote to Mr. Shipman asking him if Mrs. Astor would come voluntarily to New Jersey. This fact, it is thought, displeased the friends of the defendant and the last step to further delay the suit was taken.

It is now said that the only reason that Mrs. Drayton has for contesting the suit brought against her by her husband is the hope that she will be given the custody of the children and thus she will again push into her former social rank. There are many people who believe, however, that her trip to this country is only a scheme to enlist sympathy and that she will return at once and never appear personally in the case at all.

BOURGEOIS GIVES UP.

President Faure Turns for Advice to Poincarre and Cavaignac.

Paris, Jan. 22.—MM. Peytral, Cavaignac, Poincarre and Barthou in a conference agreed that the political situation was such as to require the formation of a ministry of republican concentration, and they expressed the belief that M. Bourgeois was the man to lead such a cabinet.

But they also considered that an agreement would be more likely attained among men less definitely committed than themselves in financial matters, and they therefore requested M. Bourgeois to release them from their promises to accept portfolios in a cabinet over which he was to preside.

M. Bourgeois did so, and immediately afterward went to the Elysee palace, where he notified the president that he was compelled to renounce the task of attempting to form a ministry. M. Faure consulted with MM. Poincarre and Cavaignac last evening.

Major Goodspeed Dead.

Salt Lake, Utah, Jan. 22.—Major Henry Goodspeed, a native of Cape Cod, Mass., and a resident of this city for 35 years, is dead after a long illness. He was in the hardware business at Hartford, Conn., and wrote for eastern papers before coming here. He helped to establish Hammond Hall, an anti-Mormon institution here, and declined the governorship under President Garfield. He handled millions of mining money.

Gold Shipped to St. Johns.

New York, Jan. 22.—The Bank of Montreal, which has undertaken to reestablish international enchange in Newfoundland, and to bring order out of the monetary chaos there, shipped $100,000 gold to St. John's yesterday. The gold, like that exported to Europe, was withdrawn from the subtreasury in this city in exchange for legal tenders.

HAWAIIAN DISCUSSION

Debate Follows Mr. Lodge's New Resolution.

Senator Gray, of Delaware, Defends the Administration—The Chicago Public Building Bill Passed in the House After Several Amendments Had Been Accepted.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The senate entered promptly upon the discussion of the Hawaiian question—the minister from that young republic occupying one of the front seats in the diplomatic gallery, and being the most interested listener. The discussion was opened on a resolution offered by Mr. Lodge (rep., Mass.) approving the dispatch of a ship of war to the islands last Saturday, and expressing the opinion that one should be kept there for the present; favoring the construction of a submarine telegraph cable from San Francisco to Honolulu; and declaring that "steps should be taken to secure possession of the Sandwich islands by their annexation to the United States."

This resolution was objected to on the democratic side of the chamber and went over under the rule till today. But then the resolution on the same subject which Mr. Frye (rep., Me.) had offered on Saturday was taken up and was the text for an important debate which lasted until the close of the morning hour, when the matter again went over. In this debate the president of the United States and the course pursued by the administration in connection with the Hawaiian islands found an advocate and defender in Mr. Gray (dem., Del.), who asserted that the attitude of the administration had been in exact accordance with the time-honored precedents of the United States for a hundred years, and that the president had, amid much clamor and detraction, maintained the honor and fame of the country. The opposition of the question, was represented by Senators Frye (Maine), Lodge (Mass.) and Hawley (Conn.)

Mr. Frye made an effort to have a vote taken on his resolution but objection was made by Mr. Mills, (dem., Tex.) The subject, however, will come up again to-day.

The conference report on the urgent deficiency bill was also debated at length, and finally the senate voted to recede from its amendments on the subject of the income tax, and to leave the bill, in that respect, the same as it came from the house. An arrangement was made by unanimous consent for a vote on the Nicaraguan canal bill at 5 p. m., on Friday next; and then the senate adjourned.

House of Representatives.

The recent Hawaiian revolution was not aired in the house through the medium of Mr. Boutelle's resolution which he offered on Saturday. Late in the afternoon, at a time when all the spectators who had taken seats in the galleries expecting to witness some lively debate over the resolution, had gone away disappointed, Mr. Boutelle endeavored to bring the matter before the house, but democratic protests and the point of "no quorum," finally forced an adjournment until to-day.

The major part of the day was given up to the consideration of a number of bills providing for public buildings in various cities. The Chicago public building bill was the subject of an interesting debate, Chairman Sayres of the committee on appropriations, leading the opposition to the measure on the contentions that the present building was not unsafe and inadequate as to space, as charged by the committee on public buildings and grounds, and that a new building could not be completed within the time fixed by the bill. Several amendments accepted by the committee on public buildings and grounds minimized these objections to some extent and the bill was finally passed by a vote of 179 to 51.

Bills were also passed for public buildings at Newport, Ky.; Brockton, Mass.; Paterson, N. J.; South Omaha, Neb.; Pottsville, Pa., and Cumberland, Md. These last named bills carry no appropriations.

Confirmed by the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The senate has confirmed the following postmaster nominations: New Hampshire—Wm. G. Hull, Plymouth. Massachusetts—Armina L. Evans, Ashburnham; Alfred Southworth, Braintree; John S. Fay, Marlboro; Matthew G. Smith, Abingdon; John I. Bryant, Fair Haven. Connecticut—James H. Fina, Jewett City; Herman Atwood, Stonington. Pennsylvania—George W. Esser, Mauch Chunk; Jacob F. Leidy, Spring City.

A Requisition for Rosenthal.

Baltimore, Jan. 22.—A dispatch from Pittsburg says requisition papers have been issued by Gov. Hastings for Aaron Rosenthal, now under arrest in this city for forgery. The prisoner, under the name of Simon Lehman operated his game of swindling by buying goods and offering bogus checks in payment.

Cyclone at Covington.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 22.—A cyclone struck Covington yesterday morning, blew off the top of the court house and demolished a dozen residences and a score of barns and outhouses. The damage is $50,000. No lives were lost.

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FOUR BOLD BURGLARS.

Masked Men Enter a House in the Suburbs of Baltimore.

Baltimore, Jan. 22.—Four masked burglars visited Pikesville, a suburb of this city, and entered the house of A. Watts who they thought had in his possession $2,400, money he had recently received from the sale of some property. Each of the desperadoes had two pistols. The Watts family, husband, wife and five children were "rounded up" and marshalled in one room. The husband fired a pistol point blank and at close range at one of the men but the ball missed its mark as just as the pistol exploded one of the gang struck Watts in the head from behind, felling him.

The thieves used all their persuasion and then torture to get Watts to tell where his money was hidden but he assured them that they had struck the wrong house. They visited every room in the place, Watts' store adjoining where each thief fitted himself out in a new suit, hat and shoes. Then they returned to Watts' parlor and three of them had a dance, while one played an accompaniment on the mandolin.

The robbers finally left and visited several other houses in the neighborhood with more or less success and then disappeared. Lynching parties are now on the hunt.

TO RELIEVE CAPTAIN SCHLEY.

Commander Snow To Take Charge of the Third Lighth use District.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Captain Winfield Scott Schley, is to be detached from duty as inspector of the third lighthouse district, which includes New York harbor, and after March 1, this important position will be filled by Commander Albert Sidney Snow, who has been detailed as assistant to Captain Schley until the date of relieving him.

Commander Snow bears a very high reputation in the navy. He has had active service on all the foreign stations and has commanded several vessels of the coast survey.

Captain Schley will go on waiting orders for some time until a ship is ready for him to assume command.

POSTMASTER COBBS' ARREST.

Circumstances of His Incarceration by Turkish Officials.

London, Jan. 22.—The Daily News correspondent in Constantinople gives the circumstances of Postmaster Cobb's arrest there by the Turkish officials. The Turkish police arrested one of his letter carriers named Osgan, an Armenian, whom they accused of trying to pass a bad half-penny.

They handcuffed him, beat him and started him for jail. When Mr. Cobb protested, he, too, was taken in charge and was locked up with his employe.

The Mornig Post confirms this version of the incident, adding that Mr. Cobb has laid the matter before the British embassy.

A FEMALE DESPERADO.

Arrested for Committing Highway Robbery in Jersey City.

Jersey City, Jan. 22.—Jessie Lewis, 26 years old, colored, has been arrested in New York on a warrant charging her with highway robbery.

The woman is accused by Frank Thiel, of this city, with striking him on the head with a billy and then robbing him of $8, while he was walking along Railroad avenue here, three weeks ago.

After the robbery the woman left the city, and on Thursday she had her trunks removed to 26th street, New York. In this way the detectives learned here whereabouts.

BLOODLESS DUEL.

Two Masters of Ceremonies Meet on the Field of Honor.

Berlin, Jan. 22.—It is reported that a duel has been fought between Leberecht von Kotze and Baron von Schrader, masters of the ceremony at the Prussian court. No blood was shed.

Von Kotze will be remembered as the official who was brought so prominently before the public by allegations that he was the author of a series of anonymous letters and postal cards which were addressed last year to members of the highest aristocracy. The identity of the real culprit has never been clearly established.

CARRY THEIR OWN MAIL.

Cedar Rapids Citizens Boycott Their Postmaster.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Jan. 22.—The postmaster at Geneva, in Franklin county, has incurred the displeasure of the majority of the people of that town, and they have declared a boycott against him. They refused to mail letters at the postoffice, and have been mailing them on the trains.

The government was apprised of the fact, and the clerks running through the town were instructed not to receive mail on the trains. The people are now carrying their own mail to Hampton.

To Pay for Howe's Invention.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The house committee on claims has ordered a favorable report on the senate bill appropriating $66,997 to pay the legal representatives of John C. Howe, of Massachusetts, for use of cartridges by the United States, of the invention of Howe.

The Gold Reserve.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The treasury gold reserve declined again yesterday, standing at the close of business at $69,963,117. The amount taken out at New York, was $700,000, of which $600,000 was for export.

Balloting in Delaware.

Dover, Del., Jan. 22.—The eighth ballot for senator was taken by the legislature in joint session yesterday, resulting: Higgins, 10; Addicks, 6; Massey, 3; Wolcott (dem.), 8; Tunnell (dem.), 1.

Sands Point Light.

New York, Jan. 22.—The beacon on Sands Point was lighted last night for the first time since Oct. 21. Three vessels have been wrecked on the rocks since the light was discontinued.

Murderer Hampton To Die Monday.

Sing Sing, N. Y., Jan. 22.—It was announced at the Sing Sing prison last night that David Hampton, the colored murderer will be electrocuted Monday.

LIFE WAS A BURDEN.

A Pain-Racked Sufferer Tells an Interesting Story—How He Was Tortured for Years and Finally Cured by Munyon's Remedy.

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"Who can he be?" thought I, as I watched my companion in the second-class carriage of the London & Dover railway.

I had been so full of the fact that my long-expected holiday had come at last, and that for a few days at least the gayeties of Paris were about to supersede the dull routine of the hospital wards, that we were well out of London before I observed that I was not alone in the compartment. In these days we have all pretty well agreed that "three is company and two is none" upon the railway. At the time I write of, however, people were not so morbidly sensitive about their traveling companions. It was rather an agreeable surprise to me to find that there was some chance of whiling away the hours of a tedious journey. I therefore pulled my cap down over my eyes, took a good look from beneath it at my vis-a-vis, and repeated to myself: "Who can he be?"

I used rather to pride myself on being able to spot a man's trade or profession by a good look at his exterior. I had the advantage of studying under

CAPTAIN WILKIE.

a master of the art, who used to electrify both his patients and his clinical classes by long shots, sometimes at the most unlikely of pursuits; and never very far from the mark. "Well, my man," I have heard him say: "I can see by your fingers that you play some musical instrument for your livelihood, but it is a rather curious one—something quite out of my line." The man afterwards informed us that he earned a few coppers by blowing "Rule Britannia" on a coffee pot, the spout of which was pierced to form a rough flute. Though a novice in the art, I was still able to astonish my ward companions on occasion, and I never lost an opportunity of practicing. It was not mere curiosity, then, which led me to lean back on the cushions and analyze the quiet, middle-aged man in front of me.

I used to do the thing systematically, and my train of reflections ran somewhat in this wise: "General appearance, vulgar, fairly opulent and extremely self-possessed—looks like a man who could outchaff a bargee, and yet be at his ease in middle-class society. Eyes well set together and nose rather prominent—would be a good long-range marksman. Cheeks flabby, but the softness of expression redeemed by a square-cut jaw and a well-set lower lip. On the whole, a powerful type. Now for the hands—rather disappointed there. Thought he was a self-made man by the look of him, but there is no callous in the palm and no thickness at the joints. Has never been engaged in any real physical work, I should think. No tanning on the backs of the hands; on the contrary, they are very white, with blue projecting veins and long, delicate fingers. Couldn't be an artist with that face, and yet he has the hands of a man engaged in delicate manipulations. No red acid spots upon his clothes, no ink stains, no nitrate of silver marks upon the hands (this helps to negative my half-formed opinion that he was a photographer). Clothes not worn in any particular part. Coat made of tweed, and fairly old; but the left elbow, as far as I can see it, has as much of the fluff left on as the right, which is seldom the case with men who do much writing. Might be a commercial traveler, but the little pocketbook in the waistcoat is wanting, nor has he any of those handy valises, suggestive of samples."

I give these brief headings of my ideas merely to demonstrate my method of arriving at a conclusion. As yet I had obtained nothing but negative results; but now, to use a chemical metaphor, I was in a position to pour off this solution of dissolved possibilities and examine the residue. I found myself reduced to a very limited number of occupations. He was neither a lawyer nor a clergyman, in spite of a soft felt hat, and a somewhat clerical cut about the necktie. I was wavering now between pawnbroker and horse-dealer; but there was too much character about his face for the former; and he lacked that extraordinary equine atmosphere which hangs about the latter even in his hours of relaxation; so I formed a provisional diagnosis of betting man of methodistical persuasions, the latter clause being inserted in deference to his hat and necktie.

Pray, do not think that I reasoned it out like this in my own mind. It is only now, sitting down with pen and paper, that I can see the successive steps. As it was, I had formed my conclusion within sixty seconds of the time when I drew my hat down over my eyes and uttered the mental ejaculation with which my narrative begins.

I did not feel quite satisfied even then with my deduction. However, as a leading question would—to pursue my chemical analogy—act as my litmus paper, I determined to try one. There was a Times lying by my companion, and I thought the opportunity too good to be neglected.

"Do you mind my looking at your paper?" I asked.

"Certainly, sir, certainly," said he most urbanely, handing it across.

I glanced down its columns until my eye rested upon the list of the latest betting.

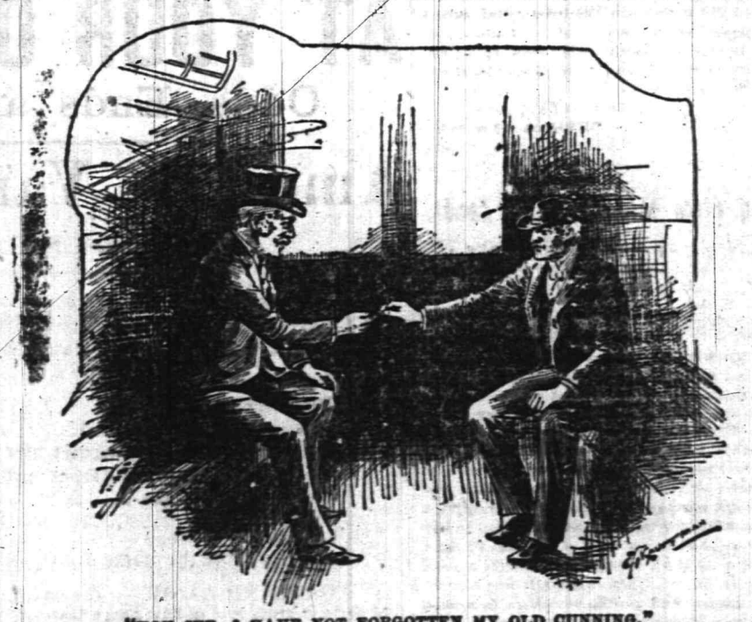
"Hullo!" I said. "they are laying odds upon the favorite for the Cambridgeshire. But perhaps," I added, looking up, "you are not interested in these matters?"

"Snares, sir!" said he violently; "wiles of the enemy! Mortals are but given a few years to live, how can they squander them so! They have not even an eye to their poor worldly interests," he added in a quieter tone, "or they would never back a single horse at such short odds with a field of thirty."

There was something in this speech of his which tickled me immensely. I suppose it was the odd way in which he blended religious intolerance with worldly wisdom. I laid the Times aside with the conviction that I should be able to spend the next two hours to better purpose than in its perusal.

"You speak as if you understood the matter, at any rate," I remarked.

"Yes, sir," he answered; "few men in England understood these things better in the old days before I changed my



"YOU SEE, I HAVE NOT FORGOTTEN MY OLD CUNNING."

profession. But that is all over now."

"Changed your profession?" said I, interrogatively.

"Yes; I changed my name, too."

"Indeed?" said I.

"Yes; you see, a man wants a real fresh start when his eyes become opened, so he has a new deal all round, so to speak. Then he gets a fair chance."

There was a short pause here, as I seemed to be on delicate ground in touching on my companion's antecedents, and he did not volunteer any information. I broke the silence by offering him a cheroot.

"No, thanks," said he; "I have given up tobacco. It was the hardest wrench of all, was that. It does me good to smell the whiff of your weed. Tell me," he added, suddenly, looking hard at me with his shrewd gray eyes, "why did you take stock of me so carefully before you spoke?"

"It is a habit of mine," said I. "I am a medical man, and observation is everything in my profession. I had no idea you were looking."

"I can see without looking," he answered. "I thought you were a detective, at first; but I couldn't recall your face at the time I knew the force."

"Were you a detective, then?" said I.

"No," he answered, with a laugh; "I was the other thing—the detected, you know. Old scores are wiped out now, and the law cannot touch me, so I don't mind confessing to a gentleman, like yourself, what a scoundrel I have been in my time."

"We are none of us perfect," said I.

"No; but I was real out-and-outer. A 'fake,' you know, to start with, and afterwards a 'cracksman.' It is easy to talk of these things now, for I've changed my spirit. It's as if I was talking of some other man, you see."

"Exactly so," said I. Being a medical man I had none of that shrinking from crime and criminals which many men possess. I could make all allowances for congenital influence and the force of circumstances. No company, therefore, could have been more acceptable to me than that of the old malefactor; and as I sat puffing at my cigar, I was delighted to observe that my air of interest was gradually loosening his tongue.

"Yes; I'm converted now," he continued, "and of course I am a happier man for that. And yet," he added wistfully, "there are times when I long for the old trade again, and fancy myself strolling out on a cloudy night with my jimmy in my pocket. I left a name behind me in my profession, sir. I was one of the old school, you know. It was very seldom that we bungled a job. We used to begin at the foot of the ladder, the rope ladder, if I may say so, in my younger days, and then work our way up, step by step, so that we were what you might call good men all through."

"I see," said I.

"I was always reckoned a hard-working, conscientious man, and had talent, too—the very cleverest of them allowed that. I began as a blacksmith, and then did a little engineering and carpentering, and then I took to sleight-of-hand tricks, and then to picking pockets. I remember, when I was home on a visit, how my poor old father used to wonder why I was always hovering around him. He little knew that I used to clear everything out of his pockets a dozen times a day, and then replace them, just to keep my hand in. He believes to this day that I am in an office in the city. There are few of them could touch me in that particular line of business, though."

"I suppose it is a matter of practice?" I remarked.

"To a great extent. Still, a man never quite loses it, if he has once been an adept—excuse me; you have dropped some cigar ash on your coat," and he waved his hand politely in front of my breast, as if to brush it off. "There," he said, handing me my gold scarf pin, "you see I have not forgot my old cunning yet."

He had done it so quickly that I hardly saw the hand whisk over my bosom, nor did I feel his fingers touch me, and yet there was the pin glittering in his hand. "It is wonderful," I said as I fixed it again in its place.

"Oh, that's nothing? But I have been in some really smart jobs. I was in the gang that picked the new patent safe. You remember the case. It was guaranteed to resist anything; and we managed to open the first that was ever issued, within a week of its appearance. It was done with graduated wedges, sir, the first so small that you could hardly see it against the light, and the last strong enough to prize it open. It was a clever managed affair."

"I remember it," said I. "But surely some one was convicted for that?"

"Yes, one was nabbed. But he didn't split, nor even let on how it was done. We'd have cut his soul out if—" He suddenly damped down the very ugly fires which were peeping from his eyes. "Perhaps I am boring you, talking about these old wicked days of mine?"

"On the contrary," I said, "you interest me extremely."

"I like to get a listener I can trust. It's a sort of blow-off, you know, and I feel lighter after it. When I am among my brethren I dare hardly think of what has gone before. Now, I'll tell you about another job I was in. To this day, I cannot think about it without laughing."

I lit another cigar, and composed myself to listen.

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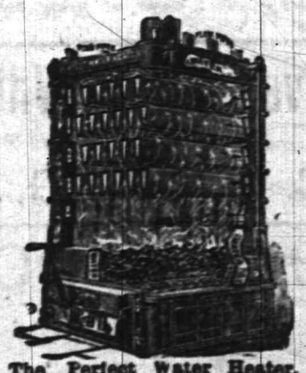

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DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mr. Smith of South Orange spent Sunday with I. W. Laing.

Mrs. Robert Marshall of Paterson spent Sunday with Mrs. C. D. Taylor.

Some exceptionally good games of amateur bowling were rolled on Taylor's alleys Saturday night.

The Dunellen boys will bowl a game with an Elizabeth team next Saturday night on Taylor's alleys.

T. W. Sisty has presented C. D. Taylor with a fine selection of mounted birds.

G. E. Lowrie went to his business in New York Saturday for the first time in a week. He has recovered from the grip.

A. S. Giles spent Monday in New York city.

Ursula Leach joined the M. E. Church on probation Sunday morning.

A. G. Warden went to New Brunswick on official business yesterday.

Paul Kratzel rented his store to Chinese laundrymen yesterday. It will be occupied in a few day.

William Leach is suffering from a severe attack of dropsy.

F. H. Gise visited Brooklyn yesterday.

Wm. J. Hamilton, Jr., was in town Sunday.

One of our belles is the recipient of a beautiful diamond ring. Her friends claim it is an engagement ring.

At the church sociable given at the residence of Alva Gray a few nights ago, the Rev. A. I. Martine introduced a new game, which caused considerable amusement for those present.

Elmer Giddis has returned from a visit with Plainfield friends.

Wm. Craig and Mr. and Mrs. George Craig spent Sunday in New York city.

Mrs. Morgan Turton and daughter of Plainfield spent Sunday with Mrs. Wm. Craig.

Miss Annie Chamberlain and Miss Annie Strouble of Plainfield are the guests of Miss Della Fritz of North avenue.

Mrs. Thomas J. Todd of High street is quite ill.

Miss Lulu Gise is suffering with a severe sore throat.

Fred Shaefer made great time in bringing a load of hay from Sewaren to this place Friday. He consumed twelve hours.

Frank Tinsman is at home ill with the grip.

Charles Johnson is out after ten-days illness.

Fred Wilcox was out Sunday after several days of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Frederick spent Sunday with relatives in Somerville.

Mrs. C. H. Rugg of Plainfield spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer.

Isaac W. Laing who returned Saturday from a business trip to Northern New Jersey, says the sleighing up there is excellent.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Winges at 126 Hudson street, Hoboken.

The Land Improvement Company are putting cinders upon the walks, fronting their property in the brrough

The Misses Palmer have returned from a visit to New York city,

Rev. Joseph Beers officiated in a Brooklyn pulpit Sunday.

Robert Craig looked out of his back window Sunday morning just in time to see Chris. Hufi's goat in the act of swallowing the last one of his Sunday overshoes. The animal had eaten up two rose bushes, besides all of the tin cans and other delicacies about the place. Craig confronted the animal with a good horsewhip and they had a lively chase. They ran around the house several times, and finally the goat brought up in the rear of Craig and a lively time followed. He says he has looked for wings to sprout, but this time he felt horns sure. No one was hurt.

J. H. Cramer and family are spending a few days visiting friends in the city.

The electric lights in the borough have been a source of complaint for the last few months. The commissioners as well as the merchants are thoroughly out of patience with them, and undoubtedly another company will supply the light next year. Walter Smith proposes to furnish power for fifteen or more lamps, and what he does not use himself will be taken by other merchants. Saturday night the lights were out, and merchants who usually keep open late were obliged to resort to their oil lamps.

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George Titsworth is welcomed out again after his long illness.

Dr. M. S. Simpson of Liberty street is a victim of influenza.

S. L. Dollner of 831 Madison avenue has returned from New York.

Miss Lulu Perrin of Grant avenue is slowly recovering from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Harold Serrell of Plainfield avenue has joined the First Baptist church choir as a soprano.

D. L. Gulick of West Front street is confined to his home with a severe attack of quinzy sore throat.

George, 2-months-old son of W. F. Fulper, is ill with bronchitis. Dr. D. C. Adams is in attendance.

Henry and Charlotte Moore of East Sixth street, who have been ill with the grip, are now fully recovered.

James Hewitt of West Third street is spending several months in Trenton, representing the plumbing business of D. W. Littell.

Miss Cora Laire of East Fifth street, who has been slowly recovering from a severe cold, was taken very ill with the grip yesterday.

Miss Mattie Covert of LaGrande avenue entertained a number of her friends at her home last evening. Whist was enjoyed, after which a collation was served.

Mrs. E. A. Parse of Grove street leaves for Knoxville, Tenn., tomorrow evening on the Royal Blue Line, to visit her brother, J. H. Honeyman, for the remainder of the Winter.

The Bowers-Banks bridal party held a rehearsel last evening in Grace church and later adjourned to the Union County Country Club, where an elaborate dinner was served.

N. Carmen Dunn of West Philadelphia made a flying visit to Plainfield last evening to see his mother, who has been threatened with pneumonia but is now much better.

Philip Crosman, formerly in the employ of the cigar manufacturer Braham of North avenue, died Sunday evening at Raritan, where he was employed by Joseph Miller. Decedent was in his fifty-ninth year.

Miss Maibelle Force of West Fourth street returned from a very pleasant visit with her friend Miss M. Alice MacDonald of Jersey City Heights. While there she was one of a theatre party at the Lyceum Theatre, New York.

Judge William A. Coddington, who has been confined to his apartments in the City Hotel for the last three weeks with an attack of the grip, ventured out this morning attracted by the beautiful blue sky and the bright sunshine.

The death occurred last night of Mrs Ann Johns Rowland, widow of John C. Cox, at the home of Mrs. G. Wharton Edwards. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from her late residence 345 Franklin place.

Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, jr., who is a sufferer from the grip, will be greatly missed at the Bal Poudre given by the Park Club this evening. Mr. Hegeman, jr., is out today for the first time after a protracted attack of the same unpleasant malady.

Miss Bertha LaRue of West Fourth street, when leaving the High School building yesterday, slipped on the ice and fell, striking on her elbow and side. Although not seriously injured, her elbow for several hours painfully reminded its owner that it was there.

Mrs. Kelly and Miss Beekman, both of Edsall's Commercial Palace, have been forced to remain at home because of the grip. Harry Jenkins, who has been absent for the past ten days from the same cause, is at his accustomed post once more.

—A supper and musical entertainment will be given in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed Church Thursday and Friday evenings of this week. The supper will be served from 6 to 8, and the musical entertainment follows. Go there for supper instead of going home and then stay and hear good singing and instrumental music.

Gov. Werts this morning appointed Nelson Y. Dungan of Montgomery township as Prosecutor for Somerset County. Mr. Dungan is a practicing lawyer before the Somerset bar and has an office on Main street, Somerville, over Case's drug store. The appointment will give the greatest satisfaction to all residents of the county irrespective of politics. Mr. Dungan is a Democrat.

—Money is timid, and cash is shy, but the ladies will find ways of using both boldly at Peck's.

LINEMEN ON STRIKE.

A New Feature of the Situation in Brooklyn.

The strike situation was materially changed in Brooklyn this morning by the action of the linemen. The District Assembly of which they are members met at half-past eight and after a short session ordered a strike of its members. The linemen who had been out repairing wires took back their trucks to the depots and stopped work. This leaves the companies in a worse position than yesterday, for breaks in the wires cannot now be repaired until new operators are secured, and it will be necessary to hire electricians at once.

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Webster Grant and George Belcher saved the Crescent from serious damage, if not from total destruction last evening, about 10. As they were returning home from the Salvation Army meeting their attention was attracted by a bright light in the cellar of the Crescent building, and promptly breaking in the bulkhead and rushing into the basement, found a table blazing from a candle, the drippings from which had run over the top and caught as the candle burned out. Their timely discovery prevented what would doubtless have proved a serious conflagration.

—Inventor Hallihan of the rubber horseshoes today visited Plainfield and greatly praised the shoeing done on the fire department horses by blacksmith Flannery.

—F. L. C. Martin has discarded the Columbia bicycle agency, and henceforth represents the Clevelands and Crescents, which he claims are better machines.

—The row of seven houses on New street between Sixth and Seventh streets built by the Marshall estate were completed yesterday. City water was turned on today by I. McVoy who had charge of the plumbing work.

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt.

of Nos 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
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Worth from 30 to 60c.

Only two quires to each customer.

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

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Our entire stock of Winter Dress Goods must go at once.

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Our 85c and $1 fine all wool serges, diagonals, Stephanas, henriettas, etc., go now at 55c
One lot of fine Covert Cloth, 52 inches wide, at 65c
One lot China silk, 30 inches wide at 50c ..... value 69c
Teazle Down Wrappers $1.25 to $2, now 88c. $1. $1.42 and $2
Fur Capes at cost or less.

Special Sale of Muslins and Sheetings Now On.

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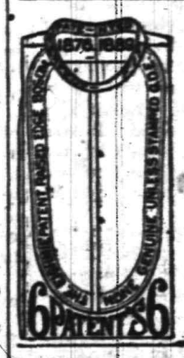

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Odds, Ends and Remnants.

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We find, after stock taking, several styles of Bedroom Suits, Parlor Suits and different patterns of Carpets that we do not intend to keep any more, and we will close them out at nearly your own price.

Parlor suits $20
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Brussels carpet, per yard 50cts
Extra super ingrain carpet, per yard 50cts
Cotton chain ingrain carpet, per yard 25cts
Good bed lounges $7
Parlor stoves ..... at your own price.

Note the name Amos before entering the store.

PORTLAND RANGES—The leading range in the city, and we will wager $25 that that there is more sold of that range than any other in the city. Why? Simply because it is the cheapest. Cheapest because it is the best; good baker, good draught and several improvements connected with it make it the most complete range manufactured. Easy terms.

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Oil Heater Stoves,

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10 piece toilet sets decorated $1.25.

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LOVE AND PROPOSALS.

How Men and Women Act In This Interesting Juncture.

There is a clever statistician who could teach a thing or two to the novelist. This statistician has attempted to classify the action and methods of proposals, and as a result has presented tabulated figures extremely interesting to psychologists. Out of 100 cases 36 gentlemen take lady in arms, 67 gentlemen kiss lady on lips, four gentlemen kiss lady on cheek, three gentlemen show very good taste by kissing lady on eyes, and two gentlemen kiss lady on hand. It is to be presumed these two out of 100 are the timid, diffident kind, though it is possible that they might be of the quietly sentimental nature. One gentleman kisses lady on nose. It must be added that the statistician is careful to insert the saving clause of "by mistake."

There is even a record of a man kissing a lady on edge of shawl, but, thank goodness, there is only one in 100, and the chances are that this man is peculiar.

Seventy-two hold lady's hand, 17 hold it very tightly, 14 have lumps in their throats, and nine exclaim aloud, "Thank God!" Only seven out of 100 declare themselves to be deliriously happy, and five are too full for utterance. Three out of 100 stand on one foot when they make proposal, and two go down on one knee, while nine make a formal prelude—something like the slow music at the play, we suppose, when the villain appeals to heaven to witness the consuming flame of his affection for the heart he plots to ruin, etc.

The behavior of the lady under the circumstances is equally entertaining and instructive. Out of 100 cases 81 sink into the arms of gentlemen, 68 rest their heads on gentleman's breast, and only one sinks into the arms of a chair. Eleven clasp their arms around the gentleman's neck, six weep tears of joy silently, and 44 weep tears aloud—whatever that means. Seventy-two have eyes full of love, and nine out of 100 rush from the room to tell somebody. Only four are greatly surprised, and 87 of 100 knew that something was coming. Five giggle hysterically, and one even sneezes. Only one of 100 struggles not to be kissed, while six kiss gentleman first. If we believe the statistician, one out of 100 women will say, "Yes, but don't be a fool."—Philadelphia Times.

ABLE TO TRANSFER LUNACY.

Uncanny Result of an Experiment In Hypnotism Made by a Paris Doctor.

A series of very wonderful experiments which have just been concluded by Dr. Luys of Paris, whose observations and discoveries in connection with magnetism and electricity in relation to hypnotism made a profound impression upon the scientific world some time ago, has led to a remarkable result. The latest discovery establishes the fact that cerebral activity can be transferred to a crown of magnetized iron, in which the activity can be retained and subsequently passed on to a second person. Incredible as this may seem, Dr. Luys has proved its possibility by the experiments just referred to.

He placed the crown, which in reality is only a circular band of magnetized iron, on the head of a female patient suffering from melancholia, with a mania for self destruction, and with such success was the experiment attended that within a fortnight the patient could be allowed to go free without danger, the crown having absorbed all her marked tendencies.

About two weeks afterward he put the same crown, which meanwhile had been carefully kept free from contact with anything else, on the head of a male patient suffering from hysteria, complicated by frequent recurrent periods of lethargy. The patient was then hypnotized and immediately conducted himself after the manner of the woman who had previously worn the crown. Indeed he practically assumed her personality and uttered exactly the same complaints as she had done. Similar phenomena have, it is reported, been observed in the case of every patient experimented upon. Another experiment showed that the crown retained the impression acquired until it was made red-hot.—London Telegraph.

Seedless Fruits and Vegetables.

Writers often express wonder that any fruit or vegetable should be found without seeds, the acme of surprise seeming to be with respect to the seedless orange. The fact of the case is that such examples are met with in almost every variety of fruits and in several kinds of vegetables. An instance which can be cited in the apple is Mennecher's Nocore, so named because of both "core" and seed pits being entirely absent.

The Rutter pear is a so called seedless variety of that species of fruit, but I believe that abortive seeds are occasionally found in isolated specimens. The "zante," or seedless currant of the grocery stores, is not a currant at all, but a small species of seedless grape.—St. Louis Republic.

A Clever Dog.

Mr. Stacy Marks' anecdote of the money finding dog, which he attributes to Landseer, is a very prince among all stories of the kind. The dog's master, in the presence of a skeptical friend, hid a £5 note in the bole of a tree when the dog was paying him no attention. "Go, fetch!" he said, some time afterward, while returning by another road, without further explanation.

The dog trotted off, and it was a few hours before he joined the two at home. As there were no signs of a note, the skeptical friend grew satirical. But the host opened the dog's mouth, and 5 sovereigns were concealed under his tongue. He had found the note, been to the banker's and exchanged it for gold.—Spectator.

Clean Sweep.

"I don't see why they say the De Spug girls got their beauty from their mother."

"They probably took all there was."—Detroit Tribune.

EUGENE FIELD INTERVIEWED.

That Is, He Fired Talk For Nine Minutes at a Reporter.

Eugene Field, the humorous poet, famous for his beautiful children's verse, I was told, had just come in from Chicago and would be at the Authors' club that night. I reached the Authors' club about 10 o'clock and learned that Field had gone.

"Where?"

"To Washington."

"What train?"

"Eleven o'clock."

I was in Jersey City and in that train at 10:50.

"Whip out your notebook and write for all you're worth," said Mr. Field, throwing himself and his bag in the seat. "You've only nine minutes. Time enough, though, for two uneventful biographies like mine."

"Never mind that. You're fond of the quaint and curious, Mr. Field. What'r' your fads, pets and so on?"

"Well, listen for your life now. I'm fond of dogs, birds and all small pets. My favorite flower is the carnation. My favorites in fiction are Hawthorne's 'Scarlet Letter,' 'Don Quixote' and 'Pilgrim's Progress.' I believe in ghosts, in witches and in fairies. I should like to own a big astronomical telescope and a 24 tune music box. I adore dolls. I dislike 'politics,' so called. I should like to have the privilege of voting extended to women. I am unalterably opposed to capital punishment. I favor a system of pensions for noble services in literature, art, science, etc. I approve of compulsory education. I believe in churches and schools. I hate wars, armies, soldiers, guns and fireworks. I do not care particularly for sculpture or for painting. I try not to become interested in them, for the reason that if I were to cultivate a taste for them I should presently become hopelessly bankrupt. I dislike all exercises, and I play games very indifferently. I love to read in bed. I am extravagantly fond of perfumes. My favorite color is red. I am a poor diner, and I drink no wines or spirits of any kind, nor do I smoke tobacco. I dislike crowds, and I abominate functions. I am 6 feet in height and have shocking taste in dress, but I like to have well dressed people about me. I do not love all children. I have tried to analyze my feelings toward children, and I think I discover that I love them in so far as I can make pets of them. I believe that, if I live, I shall do my best literary work when I am a grandfather."

"And how did you become a humorist, Mr. Field?" I asked, while the porter besought me with tears in his eyes to leave the train before it started.

"Oh, they're not made. They're born."

"All aboard!" And Eugene Field was gone.—Demorest's Magazine.

Missouri 40,000 Years Hence.

According to the engineers of the hydrographic bureau, the level of the gulf of Mexico is one foot higher than it was in 1859, and, of course, the encroachment on the surrounding coasts has been greater or less, pending on their character. In some places, where the marginal lands are composed of high, rocky bluffs, this change of level has gone on from year to year without attracting attention. On the other hand, many low lying points (some that were once inhabited by the primitive inhabitants or by the pioneer white settlers), are entirely submerged. The cause of this change of level has not as yet been ascertained, but it is reasonably certain that it is the result of either a settling of the dry land or of a general and uniform rising or upheaval in the gulf bed. No man who has given the matter a moment's thought will argue that there is more water in the gulf now than there was 35 years ago. On the contrary, there isn't the least doubt but that there is much less. However this may be, if this aqueous encroachment is steadily maintained, Keokuk will be a deep water harbor and St. Louis and the whole of Missouri will be entirely submerged in less than 40,000 years from Jan. 1, 1895.—St. Louis Republic.

On Reading.

To sit down in a chair without an object is to jump into a thicket of temptations. A vacant hour is always the devil's hour. When time hangs heavy, the wings of the spirit flap heavily and slow. Then it is that a book is a strong tower, nay, a very church, with angels lurking among the leaves as if they were so many niches. Reading helps to make conversation harmless, by making it less petty and censorious, by furnishing us with other topics than our neighbors' faults and foibles. It is very hard for a person who does not like reading to talk much in company without sinning. Furthermore, a taste for reading often hinders our taking the wrong side in practical questions which are mooted in the world, but bear upon the church. It does this either by the information it has enabled us to obtain on the subject itself, or by making our instincts accurate and sensitive through our familiarity with right principles.—Faber.

Both Wicked.

"My husband," said the large, fleshy lady, "has a habit of marking paragraphs in the paper that say mean things about women."

"So you will not fail to see them, eh? Still that is not as mean a trick as mine plays. He cuts them all out. Then I have to get another paper only to find that I have been fooled again."—Indianapolis Journal.

Latest In Biscuit.

Mistress—You broke my Sevres plate. You are discharged. How did you break it?

Servant—I carelessly dropped one of the biscuits you made yesterday on it.—Woonsocket (R. I.) Reporter.

Grains of wheat have been found in the sun dried bricks of Egypt and Nineveh, dating from at least B. C. 3300.

Espiritu Santo, the name of a Texas bay, means Holy Spirit.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will hold their regular meeting this evening, at which time it is expected that important business will be considered.

—The Hall Boy, the monthly newspaper of Nazareth Hall, Nazareth, Pa., begins the new year in a more stylish form, with elegant cover and new dress of type. Its contents show superior ability on the part of contributors and editors, and the prosperous condition of its advertising columns is proof of its level-headed and enterprising business management.

Sage Jury Disagrees.

The third trial of Wm. B Laidlaw's suit against Russell Sage to recover $50,000 damages for intentionally using him as a shield from the dynamiter Norcross, resulted today in a disagreement of the jury.

The Polite British Waiter.

The extreme politeness of the average English waiter is a continual source of merriment.

He thanks you when he brings your soup, again when he brings your napkin, when he takes away your plate, when he happens to find you looking at him—in fact, he says, "Thank you," at every turn, and says it in such a jerky, mechanical fashion that you cannot repress a smile. His example is followed by the bus conductor, who thanks you for your fare and thanks you again when he hands you your ticket, and by the theater usher when he seats you, and by every servant you meet, in the most inappropriate manner. They overdo the "thank you" business, and always employ the same jerky manner and mechanical tone.—Chicago Record.

Budding Creatures.

Sea anemones and some other marine creatures of low degree increase their species by budding. A small knot or wart appears on the body of the animal, and by and by develops into a perfect, though minute animal of the same species, separates from its parent and sets up in business for itself.

A Tragic Complication.

"So you refuse me!" said Charley Callow bitterly.

"Of course," said the charming widow.

"Won't you even be a sister to me?"

"No. I'm engaged to marry your father. I'll be a mother to you."—Washington Star.

A pair of spectacles cost in the sixteenth century at least $5.50. It was fashionable to wear them, and the larger they were the better they were supposed to support the dignity of the wearer.

The swordfish does not use its terrible weapon as a dagger, but as a flail.

A NOBLE GIFT

PLACED IN A DAUGHTER'S HANDS

In Order That a Life's Work May Be Perpetuated.

(SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS)

It was an eventful day.

One of the noblest women of the age felt the weight of years upon her.

Her whole life had been given to one grand work, and her name was known throughout the civilized world.

Before her was a younger woman, and they were seated in the great "record room," where were stored many women's stories of sorrow and joy.

Letters by the thousands, together with great books of record, containing the important points of advice and treatment in special cases, were all about them.

The elder woman turned over the leaves and read:—

"I was sorely afflicted with chronic inflammation of the womb . . . . I am now well."

Turning over another page she read:—

"They said I was consumptive, and sent me away . . . But you opened my eyes to the truth, and through you I am well."

Another page and:—

". . . . Your remedy came to me with hope, then the truth dawned upon me. You saved my life, and I bless you continually."

Then the book was closed and placed in the hands of the younger woman.

"These are the records of my victories over the peculiar diseases of women. They give the history of each case, and how it was treated.

"I am growing old. Some day I must give up the effort, and I bequeath to you my life work for the physical salvation of women. Carry it forward that all may be cured."

The elder woman was *Lydia E. Pinkham*. The younger was her daughter, Mrs. Charles H. Pinkham, the one woman fully equipped to carry out the requirements of this noble legacy, not only by natural endowments, but from her knowledge through constant study and years of experience in assisting her mother in her voluminous correspondence and personal treatment of woman's diseases.

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DEATHS.

WILSON—Suddenly, in this city Monday, Jan. 21, 1895, May Hayden Taylor, daughter of the late Morgan B Taylor and wife of Edward Taylor Wilson

Funeral services at the residence of her mother, 10 Rockview Terrace, Wednesday, Jan 23, at 3 p. m. 2

COX—Entered into rest Monday night, Jan. 21, 1895, Ann Johns Rowland, widow of John C. Cox

Funeral services at her late residence, 385 Franklin place, Thursday, Jan. 24, at 2:30. Interment private. 2

ADVERTISED LETTERS,

January 21, 1895.

Blyth Mrs Sarah
Boyce C
Barry Edward
Brown Emma
Browne Miss M M
Cogger
Cain Delia 2
Clawson Geo
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Chapman Wm
Dewitt Mrs Mattie
DeLamontanye Bert
Davis Edith P
Drake Mrs Albert
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Excelsior M'f'g Co
Fashey Miss Addie
Gathright Lee J
Gartland John
Howard Mrs A W
Hewitt Miss M P
Hawkins Mrs Nellie
Hill Mrs Daniel
Haines Patrick
Harrison Margaret
Jefferson Mrs Jos Jr
Johnson Mrs M
Lindsey John
Miller Augustus C
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" " 29cts. " " 35c.
" " 31cts. " " 37c
" " 43cts. " " 49c
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SPECIALS:

Laundry Soap 3c. cake, Washing Powder, 3c. cake. Silexo, 4c. cake. Pearline ½lb. 4c package.

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NOTICE.

Concerning the matter of John Clacy, I wish to inform all interested that I have left for inspection at The Daily Press office photographs of Clacy and his wife, and of his three children, where they may be seen by all concerned. PATRICK O'KEEFE, 35 Somerset st.

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9x4 sheeting 16c.
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Ladies heavy ribbed vests - 25 cents
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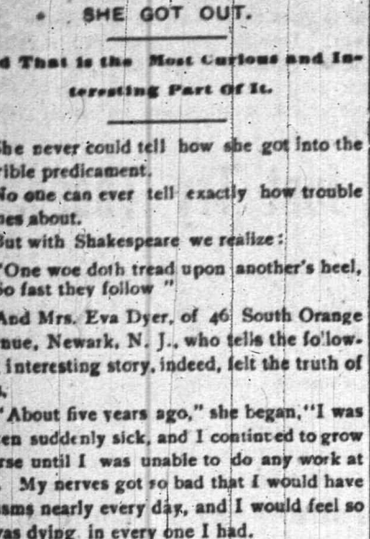

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Fighting Results from Attempts To Run Cars.

Volleys Fired by the Militia, But No One Hurt in the Fusilade—Cars Wrecked and Policemen Shot—Linemen May Help the Strikers—Incidents of the Day.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 22.—This morning dawned with a determination on the part of the railroad companies to operate the balance of their cars, and also with an equal determination on the part of the strikers to persuade the new men to leave the employ of the roads and join their ranks. The entire city yesterday was under martial law and the militia patrolled most of the streets operated by the railroads. All of the depots were guarded by soldiers and at the East New York car house the First Battery had its four cannons planted to command the four principal streets.

Police Commissioner Welles is very much incensed at the reports of inefficiency on the part of the police, and charges that they were aiding the strikers. He issued a manifesto asking for proofs of these charges and announced that he would dismiss any officer proven to be negligent in the discharge of his duty.

The common council took a hand in the trouble in the afternoon. They have been asked to pass resolutions calling upon the companies holding franchises for the operation of the surface lines to observe the conditions of their charters and furnish the public with transportation and accommodation forthwith or tell the public the reason why. The councilmen began a hearing on the subject at 2 p. m. Alderman Foyle introduced a resolution calling upon the legislators to amend the charter of the companies so as to increase the license fee of $20 per car to $100 per car.

Alderman Cohn introduced a resolution calling attention to the railroad tie-up, the inconvenience to the public, the bad effect on business and consequent damage to citizens. The resolution blames the railroad companies for this state of affairs, attributing it to their stubbornness and asks the board to express disapproval of the attitude and conduct of the railroad companies, and also calls for the examination of men who are to act as motormen. It requests that a license board of three persons be appointed to examine candidates for motormen, the board to consist of two members of the common council and one man to be appointed by the mayor. It also requests the legislature to take up the question of licenses.

During the afternoon many altercations occurred between the militia and police on the one side and the strikers on the other. The Seventh regiment was under fire for a few minutes before 6 o'clock last evening. Shots were fired from the crowd into the militia, and the soldiers in return fired over the heads of the mob. So far as known no one was injured.

Mrs. Josephine Zeigler, 69 years old, was run over by a car in the hands of a green motorman at Broadway and Hayward streets, and is in a serious condition. The motorman was arrested and locked up.

Police Officers Collins and De Gan were accidentally shot, supposed by Seventh regiment men, at Gates and Stuyvesant avenues, last evening. Their wounds are not serious.

Elmer P. Van Dyke, of No. 25 West 12th street, New York, a member of the Twelth regiment, fell from the *roof of an armory and sustained a* compound fracture of the skull.

Policemen Shackleton, Coolison and Burke were seriously injured by stones thrown from the roofs of houses last evening. Shackleton's skull was fractured.

A car on the Fifth avenue line started from Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street shortly after 4 o'clock. At about three blocks from the depot it was surrounded by a mob. A detachment of the Thirteenth regiment under Major Cochrane charged the mob with fixed bayonets and the crowd scattered. August Brown received a bayonet wound in the hip. He was taken to a neighboring drug store and was treated there, after which he went home.

At 6 o'clock last night a feed wire was cut on the Bergen street railroad between Rogers and Nostrand avenues. Patrolman Collins, who was riding on a car, saw four men run and gave chase. He arrested Edward Dugan, of 1,505 Dean street, who was recognized as a motorman on the Sackett street railroad.

At 6:15 o'clock a mob of over 1,000 men surrounded a Gates avenue car at Nostrand avenue. Sticks and stones were thrown and shots were fired by men in the crowd. The reserves from the Ninth precinct station house hurried to the scene. After some trouble and hard fighting in which three policemen were seriously injured the mob scattered.

There was a report at military headquarters at midnight that it had been decided if the cars were not in operation in the morning that the militia would be sent back to New York, and the city officials would take charge of the crowds.

It is stated this morning that the linemen are in sympathy with the strikers and may possibly refuse to mend the wires. This will seriously cripple the railroad companies.

All cars stopped running a little after midnight and quiet prevailed throughout the early morning.

Approved by the President.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The president has approved the recommendation of the commissioner of Indian affairs granting the Sisseton Sioux Indians $190,000, a portion of their principal, to be distributed per capita, to allow them to build houses, buy farming implements and to tide them over on account of the loss of their crops.

Mr. Foster at Yokohama.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster, who was selected several weeks ago by the Chinese government to assist the Chinese plenipotentiaries in their negotiations for peace with the Japanese government has arrived at Yokohama.

THE GING MURDER TRIAL.

Vague Hints on the Part of the Defense To Corrupt Jurors.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 22.—The trial of Harry T. Hayward for the murder of Catherine Ging, which opened before Judge Seagrave Smith, developed a sensation before the noon recess, and now there are vague hints of attempts on the part of the defense to corrupt the jurors.

W. W. Erwin, chief counsel for the defense, stated that he would summon a witness to prove that Juror Andrew Carlson had made prejudiced statements to a man at his house. The judge was apparently startled by the assertion.

"I want to say right here," said the judge in forcible tones, "that if any of the attorneys in this case have gone about looking up the jurors on this panel for the purpose of ascertaining their opinions in this case that is contempt of court, and they will be called to account for it as sure as I sit on this bench."

Attorney John D. Smith remarked "Allow me to say that the defence has been to the trouble of examining as it has a right to, the records of all the jurors on this panel, as to their habits, morals and means of life, in order——"

"You, sir, as an attorney of law know what I mean and what you have a right to do," exclaimed the court.

"But the court must understand," said Mr. Smith, "that we have done nothing of the kind."

"We will see about it later," said the court. "The court is adjourned."

After adjournment two jurors said that men had called at their houses to see them since they had been drawn on the jury.

TO BE REORGANIZED.

Second Avenue Surface To Be Transformed Into a Cable Road.

New York, Jan. 22.—S. H. G. Stewart has secured the control of the Second avenue surface railroad for a syndicate headed by J. & W. Seligman, Emerson McMillin, and Clark, Ward & Co. The company will be reorganized and bonds will be issued to transform the road into a cable road. A meeting will be held to-morrow at which details will be perfected.

The syndicate intends to put in a cable system and proposes to reorganize the company under a new organization, capitalized as follows: $7,500,000 first mortgage five per cent. bonds, $2,000,000 second mortgage five per cent. bonds and $6,500,000 of stock. Of the first mortgage bonds enough will be set aside to retire existing first mortgage bonds, about $1,900,000, and the balance will be offered to the public.

The new second mortgage bonds may be given to the contractors who will put in the cable system. Some of the new securities may also be used to acquire additional property.

CONNECTICUT EDITORS.

Their Association Meet in Annual Convention and Elect Officers.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 22.—The Connecticut Editorial association, consisting of editors of weekly papers, held its eighth annual meeting at the United States hotel with a large attendance. Officers were elected as follows:

President, S. J. Addis, Windsor Locks Journal; secretary and treasurer, W. A. Sharpe, Seymour Record; auditor, H. R. Hale, East Hartford Gazette; vice presidents, Hartford county, J. E. Beale, Berlin News; New Haven, C. Allis, Shore Line Times; Litchfield, George C. Woodruff, Litchfield Enquirer; Windham, F. P. White, Putnam Standard; Fairfield, J. O. Jones, Westport Westporter; Middlesex, H. J. Hammond, Deep River New Era; New London, G. M. Gurnsey, Mystic Press; Tolland, James S. Laughlin, Stafford Springs Press.

FOR WESTERN SUFFERERS.

Dr. Klopsch on His Way To Help Relieve Nebraska's Destitute.

New York, Jan. 22.—Dr. Louis Klopsch has started for Lincoln, Neb., where he will co-operate with the state relief committee in relieving the destitute farmers in the western counties of that state.

Dr. Klopsch will consult with Chairman P. P. Ludden, of the committee, and his associates, relative to the distribution among the sufferers of a fund of over $15,000, contributed through the Christian Herald, and about twenty carloads of coal, clothing, and supplies. Dr. Klopsch is confident that the relief fund, placed in his hands for distribution in this work will reach $25,000, part of which will be sent to the drouth stricken counties of Kansas.

Internal Revenue Collections.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Commissioner Miller has compiled the collections of internal revenue for the first half of the present fiscal year. The returns show the aggregate collections from all sources to have been $81,847,566, an increase for the corresponding period of 1894 of $8,919,971.

Sad Drowning Accident.

Mount Pleasant, Pa., Jan. 22.—Four little girls who were sliding on the ice at the Mount Pleasant Water company's pond, last evening, broke through. Anna Baker, 6 years of age, was drowned. The other three, children of Hiram Pritts, were almost exhausted when rescued.

Burge Won in the Third Round.

London, Jan. 22.—Dick Burge and Tom Williams of Australia fought at the National Sporting club last evening, at ten stone, for £200 a side. Burge won in the third round. The first and second rounds were stubbornly contested.

Employment for 5,000 Men.

Bellaire, O., Jan. 22.—The Riverside Iron works at Benwood, W. Va., for the first time in two years, have been placed in operation in all its departments, affording five thousand men employment.

Death of Francis Hathaway.

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 22.—Francis Hathaway, president of the Bank of Commerce and one of New Bedford's representative men, is dead, in his 66th year.

Italy Shaken Up Again.

Rome, Jan. 22.—Severe shocks of earthquake were felt at Reggio di Calabria, Messina and other places in the vicinity last evening.

CRASH IN BINGHAMTON

Examiner Clark Closes Two of Its Institutions.

The Merchants' Bank and the Firm of Erastus Ross & Son, Private Bankers, Suspend — Unfortunate Speculation and Depreciation of Real Estate the Causes.

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 22.—A Binghamton bank closed its doors for the first time in the history of the city. The insolvent institution is the Merchants' bank. This bank was organized by Erastus Ross, who is also interested in the private bank of Erastus Ross & Sons. This institution also closed its doors soon after the parent institution had drawn its curtains.

The startling announcement came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky, as the bank was believed to be as solid as any similar institution in the country and enjoyed the confidence of merchants and citizens.

State Bank Examiner B. S. W. Clark in the course of his routine work through the southern tier last week inspected the Merchants' bank, reporting daily to Charles M. Preston, state superintendent of banking. On Saturday a telegram from headquarters called Mr. Clark to Albany. There the condition of the bank was considered too serious to be allowed to continue. Mr. Clark returned on Sunday night with the necessary papers and instructions from the state superintendent of banks to take possession on Monday morning. Some of the bank directors, however, assured the examiner that the Ross paper would be secured as soon as the papers could be drawn and executed. Upon this consideration Examiner Clark permitted the bank to open and it continued until the same directors gave notice that the security would not be given. Mr. Clark then closed the doors upon Binghamton's first bank failure.

Between five and six hundred thousand dollars of the bank's funds belong to the depositors. This sum, it is confidently expected, will be paid in full.

Ten days ago Erastus Ross executed a mortgage in favor of the bank, which as been placed on record. This secures all his indebtedness to the institution. It covers the four-story brick block on the corner of Court and Water streets and the fine seven-story brick building on Court, adjoining State street. These are estimated by competent judges to be a good investment at $150,000, although at a forced sale, it is believed, could hardly realize that sum.

One of the officers said: "With these collateral securities, the assets are sufficient to cover all liability unless needlessly wasted in receivers' fees and shrinkage by enforced collections. With the Ross paper fully paid, all liabilities could be met without material impairment of the capital stock."

The attorney general will immediately apply for the appointment of a receiver. Until one is appointed and qualifies, Bank Examiner Clark will retain the custody of the bank's assets. The Merchants' bank was originally a national bank, but in 1891 reincorporated under the state banking laws. It is capitalized at $100,000, of which the Rosses hold $54,000, with a surplus of $85,000. The assets are stated to include $16,000 owed by nearby banks, as well as $50,000 in cash.

The private bank is not a state banking corporation, but conducts its business in much the same manner as an ordinary business firm. The depositors of this bank have a claim upon the individual members of the firm, but subservient to the demands of the Merchants' bank creditors.

Various causes are assigned for the catastrophe and each appears to have some foundation. Unfortunate speculations contributed their share. In the Rossville Cigar company a moderate fortune was sunk. The Binghamton Hydraulic Power company consumed considerably less, but the amount was nearly $60,000. The cigarmaker's strike in 1890 seriously affected many of the various enterprises of Mr. Ross, from which he never fully recovered. The depreciation in real estate values and personal property consequent upon the recent financial difficulties of the country was another cause. A goodly sum was expended toward the construction of the Binghamton & State Line railroad. Much money was borrowed by the officers of the bank and the investment brought poor returns. The notes given therefor are now due and payments cannot be made.

The class of depositors at the Merchants' bank did not include many poor people, as the bank dealt mostly with business firms.

Business Complications Relieved.

Watertown, N. Y., Jan. 22.—The business complications which came to the firm of Dodge & Predmore, lumber dealers, of Gouverneur, by the defalcation and disappearance of Henry S. Predmore, one of the partners, have been relieved by an agreement between Mr. Dodge, sr., and Mr. Bigelow, of Rochester, father-in-law of Predmore, to settle the firm's account. It is stated that Mrs. Predmore has begun suit for divorce.

Closed by Royal Decree.

Rome, Jan. 22.—The parliamentary session, which was adjourned immediately after the publication of the Giolitti documents, was declared closed by royal decree. The dissolution and appeal to the electors will take place probably in March.

Blizzard Moving East.

Denver, Jan. 22.—Indications are that a blizzard is rapidly moving eastward. The wind is high and the temperature is rapidly falling. The snow in the mountains is very heavy. The storm is general.

Arrested for Murder.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 22.—Willard H. Slow, age 43, has been arrested for shooting and killing Frank Bowes, age 30. A misunderstanding in regard to wages led up to the shooting.

Saved by Anti-Toxine.

Port Richmond, S. I., Jan. 22.—Albert Pine, of this town, who was considered beyond hope of recovery from diphtheria, has been saved by an injection of anti-toxine.

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Leave Plainfield 3 34, 5 37, 6 39, 6 58, 7 28, 8 00, 8 28, 9 00, 9 28, 10 00, 10 28, 11 00, 11 28 a. m., 12 00, 12 28, 1 00, 1 28, 2 00, 2 28, 3 00, 3 28, 4 00, 4 28, 5 00, 5 28, 6 00, 6 28, 7 00, 7 28, 8 00, 8 28, 9 28, 10 28, 11 28 p. m. Sunday—3 34, 8 00, 8 28, 9 00, 9 28, 10 00, 10 28, 11 28 a. m., 12 00, 12 28, 1 00, 1 28, 2 00, 2 28, 3 00, 3 28, 4 00, 4 28, 5 00, 5 28, 6 00, 6 28, 7 00, 7 28, 8 00, 8 28, 9 28, 10 28, 11 28 p. m.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 6 00, 7 10, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 10 30, 11 00, a. m., 12 00 noon, 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 p. m., 12 00 night. Sunday—8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 a. m., 12 00 noon, 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00 p. m., 12 00 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 20, 6 50, 7 26, 7 50, 8, 8 40 9 23, 10 04, 10 27, a. m., 12 06, 1 16, 2 07, 2 30, 3 19, 4 00, 5 04, 5 54, 6 56, 7 12, 8 30, 10 27 11 28 p. m. Sunday—8 07, 8 52, 10 06, 11 20, a. m., 12 23, 1 45, 2 30, 3 06, 4 00, 5 04, 5 54, 6 56, 7 11, 8 30, 9 52, 10 37 p. m.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 10, 7 56, 8 30, 9 06, 10 06, 11 05 a. m., 1 10, 1 30, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 06, 3 56, 4 06, 4 40, 5 04, 5 54, 6 56, 8 00, 7 15, 7 56, 8 40, 10 06, 11 26 p. m. Sunday—7 30, 8 44, 9 55, 11 36, a. m., 1 10, 2 30, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 20, 10 20 p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 46 2 06, 3 22, 5 45, 6 36, 8 05, 8 14, 8 34, 8 54, 9 52, 10 54, 11 21, 11 30 p. m. Sunday—8 45, 9 30 p. m.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 35, 7 48, 8 20, 9 08, 9 48, 11 40 a. m., 12 50, 1 45, 3 08, 4 23, 4 26, 5 26, 6 35, 8 17, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 a. m., 12 08, 1 20 5 06, 6 45, 9 03, 9 402. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 9 16, 9 54, a.m., 12 46, 2 06, 3 22, 5 45, 6 36, 8 14, 7 26, 9 21 p. m. Sunday—8 45, 9 30 a. m., 2 06, 6 36 p. m.

Leave Easton 6 25, 7 00, 8 53, a.m., 12 22, 4 04, 7 05 p. m. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, a. m., 6 40, 7 30, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p.m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 56 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazelton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 06 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 06 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

6 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 30 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 46 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 30 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 9 06 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5.56 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 16 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 6, 10 27, a. m 1.16, 3 51, 6 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 42, a. m., 2 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 30, 8 10 27 a. m. 1 16, 3 51, 6 50, 5.54, 7 06 p.m. Sunday—8 51, p. m., 2 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 16 3 51, 5 50 p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 46, 9 46*, 10 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 09*, 5 16*, 6 46*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 8 46, a. m., 2 09*, 5 16* 6 46 p. m., 1 12 night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—9 55, 7 55, 9 21, 11 12 a. m. 2 05, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—8 55, 7 55, 12 19 p m, 3 20, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 55, 9 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 25* 2 10, 4 29*, 5 54, 9 03 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 56, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 15*, 4 23 6 45*, 8 05 p. m.

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PART II.

One evening, a week after Stimson had indulged in the proud reflection that people who came in contact with his granite will usually ended in quick and abject submission, a young feminine friend of the girl behind the silvered netting came to her there and asked her to walk on the beach after "Stimson's Mammoth Merry-Go-Round" was closed for the night. The girl assented with a nod.

The young man upon the perch holding the basket for the rings saw this nod and judged its meaning. Into his mind was born a little plan for defeating the watchfulness of the redoubtable Stimson.

When the merry-go-round was closed and the two girls started for the beach, he wandered off aimlessly in another direction, but he kept them in view and as soon as he was assured that he had escaped the vigilance of Stimson, he followed them.

The electric lights on the beach made a broad band of tremoring light, extending parallel to the sea, and upon the wide walk there slowly paraded a great crowd, intermingling, intertwining, sometimes colliding. In the darkness stretched the vast purple expanse of the ocean, and the deep indigo sky above was peopled with yellow stars. Occasionally out upon the water a whirling mass of froth suddenly flashed into view, like a great ghostly robe appearing, and then vanished, leaving the sea in its solemn, mystic darkness, from whence came those bass tones of the water's unknown emotion. A wind, cool, reminiscent of the wave wastes, made the women hold their wraps about their throats and caused the men to grip the rims of their straw hats. It carried the noise of the band in the pavilion in gusts. Sometimes people unable to hear the music glanced up at the pavilion and were reassured upon

"YOU WERE ANGRY WITH ME YESTERDAY."

beholding the distant leader still gesticulating and bobbing and the other members of the band with their lips glued to their instruments. High in the sky soared an unassuming moon, faintly silver.

For a time the young man was afraid to approach the two girls. He followed them at a distance and called himself a coward. At last, however, he saw them stop on the outer edge of the crowd and stand silently listening to the voices of the sea. When he came to where they stood, he was trembling in his agitation. They had not seen him.

"Lizzie," he began. "I—"

The girl wheeled instantly and put her hand to her throat. "Oh, Frank, how you frightened me," she said brilliantly.

"Well, you know I—I—" he stuttered.

But the other girl was one of those beings who are born to attend at tragedies. She had for love a reverence, an admiration that was greater the more she contemplated the fact that she knew nothing of it. This couple with their fine emotions, awed her and made her humbly wish that she might be destined to be of some service to them. She was very homely.

When the young man faltered before them, she, in her sympathy, actually overestimated the crisis and felt that he might fall dying at their feet. Shyly, but with courage, she marched to the rescue. "Won't you come walk on th' beach with us," she said. The young man gave her a glance of deep gratitude which was not without the patronage which a man in his condition naturally feels for one who pities it. The three walked on.

Finally the being who was born to attend at this tragedy said that she wished to sit down and gaze at the sea, alone.

They politely urged her to walk on with them, but she was obstinate. She wished to gaze at the sea, alone. The young man swore to himself that he would be her friend until he died.

And so the two young lovers went on without her. They turned once to look at her.

"Jennie's awful nice," said the girl.

"You bet she is," replied the young man, with great feeling.

They were silent for a little time.

At last the girl said: "You were angry at me yesterday."

"No, I wasn't."

"Yes, you were, too. You wouldn't look at me once all day."

"No, I wasn't angry. I was only putting on."

Though she had, of course, known it, this confession seemed to make her very angry. She flashed a resentful glance at him. "Oh, were you, indeed!" she said, with a great air.

For a few minutes she was so haughty with him that he loved her to madness. And directly this great poem which stuck at his lips came forth lamely in fragments.

When they walked back toward the other girl and saw the patience of her attitude, their hearts swelled in a patronizing and secondary tenderness for her.

They were very happy. If they had been miserable they would have charged this fairy scene of the night with a criminal heartlessnes, but as they were joyous, they vaguely wondered how the purple sea, the yellow stars, the changing crowd under the electric lights could be so phlegmatic and stolid.

They walked home by the lakeside way and out upon the water, those gay paper lanterns, flashing, fleeting and careering, sang to them, sang a chorus of red and violet and green and gold, a song of mystic lands of the future.

One day when business paused during the dull, sultry afternoon, Stimson went up town. Upon his return he found that the popcorn man from his stand over in a corner was keeping an eye upon the cashier's cage, and that nobody at all was attending to the wooden arm and the iron rings.

He strode forward like a sergeant of grenadiers. "Where in thunder is Lizzie?" he demanded, a storm of rage in his eyes.

The popcorn man, although long associated with Stimson, had never got over being dazed. "They've—they've—gone round to th'—th' house," he said, with difficulty, as if he had just been stunned.

"Whose house?" snapped Stimson.

"Your—your house, I 'spose," said the popcorn man.

Stimson marched round to his home. Imperial denunciations surged, already formulated, to the tip of his tongue, and he bided the moment when his anger could fall upon the heads of that pair of children.

He found his wife convulsive and in tears.

"Where's Lizzie?"

And then she burst forth: "Oh—John—John—they've run away—I know they have. They drove by here not three minutes ago. They must have done it on purpose to bid me good-by, for Lizzie waved her hand sad-like, and then, before I could get out to ask where they were going or what, Frank whipped up the horse and they were gone."

Stimson gave vent to a dreadful roar. "Get my revolver—get a hack—get my revolver, d——, do you hear—what the devil"—his voice became incoherent in a chaotic rage.

He had always ordered his wife about as if she were a battalion of infantry, and despite her misery, the training of years caused her to spring mechanically to obey, but suddenly she turned to him a shrill appeal.

"Oh, John—not—the revolver."

"Confound it, let go of me," he roared again and shook her from him.

He ran hatless upon the street. There was a multitude of hacks at the summer resort, but it was ages to him before he could find one. Then he charged it like a bull. "Up town," he yelled, as he tumbled into the rear seat. The hackman thought of severed arteries and broken bones. His galloping horse distanced a large number of citizens who had been running to find what caused such contortions by the little hatless man.

It chanced as the bouncing hack went along near the lake, Stimson

"OH! JOHN—NOT—THE REVOLVER."

gazed across the calm, gray expanse and recognized a color in a bonnet and a poise of a head. A buggy was traveling along a highway that led to Sorrington. Stimson bellowed: "There—there—there they are—in that buggy."

The hackman became inspired with the full knowledge of the situation. He struck his horse a delirious blow with the whip. His mouth expanded in a grin of excitement and joy. It came to pass that this old vehicle, with its drowsy horse and its dusty-eyed and tranquil driver, seemed all suddenly to awaken, to become animated and fleet. The horse ceased to ruminate on his state, his air of reflection vanished. He became intent upon his gait and spread his aged legs in quaint and ridiculous devices for speed. The driver, his eyes shining, sat critically in his seat. He watched each motion of this rattling machine down before him. He resembled an engineer. He used the whip with judgment and deliberation as the engineer would have used coal or oil. The horse clacked swiftly upon the macadam, the wheels hummed, the body of the vehicle wheezed and groaned.

Stimson, in the rear seat, was erect in that impassive attitude that comes sometimes to the furious man when he is obliged to leave the battle to others. Frequently, however, the tempest in his breast came to his face and he howled: "Go it—go it—you're gaining; pound 'im; thump the life out of 'im; hit 'im hard, you fool." His hand grasped the rod that supported the carriage top, and it was clenched so that the nails were faintly blue.

Ahead, that other carriage had been flying with speed, as from realization of the menace in the rear. It bowled away rapidly, drawn by the eager spirit of a young and modern horse. Stimson could see the buggy-top bobbing, bobbing. That little pane, like an eye, was a derision to him. Once he leaned forward and bawled angry sentences. He began to feel impotent; his whole expedition was the tottering of an old man upon the trail of birds. A sense of age made him choke again with wrath. That other vehicle, that was youth, with youth's pace, it was swift-flying with the hope of dreams. He began to comprehend those two children ahead of him, and he knew a sudden and strange awe, because he pursued the power of their young blood, the power to fly strongly into the future and feel and hope again, even at that time when his bones must be laid in the earth.

The dust rose easily from the hot road and stifled the nostrils of Stimson. The highway vanished far away in a point with a suggestion of intolerable length. The other vehicle was becoming so small that Stimson could no longer see the derisive eye.

At last the hackman drew rein to his horse and turned to look at Stimson. "No use, I guess," he said. Stimson made a gesture of acquiescence, rage, despair. As the hackman turned his dripping horse about, Stimson sank back with the astonishment and grief of a man who has been defied by the universe. He had been in a great perspiration, and now his bald head felt cool and uncomfortable. He put up his hand with the sudden recollection that he had forgotten his hat.

At last he made a gesture. It meant that at any rate he was not responsible.

[THE END.]

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OF THE

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Of Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1895

ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage, (first liens)		$134,200 00
Value of property mortgaged, $220,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured at	130,600	

Market Value.

33,000	Union County Bonds	$ 33,540 00
25,000	Hudson "	25 500 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10 000 00
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00
13,000	Loan City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000 00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000 00
4,500	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,500 00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900 00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10 850 00
	Demand Loans	3,300 00
	Interest due and accrued	4,081 13
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400 00
	Cash in Banks	56,542 98
	Cash in Office	102 45
		$328,066 29

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,598 29
Surplus	15,468 11
	$328,066 29

State of New Jersey, } ss
County of Union, }

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres.
ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.
JAMES O POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

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"It was when I was a youngster," said he. "There was a big city man in those days who was known to have a very valuable gold watch. I followed him about for several days before I could get a chance; but when I did get one, you may be sure I did not throw it away. He found, to his disgust, when he got home that day, that there was nothing in his fob. I hurried off with my prize, and got it stowed away in safety, intending to have it melted down next day. Now, it happened that this watch possessed a special value in the owner's eyes because it was a sort of ancestral possession—presented by his father on coming of age, or something of that sort. I remember there was a long inscription on the back. He was determined not to lose it if he could help it, and accordingly he put an advertisement in an evening paper offering thirty pounds reward for his return, and promising that no questions should be asked. He gave the address of his house, 31 Caroline square, at the end of the advertisement. The thing sounded good enough, so I set off for Caroline square, leaving the watch in a parcel at a public house which I passed on the way. When I got there, the gentleman was at dinner; but he came out quick enough when he heard that a young man wanted to see him. I suppose he guessed who the

"I MANAGED TO PICK HIS POCKET FOR THE SECOND TIME."

young man would prove to be. He was a genial-looking old fellow, and he led me away with him into his study.

"'Well, my lad,' said he, 'what is it?'

"'I've come about that watch of yours,' said I. 'I think I can lay my hands on it.'

"'Oh, it was you that took it!' said he.

"'No,' I answered; 'I know nothing whatever about how you lost it. I have been sent by another party to see you about it. Even if you have me arrested, you will not find out anything.'

"'Well,' he said, 'I don't want to be hard on you. Hand it over, and here is my cheque for the amount.'

"'Cheques won't do,' said I; 'I must have it in gold.'

"'It would an hour or so to collect in gold,' said he.

"'That will just suit,' I answered, for I have not got the watch with me. I'll go back and fetch it, while you raise the money.'

"I started off, and got the watch where I had left it. When I came back, the old gentleman was sitting behind his study table, with the little heap of gold in front of him.

"'Here is your money,' he said, and pushed it over.

"'Here is your watch,' said I.

"He was evidently delighted to get it back; and after examining it carefully, and assuring himself that it was none the worse, he put it into the watch pocket of his coat with a grunt of satisfaction.

"'Now, my lad,' he said, 'I know it was you that took the watch. Tell me how you did it, and I don't mind giving you an extra five-pound note.'

"'I wouldn't tell you in any case,' said I; 'but especially I wouldn't tell you when you have a witness hid behind that curtain.' You see, I had all my wits about me, and it didn't escape me that the curtain was drawn tighter than it had been before.

"'You are too sharp for us,' said he, good humoredly. 'Well, you have got your money, and that's an end of it. I'll take precious good care you don't get hold of my watch again in a hurry—good night—no; not that door,' he added as I marched towards a cupboard. 'This is the door,' and he stood up and opened it. I brushed past him, opened the hall door, and was round the corner of the square in no time. I don't know how long the old gentleman took to find it out, but in passing him at the door I managed to pick his pocket for the second time, and next morning the family heirloom was in the melting pot after all. That wasn't bad, was it?"

The old war-horse had evidently forgotten all about his conversion now. There was a tone of triumph in the conclusion of his anecdote which showed that his pride in his smartness far surpassed his repentance of his misdeeds. He seemed pleased at the astonishment and amusement I expressed at his adroitness.

"Yes," he continued with a laugh, "it was a capital joke. But sometimes the fun lies all the other way. Even the sharpest of us come to grief at times. There was one rather curious incident which occurred in my career. You may possibly have seen the anecdote, for it got into print at the time."

"Pray let me hear it," said I.

"Well, it is hard lines telling stories against one's self, but this was how it happened: I had made a rather good haul, and invested some of the swag in buying a very fine diamond ring. I thought it would be something to fall back upon when all the ready was gone and times were hard. I had just purchased it, and was going back to my lodgings in the omnibus, when as luck would have it, a very stylishly-dressed young lady came in, and took her seat beside me. I didn't pay much attention to her at first; but after a time something hard in her dress knocked up against my hand, which my experienced touch soon made out to be a purse. It struck me that I could not pass the time more profitably or agreeably than by making this purse my own. I had to do it very carefully; but I managed at last to wriggle my hand into her rather light pocket, and thought the job was over. Just at this moment she rose abruptly to leave the 'bus, and I had hardly time to get my hand with the purse in it out of her pocket without detection. It was not until she had been gone some time that I found out that in drawing out my hand in that hurried manner the new and ill-fitting ring had slipped over my finger and remained in the young lady's pocket. I sprang out and ran in the direction in which she had gone with the intention of picking her pocket once again. She had disappeared, however; and from that day till this I have never set eyes on her. To make the matter worse, there was only four pence half-penny in coppers inside the purse. Serve me right for trying to rob such a pretty girl; still, if I had that two hundred quid now I should not be reduced to—Good heavens, forgive me! What am I saying?"

He seemed inclined to relapse into silence after this; but I was determined to draw him out a little more, if I could possibly manage it. "There is less personal risk in the branch you have been talking of," I remarked, "than there is in burglary."

"Ah!" he said, warming to his subject once again, "it is the higher game which is best worth aiming at. Talk about sport, sir, talk about fishing or hunting! why it is tame in comparison! Think of the great country house with its men servants and its dogs and its firearms, and you with only your jimmy and your center bit, and your mother wit, which is best of all. It is the triumph of intellect over brute force, sir, as represented by bolts and bars."

"People generally look upon it as quite the reverse," I remarked.

"I was never one of those blundering life-preserver fellows," said my companion. "I did try my hand at garrotting once; but it was against my

AT THIS MOMENT SHE ROSE ABRUPTLY.

principles, and I gave it up. I have tried everything. I have been a bedridden widow with three young children; but I do object to physical force."

"You have been what?" said I.

"A bedridden widow. Advertising, you know, and getting subscriptions. I have tried them all. You seem interested in these experiences," he continued; "so I will tell you another anecdote. It was the narrowest escape for penal servitude that ever I had in my life. A pal and I had gone down on a country beat—it doesn't signify where it was—and taken up our headquarters in a little provincial town. Somehow it got noised abroad that we were there, and householders were warned to be careful, as suspicious characters had been seen in the neighborhood. We should have changed our plans when we saw the game was up; but my chum was a plucky fellow, and wouldn't consent to back down. Poor little Jim! He was only thirty-four round the chest, and about twelve at the biceps; but there is not a measuring tape in England could have given the size of his heart. He said we were in for it, and we must stick to it; so I agreed to stay, and we chose Morley hall, the country house of a certain Col. Morley, to begin with.

"Now this Col. Morley was about the last man in the world that we should have meddled with. He was a smart, cool-headed fellow, who had been about and seen the world, and it seems that he took a special pride in the detection of criminals. However, we knew nothing of all this at that time; so we set forth hopefully to have a try at the house.

"The reason that made us pick him out among the rest was that he had a good-for-nothing groom, who was a tool in our hands. This fellow had drawn up a rough plan of the premises for us. The place was pretty well locked up and guarded, and the only weak point we could see was a certain trapdoor, the padlock of which was broken, and which opened from the roof into one of the lumber rooms. If we could only find any method of reaching the roof, we might force a way securely from above. We both thought the plan rather a good one, and it had a spice of originality about it which pleased us. It is not the mere jewels or plate, you know, that a good cracksman thinks about. The neatness of the job and his reputation for smartness are almost as important in his eyes.

"We had been very quiet for a day or two, just to let suspicion die away. Then we set out one dark night, Jim and I, and got over the avenue railings and up to the house without meeting a soul. It was blowing hard, I remember, and the clouds hurrying across the sky. We had a good look at the front of the house, and then Jim went round to the garden side. He came running back in a minute or two in a great state of delight. 'Why, Bill,' he said, gripping me by the arm, 'there never was such a bit of luck! They've been repairing the roof or something, and they've left the ladder standing.' We went round together, and there, sure enough, was the ladder towering above our heads, and one or two laborers' hods lying about, which showed that some work had been going on during the day. We had a good look round, to see that everything was quiet, and then we climbed up, Jim first and I after him. We got to the top, and were sitting on the slates, having a bit of a breather, before beginning business, when you can fancy our feelings to see the ladder that we came up by suddenly stand straight up in the air, and then slowly descend until it rested in the garden below! At first we hoped it might have slipped, though that was bad enough; but we soon had that idea put out of our head.

"'Hullo, up there!' cried a voice from below.

"We craned our heads over the edge, and there was a man, dressed, as far as we could make out, in evening dress, and standing in the middle of the grass plot. We kept quiet.

"'Hullo!' he shouted again. 'How do you feel yourself? Pretty comfortable, eh? Ha! ha! You London rogues thought we were green in the country. what's your opinion now?'

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NOTICE. November 20, 1894.

Estate of Helen V. D. Reed, deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot Surrogate of the County of Union, this day made, on application of the undersigned executors of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

CORNELIUS S. MITCHILL,
GEORGE F. OPDYKE,
Executors.

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ASSIGNEE'S SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, assignee of Sylvester Sharkey, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of March next.

Dated January 7, 1895.

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NORTH PLAINFIELD TAXES.

In conformity to law, the Taxes and Assessments against property in the Township and Borough of North Plainfield,

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HYMENEAL.

Angerbauer—Bergner.

The marriage of Joseph Henry Angerbauer, Jr., of this city, and Miss Selina Bergner of 100 Lexington avenue, New York, took place in St. George's Episcopal Church, Sixteenth street and Stuyvesant place, this afternoon at 4 The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr Tilford The bridemaids were Miss Anna Angerbauer, sister, and Miss Joele Fritz, cousin, of the groom. William Bergner, brother of the bride, and Willard V. Sutton of this city, were the groomsmen.

The bride wore a lovely gown of brown corded silk, and carried a bouquet of bride roses, while the bridemaids were gowned in white cashmere, and carried bouquets of roses.

After the ceremony, the party went to the home of the bride's parents, where a bountiful supper was served.

Owing to the recent death of the groom's sister, no reception was held. Only the immediate family of the groom were present from Plainfield. Mr. and Mrs. Angerbauer will reside in this city.

McCan—Ryan.

In St. Joseph's Church, yesterday afternoon at 4, took place the marriage of Miss Johanna Ryan of North Plainfield, and Lawrence F McCan of New Brunswick. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Miller, before a large number of friends and relatives.

The bridemaid was Miss Mary Ryan, sister of the bride, and the best man was Patrick Cosgrove of New Brunswick.

The bride wore a gown of cream-colored cloth, trimmed with blue silk, and carried a choice bouquet of tea roses.

Immediately after the ceremony, the bridal party went to the home of the groom's brother, John McCan on West Front street, where a reception was given. A sumptuous wedding dinner was served, after which dancing was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. McCan left during the evening for a wedding trip to Baltimore and Washington, and on their return will reside in New Brunswick. The guests included Miss Maggie Cullney, Miss Mamie Kinney, Miss Maggie Brown, Miss Dury, Miss Kate Leahy, Miss Mary Leahy, Miss Emma Rourke, Mrs. Carson, Mrs. McClay, Miss Kate Duffy, John Duffy, R Douglass, Mrs. John Leahy, Patrick Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Callihan, P. Connelly, Miss M. Meahoney, George Tobin, Miss Tobin, Mr. and Mrs. John McCan, Miss Cain, Miss Della Lally.

Mr. and Mrs. McCan received a very large number of costly and useful presents. Music for dancing was furnished by O'Neil.

Wilmerding—Bache.

Miss Katharine Butgers Bache of Morristown, daughter of the late Andrew Bache and formerly a resident of this city, was married last evening in Trinity Chapel to A. Clinton Wilmerding by Rev. Charles Treat. The bride is the niece of Major Bedlow of Newport, and a direct descendant of Benjamin Franklin. Her aunt, Miss Katharine R. Lincoln, of New Brighton, S. I., has been her guardian.

The bridegroom is the son of Thomas A. Wilmerding of Bergen Point. He is a keen sportsman and a fine shot in the field and at the traps. The bride was accompanied by her uncle, Col. F. W. Armstrong, and was given away by her brother, A. G R. Bache. Wm. E. Wilmerding, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man, and D. Bradford Wilmerding, T. Kearney Wilmerding, Albert E. Foster, Henry Meigs Popham, C. Herbert Davis, and S. Hall Berry were the ushers. The maid of honor was Miss Mary DePeyster Lincoln Bache, and Miss Henrietta B. Wilmerding and Miss Hortense P. Armstrong were bridemaids.

A Good Record.

(From The Jersey City Journal.)

It may not be of any interest to anybody outside of the "press gang", and it may not convince anybody that newspaper men are not all utterly depraved and irredeemably wicked, but we mention the fact that, while the police records of the city of New York show that there were 77,000 persons arrested there last year, there was not a single newspaper man or woman among the number. There were among the arrested parties more than a hundred lawyers, ninety-eight physicians and eleven clergymen, but not a single member of the "fourth estate". This must be assumed as indicating one of two facts: either that the members of the press are exceptionally law-abiding and well behaved, or that they are smart enough to keep themselves out of the grasp of the minions of the law—and either way, it is a good record for the newspaper fraternity.

400 Colors on the Truck.

The old hook and ladder truck has been taken to Flannery's blacksmith shop on East Third street, where it is being painted by David Kelley. When completed there will be about four hundred distinct tints.

It is understood that the truck is to be put in first-class condition and placed in the West End for service.

THE POWDER BALL.

PLAINFIELD SOCIETY ADORNS THE COSTUMES OF THE PAST.

Park Club-House a Scene of Real Beauty and Stately Gallantry.

There was a sound of revelry by night,
And Plainfield's social set had gathered then
Her beauty and her chivalry, and bright
The lamps shone o' er fair women and brave men;
Two hundred hearts beat happily; and when
Music arose with its voluptuous swell,
Soft eyes looked love to eyes which spake again,
And all went merry as a marriage-bell.
—*Adapted from "Childe Harold".*

As the arriving guests stepped from the star-canopied night through the open portals of the Park Club, it almost seemed as if they were greeted with a scene from the court of Louis XIV, brought back to life once more by the genial social atmosphere which always pervades this home of gaiety. Courtly gallants were everywhere attending the beautiful dames whose presence graced the tastily decorated assembly hall.

Stately dutchesses, fair women of the court, bonny, bright-eyed maids of honor, with here and there a gayly decked Dolly Varden or merry milk maid, seemed to float rather than dance to the witching music of Issler's orchestra of Newark, which was in perfect touch with that air of medieval romance that for the time being seemed to animate the gay picture, which looked as though it were ready at the stroke of midnight to step back again within the time-worn frame from which it had emerged to join in revelry. It were idle to say "the happy party enjoyed themselves", for one need only recall that the affair was held under the Park Club's arching roof, whose rafters echoed and re-echoed the merry pealing laughter on this, as on many another social occasion given by these hospitable hosts. Yet it can be safely said that none among the joyous party who exchanged bon-mots or sought some nook for a moment of quiet chat during the intervals of the dance last evening, could have more gaily or more happily whiled away the swiftly speeding hours, for that were well-nigh impossible.

The cosy gallery was well filled with a party of on lookers, which was augmented from time to time by some friend from the ball-room below, who left the lively scene only to be irresistibly attracted back again by its ever changing beauty. Occasionally would be noted the temporary absence of some well-known masculine face, but the searcher had only to glance down through the billiard room or toward the alley, where could be seen Counselor Reed and G. T. Rogers dallying with the ivories, or Messrs. Matthews, W. O. Worth, Dr. Thiers, and Julius Erickson rapidly piling up strikes and spares in quick succession. Promptly at eleven o'clock the beautifully gowned dames and damsels invaded the billiard hall, attracted by the bountiful collation which was in waiting, brilliant repartee and happy social intercourse adding zest to this most pleasant interruption. Long did the merry groups linger to enjoy the rest or watch the athletes as they sent the heavy spheres dancing down the polished alleys, sweeping everything before them with the regularity of clock-work. But once more it was "on with the dance, let joy be unconfined", and the beautiful kaleidoscopic picture was again presented to the gaze as the merry makers "tripped the light fantastic toe" to the sweet symphonies of music. The stars had almost run their courses in the blue-vaulted heaven when the picture dissolved, yet it will always be a pleasing memory to guest and host alike, that the Bal Poudre at the Park was in every way a most flattering success.

The patronesses last evening were: Mrs Charles A Reed, Mrs Samuel Townsend, Mrs George D Hallock, Mrs B A Hegeman, Jr., Mrs J H Howell, Mrs F G Grant, and Mrs William J Roome. Mrs Hegeman and Mrs Howell were unfortunately absent because of sickness.

A full representation of the club members was present and among the guests might be mentioned: Mr and Mrs Percy Stewart, Mr and Mrs H J Runyon, Mr and Mrs James B Roy, Mr and Mrs J K Myers, Mrs Scott Brown, Mrs C J Powers, Miss and Mr Moore, Miss Dryden, Miss J Louise Pangborn, Miss Florence V B Myers, Miss Katherine Manning, Miss Florence J Marsh, Miss Long, Miss Shannon, Miss Louise Kopper, Miss Annie Stewart, Miss Lord, Miss Katherine Underwood, Dr and Mrs Thiers, Mr and Mrs Van Deventer, Mr and Mrs Edwin Douglass, Mr and Mrs Herbert Brooks, Mr and Mrs Edward W Hooley, Mr and Mrs W L Saunders, Mr and Mrs Lemuel Serrell, Mr and Mrs G T Rogers, Mr and Mrs W O Worth, Miss Horne, Miss Pauline M Sandford, Miss and Mr Weltmann, Miss Daniels, the Misses Barlow, Miss Florence Abbott, Miss Edith Clapp, Miss Wilkins, Miss Edith Harold, Miss Bisley and Miss Helen Dunham, New York, friends of Dr and Mrs Grant, Miss and Mr French, and the Messrs Wesley Abbott, Chapman, J M Leonard, Carl Brown, Middledith, George Freeman, Irving West, Clifford McGee, Charles Faber, Walter Place, C E Frost, George Van Boskerck, J H Hallock, A B Laing, F E Richards, J H Worth, George F Brown, Percy Ingalls, H A Patten, James Middleton, Meredith Dryden, Julius Erickson, John Moon, and Peter Matthews.

The fair women were all beautifully gowned in an endless variety of filmy costumes which almost beggar description, yet in this gorgeous array were noticeable the costumes of Mrs Chas A Reed, radiant as "The Duchess" in a beautiful gown of pink silk elaborately trimmed with pink ribbons; Mrs Wm J Roome as "Lady Teazle", accompanied by Mr Roome in full court costume and periwig; Mrs F G Grant as "Martha Washington"; Miss Barlow as "Dolly Varden"; Mrs Saunders, beautiful in an elaborate Dresden gown; Miss Louise Kopper of Madison, a guest of Mrs Reed, attired in organdie over pink silk; Mrs G D Hallock, in yellow satin with black lace; Miss Daniels in an empire gown of blue crepon; Miss Catherine Underwood in lavender satin beautifully trimmed with violets; Miss Nellie Underwood in blue chiffon; Miss Laura Underwood in yellow satin trimmed with green chiffon; Miss Wilkins in blue striped silk; Miss Katherine Manning in black point d' esprit with white bertha; Mrs Geo T Rogers in an empire gown draped with blue crepon; Mrs Herbert Brooks in dainty white point d' esprit; Miss Woltmann in yellow silk with black trimming; Mrs Thiers in beautiful white silk; Mrs Douglass in blue brocaded satin; Miss Minnie Brookein white chiffon trimmed with smilax; Miss Molly VanDeventer in an elaborate white silk; Miss Dunham in pink point d' esprit over satin; Miss Horne in dainty white; Miss Harold in white chiffon and lavender velvet; Miss Bisley in white satin embroidered with pink roses; Miss Lord in yellow brocaded satin with thread lace bertha; Miss Abbott in lavender crepon; Mrs Thompson in white brocaded satin; Mrs Lemuel Serrell in lavender silk covered with lace; Mrs Sandford in white point d' esprit with white ribbons; and Miss Grace Barlow in pink satin and white lace.

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Miss Irene Day spent yesterday in New York.

Miss Emma Nelson was busy giving a music lesson in Plainfield yesterday.

Miss Simon of Bound Brook has joined the ladies orchestra.

The ladies orchestra contemplate giving an entertainment in the near future.

Charles H. Ward has returned to work in the grocery business with W. H. Davis of New Market.

Arthur S. Giles has put a new lock on his shop door.

Linden Apgar of this place who has been employed in the butcher business in Plainfield is contemplating starting business in Stanton, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Asa Merrill attended the funeral services yesterday of their cousin Miss C. Dayton. Interment was at Samptown Cemetery.

Arthur Giddis and J. F. G. Kinney visited Plainfield friends yesterday.

Dunellenites should not forget the donation visit at the M.E. parsonage Thursday night.

W. B. Smith, who was convicted of stealing stamps from the Government, has been sentenced to three years and six months in the Albany prison.

The election to decide the question of whether Dunellen is to become an independent borough or not, is to take place Feb. 7.

The report that C. F. Maire is to remove from town on April 1, is erroneous.

Several New Market people, including Stanley Day, S. B. Dayton, and others, are improving their sidewalks by putting cinders upon them. The New Market people in general are anxious to place the streets in good condition. The borough movement has a tendency toward improvement.

Frank Humpston is the Plainfield representative of the Dunellen Call.

DEATH OF DR. A. L. LOOMIS.

The Well-Known Physician a Victim of Pneumonia.

Dr. Alfred L. Loomis, the well-known physician, died at 6:30 this morning, of pneumonia, at his home, 19 West Thirty-fourth street, New York.

Verdi Quartette and Miss Jackson.

The Y. M. C. A. have arranged for the first entertainment in their new Y. M. C. A. Hall. Tuesday, Feb. 5. The Verdi Quartette of Brooklyn will sing, and Miss Addie Parker Jackson will read.

To Renovate the Hall.

A gang of sweepers and scrubbers will begin work Friday, giving Music Hall a thorough cleansing.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

TRINITY TEA.

Good Supper, Fine Music, Tasteful Decorations, and Satisfactory Wares.

Delightful music will be furnished in connection with a first-class supper in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed Church Thursday and Friday nights. The supper will be from 6 to 8, and the musicale will follow. The musical accompaniment to the good eating will be on violin and piano, by Messrs. Smith and Milton. The talent of the programme beginning at 8 will include local favorites, and the programme is in part as follows: Piano solos, Miss N. Winckler and Miss Lucille Prittie; vocal solos by R. E. Runyon, B. T. Barnes, William Holmes, Miss F May Grant, Miss Etta Krymer, L. S. Bond and Robert Clark; and recitations by Miss Etta Raybert.

Lemonade will be served, and there will be on sale aprons both dainty and useful, and home-made candies made by the King's Daughters.

The decorations will be pink and green.

CHECK FORGING CHARGED.

Daniel O'Connor of Plainfield Locked up in Elizabeth.

A warrant was issued by Justice Newcorn last night for the arrest of Daniel O'Connor, charging him with forging a check for $27 on Mrs. Denoy Horton.

The complainant is Frank Linke, who cashed the check.

This morning O'Connor was given a hearing, and he confessed to the forgery. He was committed to the county jail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Wilbur Miller is circulating a petition to present to the railroad company allowing him to sell papers at the station mornings. The Union News Company now control the privilege.

Mrs. George Marsh of Front street spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jimerson of Westfield.

Mrs. A. Dobbins of Kearney spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Flannery.

Hollingsworth's mills started work again Monday. The men will be given 8 hours a day until further notice.

Frank Flannery of Plainfield spent Sunday with his sister, Miss Nellie Flannery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Miller of Glenside avenue entertained a few of their friends at an informal reception Saturday evening

L. A. Goodenough of Jersey City spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Lydia Townsend of Mountain avenue met with a serious fall Saturday evening. While going into the cellar, down a pair of winding stairs, she slipped and fell. Miss Townsend remained unconscious some time. Dr. Westcott attended her.

District Deputy Noble went to Bayonne Monday evening to install the officers-elect of Bayonne Council, R. A.

Mrs. Nathaniel Chapin of Union avenue is confined to the house with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery entertained friends from Bayonne Saturday.

George Marsh is suffering from a severe cold.

The Choral Union meet Thursday evening in the chapel.

John Flannery is confined to the house with the grip.

Excelsior H and L Company held its annual election for officers for the ensuing year Monday evening. The following were elected: President—Norman Dunn; Foreman—E L Hand; Assistant Foremen—C Frentz and W B Buckley; Secretary—George L. Dunn; Treasurer—W H Lake.

Dr and Mrs Westcott are spending a few days in Philadelphia. During the doctor's absence his practice will be taken care of by Dr. Harrison of Westfield.

The Baptist Sunday-school held their election of officers for the ensuing year Sunday afternoon. Those elected were: Superintendent—George L Colgate; Assistent Superintendent — William Baud; Secretary—Miss Minnie Hostinger; Treasurer — William VanValkenburgh; Librarian—W B Buckley.

Mr Keer and family of Front street are moving to Grant avenue, Plainfield, where Mr Keer has accepted a position with the Pond Machine Tool Company.

Plainfielders Active in It.

The executive committee of the State Anti-Liquor League met in Trenton yesterday and perfected its constitution. Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis was elected vice-president for Union County, and Rev. W. E. Honeyman for Somerset. Two representatives in each county are to be appointed to organize a county and local leagues. The stated object is to promote the work of temperance and other moral reforms by the enforcement of existing laws and through advanced legislation.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

CHARITY AT HOME.

Plainfield Women Discuss Methods of Municipal Alms-Giving.

The Plainfield Branch Alliance of Unitarian and Other Liberal Christian Women held one of their most interesting meetings yesterday afternoon in All Souls Church.

The subject for discussion was charity, and its relations to Plainfield. Mrs. B J Shreve read the first paper, on the "Administration and cost of our present charity system". It was an historical account, starting with mention of the old-fashioned method of hiring the poor out by contract. Mrs. Shreve spoke of the benefits of the Relief Association and Citizens Organized Aid. She also paid a tribute to Mrs. Tiffany, who organized the Relief. The problem of caring for the poor was yet unsettled, she said; and then told of the system employed in Burlington, where a poor farm had been established since 1800, and was admirably carried on. The cost for each inmate was only $50 per year. Plainfield was in need of a better system.

Mrs. Horace Kimball presented a paper on the adoption of a better plan. She described graphically the bad results of our present system. An interesting fact was noted that the matter of poverty was more or less hereditary, and cited as an instance that three generations were represented at present on the charity list. She thought that if an almshouse were established many would exercise their strength and intelligence, rather than become inmates.

Extracts were read from a letter by R. Treat Paine, on pauperism, showing that pauperism was fostered by indiscriminate giving.

Mr. H. B. Opdyke in a very interesting paper told of the tramp question, and stated that whenever a tramp was sent to E. H. Holmes's coal and wood yard with a ticket he would get enough work to obtain a good meal. She thought that attention should be given to able-bodied applicants, and that the unskilled should be trained.

Another letter was read from Mrs. Benjamin Williams, Secretary of the State Charities Aid Association, urging that provision should be made for the defective classes. There are at present only two institutions for this class, one at Trenton and the other at Vineland, and the State Society was endeavoring to get an appropriation from the State for the building of an asylum for the blind.

An informal discussion followed on the papers, which was participated in by Mrs. D. P. Hall, Mrs. G. F. Opdyke, Mrs. E W. Conklin, Mrs. E. C. Pearson, Miss Mary Tweedy, Miss Kate Martine and Miss E. O. Reynolds.

At the next meeting, Tuesday, Feb. 26, the subject of "Criminal Classes" will be taken up, and H. P. Reynolds will furnish a very interesting paper.

OFFICIAL OPINION ON WELL WATER.

(From Report of State Board of Health, Mass., 1893.)

When any part of a territory from which a well derives its supply is populated and the waste waters of this population are discharged into the ground, these waters percolate downwards until they reach the level of the water in the ground, and then, mingling with the natural ground water, filter slowly toward the well. In such a case the dissolved mineral matters (for instance, common salt, and the salts of lime and magnesia which make water hard) are not removed by the filtration; but the organic matter may be decomposed and wholly transformed into harmless mineral matters by filtering through the ground for a sufficient distance.

There is scarcely a doubt that the waste water discharged into the ground from the more distant points will continue to be thoroughly purified before reaching the well, and the effect of an increase in population at these points would be to increase the hardness of the water rather than to render it injurious to health. There is a greater probability that the water may at some time be polluted by the wastes which enter the grounds at nearer points, say within a distance of from 600 to 800 feet from the well.

"The Lost Paradise."

In "The Lost Paradise", to be presented in Music Hall tomorrow night, a pretty, interesting love theme prevails, and sufficient comedy is infused to alleviate the sombre effect of the troubles of the working class. As a man of intensity and strong, heroic manhood, William Morris, the chief actor, shines most brilliantly. The completeness of his character in the part of the superior of the men in position and their equal as a man is most notable.

Neither Side Appeared.

The case of Guttman against W. A. Coddington, adjourned to yesterday before Judge Moore at Fanwood, was called at 2, the hour for which it was set down, and though the Court waited patiently till 3, neither side appeared, and the Judge returned to New York.

—It affords an art-gallery education up to date to inspect the stock displayed at Gavett's.

THE COST OF LIVING.

Plainfield Markets Defended Against the Outside World.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—In a recent issue of The Daily Press I noticed a communication signed by M. in reference to the high prices charged for all kinds of provisions in Plainfield, special reference having been made to grocers and butchers. As one of the latter I beg you to devote sufficient space to this article to give our side of the case.

There is no necessity for any commuter taking his market basket to New York, provided he will do his marketing here on the same terms he does it there. In New York he leaves his basket and his order, pays for his goods and carries them home or has them sent by express. Here we are expected to send a wagon for the order, deliver it, charge it, and then wait until our customer gets good and ready to pay for them. Any business man knows that this means expense and that this expense is added to the cost of the goods.

When M says he buys as good a roast in New York at 14 cents as that for which he pays 18 and 20 cents here, it probably tastes as good to him because it is cheap—but he forgets to mention the fact that to his 14 cents he has to add express charges, which I am informed is about 1½ cents per pound. At 16 cents per pound and on the same terms he can buy a better roast here than he can in New York for the same money.

I will admit that poultry is dearer here than it ought to be, but that is because people here won't buy the same kind of poultry that they do in New York. Here unless a chicken or turkey is scalded people don't want them; in New York they will buy anything so long as it is cheap.

The remedy is in the people's own hands. If they will buy here as they do in New York we can dispense with our horses, wagons, drivers and bookkeepers, which will necessarily reduce the cost on all provisions.

BUTCHER.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Abner Bartlett.

The mother of Abner Bartlett, Jr., passed away today after several months of suffering. She only lived seven months after her husband's death, and was constantly attended by two nurses and Dr. Jule of New York and Dr. Stryker, a son-in-law, of Philadelphia. She was 72 years of age, born in Louisville, Ky., of the well-known Easton family.

Song and Sermon.

An increase of interest was evident at the meeting at Grace M. E. Church last night. There was a large attendance, and the services were of a spirited character. Mr. Moon sang effectively a solo, "Oh, wonderful words of the Gospel", and Miss Carroll, the organist, rendered acceptably "In the secret of His presence". There was a full chorus choir, and the singing was greatly enjoyed. Rev. H. F. Randolph preached a consecration sermon from the words "Sirs, we would see Jesus". The thought he enforced was devotion to the service of Christ, pressing the duty on believers to lead inquiring souls to the Saviour. Dr. Carroll added a few words of exhortation in the brief after-meeting.

Everybody's Experience.

A Plainfield man in Newark yesterday met Mr. Hart of the house of Hillier & Co., the favorite cleansers and dyers, and the conversation turned on advertising, of which Mr. Hart is a devoted disciple. He said he had found that good advertising was a trade-maker, and to it Hillier & Co. owed much of their success. In Plainfield he had always used The Daily Press, and he was pleased with the honorable treatment and great results of that paper. He would always use The Press, he said, and no other paper in the town.

Comrades and Sons to Attend.

An invitation has been accepted by Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, and John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., to attend the meeting of the Women's Relief Corps, No. 10, Friday evening, when the president-elect, Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, will be installed.

In Music Hall Tonight.

W. H. Power's "Ivy Leaf", a clean and characteristic Irish play, appears in Music Hall tonight. "The Ivy Leaf" is a drama of more than ordinary artistic excellence from a literary or dramatic standpoint. The scenic and mechanical effects are beautiful and original.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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Judiciary Committee Disapprove His Methods.

Not Satisfied That He Has Been Guilty of Wrong Committed While on the Bench, But Condemn the Manner in Which He Made Up His Accounts.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The house committee on the judiciary in open session considered the charges against Judge Augustus J. Ricks, of Cleveland, O. Judge Ricks was present with his attorney. The Cleveland Central Labor union was represented by two attorneys. But one member of the committee, Mr. Terry, of Arkansas, was absent. In reply to an invitation from Chairman Culberson, Judge Ricks made a statement and produced affidavits from clerks of several courts to show that the practice of the clerk of charging himself with the completed records in advance of their completion was a general one.

Chairman Culberson inquired why he had not returned the accounts to the attorney general's office in on report instead of scattering them through several years, and the judge replied:

"It was not my duty to complete all records but it was my option or privilege so I charged myself with those in which the parties were solvent. Had I charged those in which the parties were insolvent, and I well knew that some of them were, I would have become a guarantor to the government for the cost of the work.

"I hold that a clerk is not obliged to make returns until the work is done." Had he done otherwise than he did it would have been necessary for him to advance the money, some $1,700, he said, when he became judge, and run the risk of collecting when the work was done.

In answer to Mr. Boatner's question what right he had after he became judge to complete cases which he had not reported to the attorney general while clerk, the judge said that he had no legal right, but that his course was the most convenient to all parties.

In reply to a question, he said that he had never as judge passed on his own accounts as clerk, and that there had been no contest over them.

The committe spent two hours in executive session discussing the matter. Mr. George P. Harrison (dem., Ala.) offered the following resolution:

"That while the committe is not satisfied that Judge Ricks has been guilty of any wrong committed while judge, that will justify it in reporting a resolution of impeachment, yet the committee cannot too strongly censure the practice under which Judge Ricks made up his accounts."

This resolution was adopted by a vote of nine to seven as follows: Yeas, Goodnight (Ky.), Layton (O.), Wolverton (Pa.), Harrison (Ala.), Ray (N. Y.), Powers (Vt.), Broderick (Kan.), William A. Stone (Pa.), and Childs (Ill.) Nays, Culberson (Tex.), Stockdale (Miss.), Boatner (La.), Lane (Ill.), Bailey (Tex.), De Armond (Mo.), and Updegreff (Ia.)

Mr. Bailey will still persist in reporting in favor of the impeachment of Judge Ricks and when the matter comes up in the house will endeavor to have that body adopt his recommendation.

READY TO FIGHT.

Three Thousand Students Offer Their Services to President Diaz.

City of Mexico, Jan. 23.—Three thousand students, accompanied by friends, called on President Diaz at the national palace and offered their services in the event of war between Mexico and Guatemala.

The president, who was deeply moved, said that relations between the two countries had not yet come to a crisis, but that the diplomatic situation was dangerous and war might result.

Peace was necessary to the progress of the republic, he said, and the government would not interrupt it unless absolutely compelled to do so.

Will Bring Their Own Laborers.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The president has approved the joint resolution of congress authorizing foreign exhibitors at the Cotton States and International exposition to be held in Atlanta this year to bring to this country foreign laborers from their respective countries for the purpose of preparing and making their exhibits.

Thanked His Holiness.

Rome, Jan. 23.—The pope gave an audience to Mr. Joseph Heywood, who, on behalf of the United States, thanked his holiness for the loan of the vatican relics which were exhibited at the Chicago fair. Mr. Heywood later called upon Cardinal Rampolla, to whom he presented a letter from Secretary Gresham.

Lighthouse on Diamond Shoals.

Washington, Jan. 23.—An official inspection of Diamond shoals, off Cape Hatteras, N. C., shows that it is entirely practicable to erect a lighthouse on the shoals. An appropriation of $200,000 to begin work has already been made, and the total cost limited to $500,000.

General Sewell Elected.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 23.—General William J. Sewell, who was chosen by the republican caucus, which met last week, to succeed United States Senator McPherson, has been elected.

Accepts Mitchell's Challenge.

London, Jan. 23.—Peter Jackson has accepted Charley Mitchell's challenge on condition that the fight take place at the National Sporting club and the stakes be £1,000 a side.

HE WOULDN'T EXPLAIN.

Mrs. Baker Greeted a Visitor During Her Husband's Absence.

Belvidere, N. J., Jan. 23.—The people of this town are gossiping over a scandal in the household of Chief of Police Baker. On Monday night Chief Baker was compelled to remain in his office until a late hour. When he entered the yard leading to his house he was surprised to see the parlor brilliantly lighted.

He quietly slipped in through the back door and heard hurried footsteps in the hall. He had hardly stepped into the parlor when he saw a man leaving by the front door. Baker followed and called upon him to halt. The stranger quickened his pace. Baker again shouted to the man to stop, but this only caused the visitor to increase his speed. Baker then fired two shots at the stranger, who was soon lost to view in the fog and darkness.

Baker returned home and asked his wife who the man was, but she refused to give an explanation to her husband a stormy scene ensued. She said that he was a friend of hers, who had dropped in to make a friendly call. It is generally understood that the stranger was a well-known man about town, and it is said there will be trouble over the matter.

AMONG THE NAVAL OFFICERS.

One Resignation, One Retirement and Several Changes Made.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Lieutenant Robert B. Dashiell, the ordnance officer of the cruiser New York, has resigned from the navy to take effect April 30. This officer established the naval proving ground at Indian Head on the Potomac, and has contributed a number of improvements to naval gunnery. Orders have been issued detaching him from Admiral Meade's flagship.

Chief Engineer Joseph Trilley has been ordered to have charge of the machinery of the new cruiser Olympia which will be commissioned on the Pacific station February 5, his relief on the coast defence vessel Monterey being Chief Engineer E. A. Magee.

Mate James W. Baxter has been placed on the retired list of the navy after 40 years service.

Assistant Engineer C. H. Hayes is detached from duty inspecting the construction of the battleship at Cramps' shipyards and ordered to the cruiser New York.

Lieutenant C. M. R. Winslow is ordered to duty in the equipment bureau at the New York navy yard and Lieutenant N. J. L. T. Halpine is transferred from the Wabash to the Mohican.

ONE MORE JUROR OBTAINED.

Sympathetic Move for Hayward in the Ging Murder Case.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 23.—One more juror, making three in all, has been secured to try Harry Hayward. Before the regular business of examining jurors was taken up W. W. Erwin addressed the court relative to Hayward's alleged connection with the conspiracy to break jail.

Mr. Erwin said that about three weeks ago a fellow prisoner invited Hayward to join in the conspiracy. Hayward, so Mr. Erwin deciared, brought the matter before his attorney who in turn notified the jail authorities and a search revealed a well developed scheme for a jail delivery.

Byond this incident there was nothing of interest in the case except when a young lady created a scene by attempting to present Hayward with a bunch of violets.

YOUTHFUL BRIDE AND GROOM.

Couple of Children Married by a Jersey Justice.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 23.—Two children were married by Judge Eggers in the third precinct police court, here, yesterday. They are Sophia Kreiss, aged 14, and Louis Bauerschmidt, aged 18. Sophia's mother was there.

Sophia said her mother had been "set" against her by her married sisters. The mother consented to the marriage, saying: "In God's name, but only on the one condition—that you, Sophia, will never come to your sisters or me."

"No, mamma," said Sophia, "I will never go to you when I am in trouble. As I make my bed so will I lie upon it."

Killed Himself and Children.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 23.—Edward Rivers, who was a victim of morphine, killed his son, aged 6, and his daughter, aged 8, at their home, near Brownsville, and then committed suicide by shooting. His wife was absent at the time and went into convulsions when she beheld the bloody spectacle. Her life is in danger. He imagined that his family would become hopelessly insane.

To Admit Debs and Others to Bail.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Judge Grosscup yesterday notified Marshal Arnold to bring Eugene V. Debs and the other imprisoned directors of the American Railway union into court to-day that they may be admitted to bail, as provided for by an order of the supreme court, entered at Washington.

Held for Murder.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 23.—Dennis Ward, 18 years old, employed in Hugh Smith & Sons' leather factory, has been arrested charged with murder. On Sunday night John Sizer, 18 years old, became involved in a quarrel with Ward, which resulted in Sizer's death the next day.

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ATTENTION OF THE JAPS

Will Not Attempt to Reach Pekin This Winter.

Advices Received by Steamer Peru Say That It Has Been Decided To Capture Wei-Hai-Wei—Statistics Showing China's Loss at Present To Be About 80,000,000 Yen.

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—The steamer Peru, just arrived, brings Tokio news to Jan. 8. Under date Jan. 2, the Japan Gazette says:

"We understand that no attempt will be made to reach Pekin this winter. The reason is obvious, but it would never do to let the army remain idle nor to permit the national enthusiasm to cool through a passive policy. Hence it is reported that it has been decided to capture Wei-Hai-Wei.

"If it was not for the bad weather this diversion would not be attempted, as the Chinese fleet is afraid to fight and Wei-Hai-Wei is no obstacle to a march on the capital. But since forward movement of any magnitude are at present impossible the value of capturing Wei-Hai-Wei is easily comprehensible. It would destroy the last refuge of the Chinese fleet and in all probability the fleet itself.

"Being close to shore the sailors could be depended upon to desert and it is very unlikely that the Chinese gunners in the forts will offer any more determined resistance than that exhibited by the cowards at Port Arthur. Its capture then would be simple, and apart from the moral effect of the blow, the destruction or surrender of the Chinese fleet would destroy the last chance of China again acting on the offensive. Before the end of January we believe Wei-Hai-Wei will be in Japanese hands."

Writing under date January 8, the United Press correspondent at Tokio says:

"In addition to two first class fortresses and a dockyard with all appliances, as well as a great tract of territory, China has lost in the present war fighting ships aggregating 13,346 tons and valued at 11,000,000 yen (five and a half million gold dollars.) Of these vessels three were captured by the Japanese; the rest sunk or burned. Among other spoils taken by the Japanese are 607 cannon; 7,400 stand of rifles; 2,801,741 rounds of cannon ammunition; 77,458,785 rounds of small arm ammunition; 16,957 Koku of rice; specie and coin to the amount of one million yen; 3,326 tents; 18 sailing ships and steamers and a quantity of other things the value of the whole, including the fortresses and dock-yard being about eighty million yen.

"The Japanese armies in the field consists of three divisions and a half. The first division and one half of the second are now in the Liao Tung peninsula where they form the second army. Their inaction since taking Port Arthur has been a subject of comment. The brigade forming half of the sixth division remained to garrison Port Arthur and the first division has been massed at Chin Chow and Talien. The reasons for this inertia are apparent. The first division has been held in readiness for another expedition over the sea. It could not, therefore, undertake any operations involving a long march inland. The expedition in question is an attack upon Wei-Hai-Wei. China's only remaining fortified harbor in the Gulf of Pechili. The first division will not proceed alone. It is to be joined by the third division, now on the point of embarking from Hiroshima. The place of landing in the Shan Tung province is kept a profound secret, but the Chinese know that Wei-Hai-Wei is to be attacked and have been doing everything in their power to fortify its back door. It is a tremendous undertaking to carry an army of 20,000 men into the Gulf of Pechili and land them on the Shan Tung shores in midwinter.

"The situation of the left wing of the first Japanese army in Shin King is not strategically sound. Lieut.-Gen. Katsure at Hai-Cheng is between two Chinese forces, each of them numerically nearly twice as strong as his own command. An element is wanting to make practicable and effective a plan of campaign, and that element is a northward movement of Japanese troops from the Liao Tung peninsula so as to operate upon Katsura's south and engage one of the Chinese armies threatening him. Every one supposed that such a movement was contemplated especially when Marshal Oyama pushed from Chin Chow to Fuchow and occupied the latter place December 5. By continuing his march sixty-three miles further north, he would have found himself under the walls of Kai Ping, the headquarters of Gen. Sung. But he fell back to Chin Chow, being under orders to hold his troops ready for embarkation. On the 28th of December, however, another brigade took the ship from Hiroshima for the Liao Tung peninsula. It is probable that on the arrival of that brigade the northward movement alluded to above will be undertaken. Not that the force then in the peninsula will be stronger than the force there at present; on the contrary the first division now at Chin Chow and Talien having been withdrawn for the expedition against Wei-Hai-Wei and replaced by the brigade, there will only be a division in the peninsula instead of a division and a half. But it is not a question of numerical strength. The northern movement could have been made long ago had not Marshal Oyama been obliged to keep the bulk of his troops within easy reach of Talien bay with a view to speedy embarkation."

The Porte Apologizes.

Constantinople, Jan. 23.—The porte has apoligized to Sir Philip Currie, the British ambassador, for the arrest of Postmaster Cobb, and the incident is thus ended.

Death of Chauncey B. Hancock.

New York, Jan. 23.—Chauncey B. Hancok, one of the old and prominent members of the produce exchange, is dead at his home in Brooklyn, aged 64 years.

City Buildings Burned.

Bucyrus, O., Jan. 23.—The city building and half a business block were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss $35,000.

FIGHTING FOR LIFE.

A Suffering Woman Testifies.

Mrs. Henrietta Burton, of Janvier, N. J., writes: For a long time I suffered from a disordered stomach. My appetite was gone and what little I ate distressed me terribly. My health failed rapidly. I became very weak and feared I should never be well. After reading your "Guide to Health," I was encouraged to try Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure. Its action was so prompt that I soon felt like a new woman, and am now completely cured."

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"We both lay still, though feeling pretty considerably small, as you may imagine.

"'It's all right; I see you,' he continued. 'Why, I have been waiting behind that lilac bush every night for the last week, expecting to see you. I knew you couldn't resist going up that ladder, when you found the windows were too much for you—Joe! Joe!'

"'Yes, sir,' said a voice, and another man came from among the bushes.

"'Just you keep your eye on the roof, will you, while I ride down to the station and fetch up a couple of constables?—*Au revoir*, gentlemen! You don't mind waiting, I suppose?' And Col. Morley—for it was the owner of the house himself—strode off; and in a few minutes we heard the rattle of his horse's hoofs going down the avenue.

"Well, sir, we felt precious silly, as you may imagine. It wasn't so much having been nabbed that bothered us, as the feeling of being caught in such a simple trap. We looked at each other in blank disgust, and then, to save our lives, we couldn't help bursting into laughter at our own fix. However, it was no laughing matter; so we set to work going round the roof, and seeing if there was a likely water pipe or anything that might give us a chance of escape. We had to give it up as a bad job; so we sat down again, and made up our minds to the worst. Suddenly an idea flashed into my head, and I groped my way over the roof until I felt wood under my feet. I bent down and found that the colonel had actually forgotten to secure the padlock! You will often notice, as you go through life, that it is the shrewdest and most cunning man who falls into the most absurd mistakes; and this was an example of it. You may guess that we did not lose much time, for we expected to hear the constables every moment. We dropped through into the lumber-room, slipped downstairs, tore open the library shutters, and were out and away before the astonished groom could make out what had happened. There wasn't time enough to take any little souvenir with us, worse luck. I should have liked to have seen the

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colonel's face when he came back with the constables and found that the birds were flown."

"Did you ever come across the colonel again?" I asked.

"Yes; we skinned him of every bit of plate he had, down to the salt spoons, a few years later. It was partly out of revenge, you see, that we did it. It was a very well-managed and daring thing, one of the best I ever saw, and all done in open daylight, too."

"How in the world did you do it?" I asked.

"Well, there were three of us in it—Jim was one; and we set about it in this way: We wanted to begin by getting the colonel out of the way, so I wrote him a note purporting to come from Squire Brotherwick, who lived about ten miles away, and was not always on the best of terms with the master of Morley hall. I dressed myself up as a groom and delivered the note myself. It was to the effect that the squire thought he was able to lay his hands on the scoundrels who had escaped from the colonel a couple of years before, and that if the colonel would ride over they would have little difficulty in securing them. I was sure that this would have the desired effect; so, after handing it in, and remarking that I was the squire's groom, I walked off again, as if on the way back to my master's.

"After getting out of sight of the house, I crouched down behind a hedge; and, as I expected, in less than a quarter of an hour the colonel came swinging past me on his chestnut mare. Now, there is another accomplishment I possess which I have not mentioned to you yet, and that is, that I can copy any handwriting that I see. It is a very easy trick to pick up if you only give your mind to it. I happened to have come across one of Col. Morley's letters some days before, and I can write so that even now I defy an expert to detect a difference between the hands. This was a great assistance to me now, for I tore a leaf out of my pocketbook and wrote something to this effect:

"'As Squire Brotherwick has seen some suspicious characters about, and the house may be attempted again, I have sent down to the bank, and ordered them to send up their bank-cart to convey the whole of the plate to a place of safety. It will save us a good deal of anxiety to know that it is in absolute security. Have it packed up and ready, and give the bearer a glass of beer.'

"Having composed this precious epistle, I addressed it to the butler, and carried it back to the Hall, saying that their master had overtaken me on the way and asked me to deliver it. I was taken in and made much of downstairs; while a great packing-case was dragged into the hall, and the plate stowed away, among cotton-wool and stuffing. It was nearly ready, when I heard the sound of wheels upon the gravel, and sauntered round just in time to see a business-like closed car drive up to the door. One of my pals was sitting very demurely on the box; while Jim, with an official-looking hat, sprang out and bustled into the hall.

"'Now, then,' I heard him say, 'look sharp! What's for the bank? Come on!'

"'Wait a minute, sir,' said the butler.

"'Can't wait. There's a panic all over the country, and they are clamoring for us everywhere. Must drive on to Lord Blackbury's place, unless you are ready.'

"'Don't go, sir!' pleaded the butler. 'There's only this one rope to tie.—There; it is ready now. You'll look after it, won't you?'

"'That we will. You'll never have any more trouble with it now,' said Jim, helping to push the great case into the car.

"'I think I had better go with you and see it stowed away in the bank,' said the butler.

"'All right,' said Jim, nothing abashed. 'You can't come in the car, though, for Lord Blackbury's box will take up all the spare room. Let's see—it's twelve o'clock now. Well, you be waiting at the bank door at half-past one, and you will just catch us.'

"'All right—half-past one,' said the butler.

"'Good-day,' cried my chum; and away went the car, while I made a bit

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of a short cut and caught it around a turn of the road. We drove right on into the next county, got a down-train to London, and before midnight the colonel's silver was fused into a solid lump."

I could not help laughing at the versatility of the old scoundrel. "It was a daring game to play," I said.

"It is always the daring game which succeeds best," he answered.

At this point the train began to show symptoms of slowing down, and my companion put on his overcoat and gave other signs of being near the end of his journey. "You are going on to Dover?" he said.

"Yes."

"For the continent?"

"Yes."

"How long do you intend to travel?"

"Only for a week or so."

"Well, I must leave you here. You will remember my name, won't you? John Wilkie, I am pleased to have met you. Is my umbrella behind you?" he added, stretching across. "No; I beg your pardon. Here it is in the corner," and with an affable smile, the ex-cracksman stepped out, bowed, and disappeared among the crowd upon the platform.

I lit another cigar, laughed as I thought of my late companion, and lifted up the Times, which he had left behind him. The bell had rung, the wheels were already revolving, when, to my astonishment, a pallid face looked in at me through the window. It was so contorted and agitated that I hardly recognized the features which I had been gazing upon during the last couple of hours. "Here, take it," he said—"take it. It's hardly worth my while to rob you of seven pounds four shillings; but I couldn't resist once more trying my hand;" and he flung something into the carriage and disappeared.

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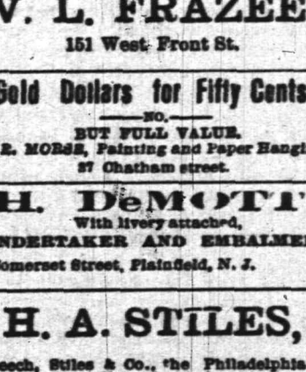

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ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage. (first liens)		$124,200 00
Value of property mortgaged, $320,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured at	130,600	

Market Value.

33,000	Union County Bonds	$ 33,540 00
25,000	Hudson "	25,500 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10,600 00
14,300	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,300 00
13,000	Town City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000 00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000 00
4,000	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,500 00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900 00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10,850 00
	Demand Loans	3,300 00
	Interest due and accrued	4,081 11
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400 00
	Cash in Banks	56,542 92
	Cash in Office	562 45
		$329,006 39

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,598 28
Surplus	15,468 11
	$328,066 39

State of New Jersey, } ss
County of Union, }

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the first day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres't.
ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.
JAMES O POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

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"Remember the River Raisin."

Jan. 22, 1813, the Kentucky volunteers of General Harrison's army met with a surprise ending in massacre at the hands of the British and their Indian allies on the banks of the River Raisin, Michigan.

Colonel Lewis' detachment lay in front, where the British turned their guns upon the sleeping camp. When the drummer boy sounded the notes of reveille they were echoed by the crack of the sentinels' rifles, and these again by the booming of cannon hurling grape and shells into the unprotected bivouac. Lewis' men formed a line of battle behind some picket fences, and facing the foe in two directions shot down the British cannoneers at their pieces. But the fleet savages, led by the notorious Proctor, circled around the field, compelling the Kentuckians to retreat across River Raisin. The Indians hurried in pursuit, and no quarter was given at this, the last stand. After nearly 400 had been massacred, Colonel Winchester, the companion of Lewis and superior in rank, surrendered to Chief Roundhead, who spared his life; also that of Lewis. Twenty men of Lieutenant Ganet's company resisted by fighting and retreating in Indian fashion and were cut down to a man, all except their youthful leader. Colonel John Allen, the hero for whom Allen county is named, was wounded in the thigh at the commencement of the attack, but continued urging on his men until the day was lost, then sank exhausted. Finally he surrendered to an Indian chief upon the promise that his life should be spared. At the same moment two other savages rushed toward him, hatchet in hand. With one blow of his sword he stretched the first one out lifeless. The other snatched up a pistol and shot the noble colonel dead. This battle gave the Kentuckians their famous warcry, "Remember the River Raisin!"

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Battling With Zulus.

Jan. 22, 1879, was the date of the forlorn defense of Isandlhwana by the British soldiers in Zululand. Next to the Custer fight at Little Big Horn, this was the most desperate encounter of modern times between civilized warriors and savages, when 20,000 of King Cetewayo's fiercest braves fell upon a band of 600 British and an equal number of natives guarding the supply camp. The Zulu column spread itself out from each flank in crescent form until the camp was surrounded. Then the slaughter began with assegais.

Detachments of the British were cut off and massacred without quarter, but not until they showed the valor of heroes, fighting in squares or back to back. Colonel Durnford, commander of the post, was killed outside the camp. The next in rank was Colonel Pulleine of the Twenty-fourth, foot. When his battalion had been cut down to a handful, he gave the colors to Lieutenants Melville and Coghill to save if possible. Then turning to his men he said, "As for the rest of us, boys, here we stay, and here we die." Melville and Coghill ran ten miles to the Jugela river, but were killed in the water.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

The press is the best instrument for enlightening the mind of man and improving him as a rational, moral and social being.—*Thomas Jefferson.*

An admirable tale fresh from Conan Doyle's pen is concluded in The Press today; and a fascinating new story is begun by Stanley J. Weyman. The Daily Press serials are the best of latest copyrighted fiction.

In his appointment of Robert S. Green, ex-Governor and Vice-Chancellor, to be Judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals, to succeed the late Wm. Walter Phelps, Governor Werts has paid renewed tribute to the worth and ability of one of Union County's most distinguished men.

In order to wean the Westfield Standard from Populism, Editor McBride of the Elizabeth Journal today installed Editor Pearsall as his assistant in the office of private secretary to Speaker Cross. All the bright Republican editors have now been rewarded by an appreciative Legislature.

Unavoidably omitted from The Press of yesterday, but published today, are the details of the $2 500 literary contest briefly announced in Monday's issue. This is an excellent chance for Plainfield talent to assert itself. The contest will evolve brilliant material, and The Press trusts that inventive and literary Plainfielders will enter the dark-horse competition and pluck the laurels. The stories submitted are sure to be of intense interest; and since The Daily Press is a member of the prize syndicate the material will all be published in that paper, and in none other in this section.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by all druggists.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Charlotte Messersmith is ill with tonsilitis.

Henry Brower of East Fifth street is suffering from an injured hand.

Miss Alberta Irwin of Putnam avenue is out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Euphemia Johnston of East Fifth street is confined to her home with the grip.

Miss Edith Beach of Watchung avenue is out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Ada Wagoner returned to the Commercial Palace today after a few-days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Hubbard returned last night from their marriage journey.

A daughter was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Thompson of West Second street.

Miss Lillian McIlrary of Brooklyn is visiting Miss Eda Beekman of West Eighth street.

Miss Maud Emmons of Washington avenue is confined to the house with an affection of the face.

Miss Winckler who plays in the Trinity Reformed Church entertainment tonight, is a pupil of A. Wehner.

Mrs. Bret Harte and daughter Miss Jessamy Harte are able to be about again after an attack of the grip.

The wife of Councilman E. H. Bird has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be about the house.

Mrs. Mulford, formerly of this city and now of Philadelphia, is visiting D. E. Davis of East Fifth street.

Joseph Shepperd of Orchard place has received news of the death of his uncle, Alexander Shepperd, in Newton.

Henry B. Drake of Duer street, who has been one of the numerous victims of the grip, is able to be out again.

J. J. Coard of East Ninth street has returned from New York, where he has been detained on account of illness.

Miss Mazy Huribut of New York, who has been visiting Miss Ethel Holmes of East Fifth street, has returned home.

Joseph Berg of East Fifth street has accepted a position as clerk with Van-Buren & Timpson, real estate agents.

Harry Newhall of LaGrande avenue is home from the Boston School of Technology, where he is taking a four-years course.

Miss Lucy Thornton of Fall River has returned home after spending several days at the home of James C. Peck of Myrtle avenue.

G. L. Douglass of Sycamore avenue has gone to Washington to confer about the changing of the lights on all vessels, sailing and steamers.

A. V. D. Honeyman of North Plainfield was chosen yesterday to represent Somerset County in the Genealogy Committee of the New Jersey Historical Society.

George Coard of East Ninth street was able to ride out yesterday for the first time after his illness. He has been suffering from a very serious attack of the influenza.

Robert McCormick, who has been the efficient coachman of Henry Squires of Watchung avenue, has returned to his old home in Ireland to spend the rest of the Winter.

Herbert Wolcott Bowen, Consul-General to Barcelona, Spain, arrived in New York by steamship Majestic today, and will visit his brother, Henry E Bowen of Watchung avenue.

A HACKETTSTOWN MIRACLE

AN INTERESTING RECITAL.

From the Hackettstown, N. J., Republican.

Reports from time to time reached the Republican of the remarkable cure of Mrs Jacob Shields, the wife of our leading coal merchant, who has been suffering from a complication of diseases that nearly resulted in her death. In order to verify these statements one of our reporters called on Mrs. Shields and found that the reports were in no way exaggerated, and that Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy had saved her life.

The particulars of the case are these. "I was taken sick," said Mrs. Shields, "with typhoid fever, and was delirious for 3 weeks. When I recovered I suffered untold agony with my back and right limb. They felt as though they would burst. At the same time I suffered terribly with my kidneys. My mother was with me and a friend of hers called and told her of the sickness they had passed through at her home and that Dr Kennedy's Favorite Remedy had been used by them, and she felt sure I would find great benefit from its use.

"A bottle was purchased and I hadn't taken but a few doses before it began to relieve me. That evening the doctor called and I told him that I had stopped his medicine, for he had told Mr. Shields the last time he called that he did not know what more to do for me. Some time before this, I was taken to the hospital and then brought home, as was supposed, to die, Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was taken just in time. I do thank God from the bottom of my heart that He ever sent that lady here to tell me of Favorite Remedy, otherwise death would have been my doom. Since I recovered ever so many have told me that it was a miracle I ever go well. I certainly cannot say enough in praise of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

Many persons are using it upon my recomendation, and it is doing them good. I will cheerfully answer any questions," said Mrs. Shields, in regard to my illness, feeling that others who may be suffering will be benefited by using Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

No tribute could be greater than these words of Mrs. Shields, who voluntarily tells the story of her remarkable recovery.

Favorite Remedy ranks with the medical profession as the most perfect of all blood and nerve medicines. It will cure all diseases of the skin, liver and kidneys and the weaknesses peculiar to females, and affords great protection from attacks that originate in change of life; it cures scrofula, salt rheum, rheumatism, dyspepsia, all kidney, bladder and urinary diseases, gravel diabetes and Brights disease.

MONEY MAKING.

The Quickest Way to Pile Up Wealth In This Business Era.

The reason of the modern differences in favor of business as an instrument of money making is not far to seek. It is the enormous growth in the scale of everything in which business can be done. The enterprise of a merchant, of a contractor, of a mine dealer, even of a shopkeeper, may now cover the whole world and may be carried on, moreover, mainly upon credit. It may be doubted whether, except in those transactions which are called "financial," and which really mean the taking of heavy bribes for pecuniary support, any one transaction ever yields quite as much as the same transactions would have yielded 60 years ago; whether, for example, any cargo ever produces ton for ton an equal margin of profit, or whether any customer in a shop pays quite so heavy a percentage on the goods he buys.

It is the magnitude and multiplication of cargoes which yield fortunes, the thousands instead of hundreds of customers whom clever dealers may induce to spend money. The new system of rapid turnover is, of course, precisely the same thing—the dealer selling four times what he did and using only the same capital. This advantage of scale is almost entirely wanting to the professional man, for the obvious reason that he is hampered by limitations of time.

There are only 600 minutes in a hard worked day, and the seeker after income, be he as able as he may or as decided or as rapid, must give some of those minutes to each client or patient or contractor with a difficulty to meet. If he does not, he loses custom, and with custom income rapidly slips away. There are no doubt favorite lawyers, doctors and even engineers whose advice is sought at great expense, when equally good advice is procurable much cheaper, but still the favorites must give their advice and lose their days in doing it, or they will speedily be deserted.

Nothing can alter this first law, while the exaggeration of professional fees is kept down in the case of solicitors by positive statute, in that of doctors by an etiquette difficult to define or explain—there seems to be no reason why a great physician should not charge according to skill—and in that of barristers and engineers, by a competition, which, though never acknowledged, is none the less real and effective. We can not see what is to alter this condition of affairs, and do not believe that, however civilization may develop itself, professional skill will ever again be the quickest road to large accumulations.—London Spectator.

MME. ALBANI.

An Incident In Which Patti Answered a Remark About Her.

To a writer in The Woman at Home Mme. Albani has been giving some details of her life. "My voice is a certain amount of care to me," she said. "You think that it always sounds fresh and clear?" Well, I watch over it and never allow it to become tired if I can help it. On the days I am engaged to sing at the opera I do not talk above a whisper for many hours beforehand, besides which I believe in careful diet. Tea I forbid myself. Bordeaux I find excellent. And sometimes, between the acts of an opera, I take, through a straw, a cup of bouillon made in the French way, which I find very restorative."

Mme. Albani could sing any tune sung to her long before she could speak. "My sister," she added, "will tell you that she distinctly remembers my first soprano note—a real note, long sustained. We were playing together in our cot in the early morning before the household were astir, and, baby though she, too, was, she has not forgotten the effect made upon her. At 8 years old I actually entered the musical profession. Ah, do not laugh! It is true. I made a little 'tournee' of some months' duration and was much petted and spoiled wherever I went. Then a few years later I was sent to be educated at a convent and engaged to take the soprano solo at a mass."

There is a good—and a true—story of how one day Adelina Patti, when walking down Regent street one morning with her first husband, the Marquis de Caux, stopped at the windows of the stereoscopic company. There were shown, side by side, photographs of herself and the debutante, Mlle. Emma Albani. Patti stood close to the window and was unnoticed by a young man lounging in the background. "Look," he exclaimed in a loud and jubilant voice, "at that photograph of Albani. She's the new prima donna, and everybody is raving over her. Patti will be nowhere very soon. That's one thing certain!" And Patti, turning round suddenly upon the speaker, made him a swift little courtesy. "Thank you, sir," she exclaimed, her eyes sparkling with mischief. The man was rooted to the spot with amazement. Patti stopped just an instant to enjoy the effect she had created and then tripped off laughing through the crowd on her way homeward.

Appetizers.

Pickled olives are a tonic for the nerves, as is celery. While the latter is an excellent digester and should be supplied in crisp, tender pieces to those whose digestion is faulty, yet everywhere it is an excellent appetizer. Among other healthful appetizers water cresses are in the very front rank. All greens are antiscorbutic, but water cresses are especially valuable for this reason.—New York Dispatch.

A genius has arrived at the conclusion that a gold coin passes from one to another 2,000,000,000 times before the stamp or impression upon it becomes obliterated by friction.

The battle of Barnet was one of the most decisive ever fought. It was in 1471 and closed the age of baron rule in England.

Pascagoula, the name of a Mississippi river, means the "Bread Nation."

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lichthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE, Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN, 214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT, 304 and 306 Park avenue.

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can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

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Our 50c plain colors, all wool serges, go at 35c
Our 85c and $1 fine all wool serges, diagonals, Stephanas, henriettas, etc, go now at 55c
One lot of fine Covert Cloth, 52 inches wide, at 65c
One lot China silk, 30 inches wide at 50c ..... value 69c
Teazle Down Wrappers $1.25 to $2, now 88c. $1. $1.42 and $2
Fur Capes at cost or less.

Special Sale of Muslins and Sheetings Now On.

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Our Space

Is not large enough to enumerate the many bargains we are offering this month, but we're clearing out all broken lots to make room for spring goods. Some lots at cost, some at less than half their cost. Come and see. We may have just what you want.

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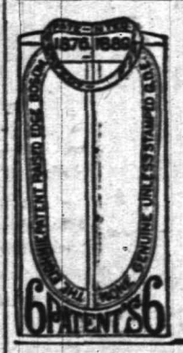

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Oh, not afar in distant skies
The shining hills of heaven rise.
In loving hearts lies paradise,
And loving words are keys that ope
The portals to that land of hope.

Oh, planning hearts that droop and sigh,
To watch the bitter days go by,
Heaven itself is close and nigh.
Ever about us angels go,
Threading these toilsome ways below.
We do not see them—do not know.

But hearts that throb with loving thought,
And lips that whisper, heaven taught,
The loving words the Master brought—
These are the angels we would know,
And these the shining feet that go
Making a paradise below.

Oh, not afar in distant skies,
But close at hand, the blessing lies—
In loving hearts lies paradise.
Look up, sad soul! the world is fair,
And heaven and love are everywhere!
—Dorothy Deane in Minneapolis Housekeeper.

KENILWORTH IVY.

If You Want the Real Thing, Never Go to Kenilworth Castle For It.

"'Could I get some slips of Kenilworth ivy anywhere about the ruins?' I heard a woman ask of the lodgekeeper at Kenilworth castle one day," said a traveler.

"'You are an American, aren't you, madam?' asked the keeper, with a smile.

"'Why, yes, but what of that?' responded the lady, with some slight embarrassment.

"'All American ladies come and ask me for Kenilworth ivy after they have searched in every nook and corner of the ruins for it,' explained the keeper. 'They have told me how common it is in America and how much it is prized, and generally explained that they have promised to take some of the real thing back from Kenilworth ruins for friends at home. They tell me they expected to find the ruins of Kenilworth castle overgrown with the beautiful "Kenilworth ivy," and that it is generally supposed in America that such is the case, and that the ivy first came from here or is named after these ruins because of its abundance here.'

"The woman nodded assent to all this, and the keeper continued:

"'But what you know as "Kenilworth ivy" doesn't grow in or about Kenilworth ruins, as you've no doubt discovered.' And he smiled again, and the woman also smiled in an embarrassed way, for she had been hunting every inch of the ruins over, looking for the plant. 'From the description of the plant which Americans give me I think it is what we call ground or wood ivy that you treasure so much. It has a small, bright green leaf and bears a tiny white flower. It grows on the ground in the thickets and under the hedges in cool places, but I never saw it growing on a wall as the common ivy does. I don't think there is much of it anywhere hereabouts, but it grows in abundance in some places farther south. The American ladies always seem very much disappointed when I tell them "Kenilworth ivy" doesn't grow here in Kenilworth, and I'm very sorry I can't give you some, ma'am.'

"And the woman turned away, with a little sigh, as she thought of the hanging basket at home which was to have been filled with 'real Kenilworth ivy' and of the many friends to whom she had promised slips of the 'real thing' when it had grown. The ruins of Kenilworth castle are covered with thick masses of ivy, but it isn't 'Kenilworth ivy,' but just the common kind."—New York Sun.

The Aim of Christ's Work.

"Peace on earth" was the aim of Christ's work in this world, writes Edward Bellamy in The Ladies' Home Journal. The whole gist of his doctrine and the burden of his teaching consisted in counsels to men how to put an end to strife with their fellowmen and live together with them in mutual helpfulness. All this teaching, which was the whole content of his gospel, was grouped about and crystallized in the golden rule, whereon our modern world is founded as on an everlasting foundation. To believe in Christ and not to believe in the golden rule as the only plan for social organization seems to us a moral and rational impossibility—an unthinkable proposition. Just this, however, our ancestors undertook to do, and it is fair to admit that they were very frank about it. They made no pretenses.

An Apt Reply.

Napoleon's apt replies often excited good humor in a crowd. A large and brawny fishwoman once was haranguing the mob and telling them not to disperse. She finished by exclaiming: "Never mind those coxcombs with epaulets on their shoulders. They care not if we poor people all starve if they can but feed well and grow fat."

Napoleon, who was as thin as a shadow, turned to her and said, "Look at me, my good woman, and tell me which of us two is the fatter."

The fishfag was completely disconcerted, and the mob dispersed.—Exchange.

An Original.

Little Marjorie—There are lots of little Marjories nowadays, but none other at all like this one. She is original in her prayers, as in everything else. The other night she finished off her petition thus:

"And, O Lord, make all the wicked people good and wash all the niggers white!"—New York Tribune.

The unrolling of an Egyptian mummy supposed to be that of a princess, disclosed a curious cheat. The priests who did the embalming probably spoiled or mislaid the body intrusted to them and for it substituted that of an ordinary negro man.

A gentleman of the court of Pepin had a wonderful pair of breeches that cost $700. They were embroidered with gold, and all the figures were traced with chains of small pearls.

Darwin found grains of maize in the earth on the seashore of Peru 85 feet below the level of the sea.

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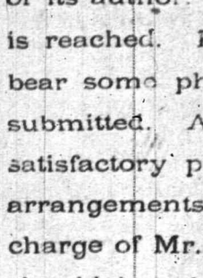
John A. Cockerill, The World.
Boston Herald.
Wm. R. Nelson, The Kansas City Star.
R. F. Paine, The Cleveland Press.
Edwin Fleming, Editor Buffalo Courier.
L. M. Antisdale, Rochester Herald.
E. G. Ruth, Syracuse Journal.
Chas. Dudley Warner, The Hartford Courant.
Chester S. Lord, The New York Sun.
James Keeley, The Chicago Herald.
Crosby S. Noyes, The Washington Evening Star.
Cortlandt Parker, Baltimore Sun.
Graham & Co., Montreal Daily Star.
E. P. Bailey & Co., Utica Observer.
The Providence News, Charles H. Smith, Manager.

THE WEATHER.



For Tomorrow: Fair, Colder, Northwest Winds.

The Vincent Lectures.

Assembly Hall was comfortably filled last evening with an appreciative audience, who enjoyed the second of the series of lectures on eminent authors, by Leon H. Vincent. The subject of the lecture was Thomas Carlyle.

Members of the Kappa Delta Phi served as ushers and sold and collected the tickets.

The third lecture will take place next week Thursday evening, and the subject will be Thackeray.

Fine for Their Home.

A patriotic friend of the Y. M. C. A., of New York, has kindly presented to the Association a handsome American flag, which will soon float to the breeze from the new building.

Sociable Endeavorers.

The Christian Endeavorer Society of the First Baptist Church, with their friends, will enjoy a sociable next Tuesday evening.

Need a Piano or Tuner?

H. C. Hadley, the new Plainfield manager of the Hallett & Davis Piano Co., is displaying a fine line of instruments at proper prices, in his warerooms in the Babcock Building. He makes a specialty of expert tuning, and gives the Musical Monthly Guest to all callers.

Charles H. Smith of Grove street is ill at his home.

Fred Smith of Putnam avenue is out again after a confinement of several weeks with a severe sprain of the ankle, received while skating on Hyde's pond. He limps slightly yet as a reminder of his accident.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., hold their regular meeting this evening.

—A business meeting of the Woman's Temperance Aid Society will be held in Reform Hall tomorrow afternoon at 3.

—The C. Y. M. L. bowling team went to Orange last evening, and were defeated. The score was: Orange, 1570; Plainfield, 1488.

—A number of Plainfielders have been doing double duty in their offices in New York since their clerks have been called out to do duty in Brooklyn.

—The special meeting in the Park Avenue Church last night was well attended. The special services will be continued this and tomorrow evenings.

—Chief Marshal Pangborn has detected the owner of the cap which was dropped by the night marauders at the home of Rev. Mr. Hauser Sunday night.

—Mrs. T. J. Gillies has leased her store, 115 Madison avenue, and must sell, at a sacrifice if necessary, the entire contents of said store. Her advertisement appears in another column of today's Press.

—A regular meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association will be held in their rooms tomorrow evening at 8.

—Rev. E. Kionka will begin instruction of the Y. M. C. A. German class Friday, and J. V. A. Craighead of the English branches Saturday.

—A communication in reply to "American" has been received by The Press and will be published tomorrow. It is unavoidably crowded out today.

—The situation in Brooklyn today is comparatively quiet. The cutting of trolley wires was extensive this morning, and the linemen are not working.

—One of the horses attached to the Scotch Plains stage fell at the corner of Front and Somerset streets, this morning, and was with difficulty put on its feet again.

—Disorderly boys placed cartridges on the track at the Plainfield avenue bridge yesterday and stopped a train. When the train started up again it parted, causing much delay.

—The Grand Army session last night was so full of other business that the expected investigation of the charge against Policeman Kiely was not reached. Mr. Kiely says he courts investigation.

—"Chief", the little beauty of a pony owned by Harvey Fisk, son of Councilman C. J. Fisk, was killed last night by a larger horse which kicked it in the head when the pony wandered up against it. Harvey is inconsolable at his loss.

A CORN-CURE THAT CURES CORNS.

We have never said much about our Corn Cure—though it is one of the best made—because the market is full of cures, so-called. But such positive testimony to its merits has recently been volunteered that we feel justified in "talking up" this little specialty. Our COLLOID CORN CURE is easily applied, gives relief quickly, and will cure every case of Corns, hard or soft, that can be cured, if used as directed. Sold in square vials with brush for applying. REYNOLDS'S PHARMACY, Park and North avenues.

Lyceum Election.

The Clinton Avenue Lyceum met last evening in the chapel of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and the following officers were elected:

President—Edmund Bishop.
Vice President—Wm. Jessup.
Secretary—James Bell.
Treasurer—Mr. Foegate.
Editor—C. H. Lewis.

By-laws were formed and adopted.

After the business a piano solo by Miss Mary Graves was enjoyed.

The meeting night was changed from Tuesday to Thursday and the next meeting will be held Thursday evening Feb. 7

DEATHS.

BARTLETT—Medora S. Easton, at 11 o'clock this morning.

COX—Entered into rest Monday night, Jan. 21, 1895, Ann Johns Bowland, widow of John U. Cox.

Funeral services at her late residence, 345 Franklin place, Thursday, Jan. 24, at 2:30. Interment private. 2

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Mrs. Dr. Edwards
Will remain one week longer until 7 a. m.,
Thursday, January 24.
CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,
one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.
Can be consulted at the City Hotel, Room 2, one flight up. 1 9 6

No. 2243.

CITY NATIONAL BANK.

Dividend No. 36.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi annual dividend of four per cent (4 per cent) on the capital stock of this bank out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Tuesday, Feb. 5 1895.

Plainfield January 23, 1895.
W. F. ARNOLD, Cashier.
1 23 26 28 31-2 2

AUCTION SALES

commencing at 2 p. m., sharp, Thursday, Jan. 24, 1895, and a regular weekly sale every Thursday at 2 p. m. Wagons, buggies, harness, bicycles, farm machinery, sleighs, bob-sleds, road carts, household furniture, washing machines, etc., horses, mules, cows, hogs and poultry. 51 to 56 Somerset st., Spice Building, North Plainfield. John P. Wolfe, D. D. Smalley, Auct'r.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

GIRL with references wants position to do general housework. Apply 538 West 4th st.

TO LET—7 room house, 5 minutes from depot; rent $15; possession April 1. Inquire 54 Pearl st.

BOARD—To let, pleasant room, good neighborhood, central location, home comforts; a few table boarders also taken. 303 West 4th street, near Central avenue. 1 10 tf

MEN WANTED to solicit orders for nursery stock; no experience necessary; salary or commission as preferred. The Gusrantee Nursery Co., 18th and Chestnut sts., Sta., Phila., Pa. 1 19 6-eod

AGENTS make $5 daily; marvelous invention; retails 25c; 2 to 6 sold in a house; sample mailed free. Forshee & McMakin, Cincinnati, O. 1 2 y-w

GREAT chance to buy handsome new upright grand piano; sale takes place at 218 West Front street, 3 p. m., Friday. Terms to suit. 1 22 3

COLORED man and wife want situations; man to work on gentleman's place and woman to do general housework or is willing to do day work; good city reference. Call 515 East 6th st. 1 22 2

FOUND—A key, with piece red ribbon attached. Call at this office. 1 22 2

WANTED—A thoroughly competent nurse. Call at 703 Watchung ave. 1 12 tf

WANTED—House 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; reasonable rent; possession April 1. Address "Ed", care Press. 1 17 tf

WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

$10,000 TO LOAN, amounts to suit; gilt edge real estate. Mulford, broker. 1 14 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J 1 4 tf

ROOM to let with or without board. 321 East 5th st. 12 29 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

—The City National Bank has declared its semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent.

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. . . . . **IN BASEMENT.**

The economical buyer will take advantage of the sale of Granite ware in our basement this week. These are

First-Class Goods--Not Seconds.

We handle only the best and sell them at astonishingly low prices. The Prices we have put on this Granite ware is less than the wholesale price.

Tea Pots, 2 quart,	52c.,	regular price,	69c
" " 1 "	45c.,	" "	53c.
Tea Kettles,	91c.,	regular price	99c
Lipp Sauce Pan,	19cts.	" "	25c.
" "	29cts.	" "	35c.
" "	31cts.	" "	37c.
" "	43cts.	" "	49c
Wash Basin,	23cts.	regular price,	27cts.
Water Pails,	12c.,	regular price,	17c
Cedar Tubs,	50c., 60c.,		75c.

SPECIALS:

Laundry Soap 3c. cake, Washing Powder, 3c. cake. Silexo, 4c. cake. Pearline ½lb. 4c package.

DINNER SETS.

100 piece Dinner set $6.75. $7.29., $7.99. regular price, $9, $10, $11. For other articles necessary in your kitchen or dining room call and price our goods.

Turn Your Search-Light

upon our display of Dress Goods, also the low prices and you can plainly see that our prices and quality of goods can not be equaled in the city. Just received a new supply of those Flannels 38-inch wide, all-wool, 25c, worth 40c, 15 pieces changeable worsteds, one yard wide 15c, worth 25; 10 pieces Scotch Plaids, 7-8 yard wide 12½c worth 20. All of our 65c Cashmeres and Serges reduced to 50c for one week only.

Coats and Capes.

We have simply torn the linings out of the prices on our Coats and Capes. We are satisfied to close them out at less than it costs to manufacture them.

Remnants

of all descriptions on our centre counter at at just half their value. These remnants containing enough for waists or skirts and the prices we have placed on them can not help but sell them. Don't forget Granite Sale in Basement.

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Wednesday, January 23.
W. H. Powers's unparalled success. The picturesque Irish drama,
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SEE—The Revolving Tower.
Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c. $1.
Box office now open.

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Thursday, Jan. 24
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Our sale of muslins still continues. Dwight Anchor, Fruit and Lonsdale, 6½c.

Lonsdale cambric 8½c.
5x4 pillow casing 9c.
8x4 sheeting 14c.
9x4 sheeting 16c.
10x4 sheeting 17c.

Underwear & Hosiery

Are two departments that feel the cut as prices have been cut in half

Ladies heavy ribbed vests	25 cents
" " pants	25 cents
" merino vests and pants	33 cents
Men's shirts and drawers	35 cents
Children's heavy seamless hose	12 cents
Ladies " " "	12 cents
Ladies full regular hose 25c quality	19 cents
Ladies fine cashmere hose	21 cents

Coats and Capes

No profit here for us. We don't want any garment we have and they are yours at your own price

Best Apron Gingham	5 cents
Best Indigo Print	5 cents
Heavy Domet Flannel	5 cents
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See that 45 in. wool serge Black and Blue 19c yard and that fine imported 45 in. serge 65c it's worth.

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All linen cream damask 21c
70 in. all linen cream damask 38c.
Heavy linen crash 7c.
All linen huck towels 10c.
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This stock goes into the new store but we would rather sell it now than move it so everything goes at cost.

WHITE,
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Graduate of the Conservatory of Leipsic, Germany, desires a few more pupils in Plainfield.
References given and required.
Address letters to the office of this paper.
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Plain Facts.

We are selling Clothing suited to the weather and suited to the times—This week we offer men's all-wool Cheviot Suits in blue or black and cut in the latest style sacks—single or double breasted and worth from $15 to $18—our price now

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Men's storm ulsters $6 and up; Men's English Kersey overcoats $8 up. If you want the best for the least money, come here; if not, anywhere else will do.

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NOTICE.

Concerning the matter of John Clacy, I wish to inform all interested that I have left for inspection at The Daily Press office photographs of Clacy and his wife, and of his three children, where they may be seen by all concerned. PATRICK O'KEEFE,
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by being used as an injection. Above all, Bovinine is in itself a germicide, and in all such diseases as Diphtheria, caused by microbes, it not only performs its greatest mission of maintaining life, but antidotes the existing bacilli.

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DOINGS IN THE HOUS.

Indian Appropriation Bil Amended and Passed.

Gen. Sickles Succeeds in Getting Through the Measure for a National Military Park at Gettysburg—Senate Discusses the Hawaiian Question and the Nicaragua Bill.

Washington, Jan. 23.—According to an agreement made last week, the bill to establish a national military park at Gettysburg, Pa., was taken up and Mr. Sickles (dem., N. Y.), in charge of the measure, proposed a substitute for the pending measure. He said it had been drawn after consultation with the secretary of war and the committee on appropriations. The changes, he explained, were generally clerical and technical in their nature. Without opposition or objection the substitute was accepted and the bill passed. It carries an appropriation of $75,000 to begin the work.

The house then went into committee of the whole on the Indian appropriation bill.

In the course of the discussion of the educational features of the bill Mr. Brickner (dem., Wis.) unsuccessfully endeavored to secure appropriations by name for several schools which did not appear in the bill. In regard thereto Mr. Pickler (rep., S. D.) said that that part of the bill was framed upon the theory that government support for all contract denominational or sectarian schools should be withdrawn as rapidly as possible; that the commissioner would give them next year, from the amount appropriated in gross, 80 per cent. of the sum heretofore appropriated to them, and reduce the amount each year by 20 per cent, until all connection between the schools and the bureau should cease.

Additional sections were added to the bill, one appropriating $6,000 to purchase the lands of the Wyandotte Indians absent from the reservation; and one to provide for the sale of surplus lands belonging to the Pottowattomis and Kickapoo Indians in Kansas.

The provisions of the bill requiring the secretary of the interior to build Indian industrial schools at Rapid City and Chamberlain, S. D., was stricken out on a point of order.

Numerous other changes in the bill were stricken out on points of order.

After considerable discussion, in the course of which Mr. Pickler (rep., S. D.) charged Mr. Holman, chairman of the committee, with failing to keep promises made in the committeee room, which Mr. Holman denied, the bill was reported to the house, the amendments agreed to, and the bill passed.

A bill was passed authorizing the appointment of cadets at the naval academy from districts not now represented by residents therein, or by cadets who were residents at the time of their appointment.

The conference report on the urgent deficiency bill, carrying the appropriation for the collection of the income tax, was agreed to. The house disagreed to the senate amendments to the fortifications appropriation bill and asked a conference thereon. Mr. Sayers (dem., Tex.) gave notice that to-day he would call up the sundry civil appropriation bill.

The Hawaiian question was again debated in the senate for somewhat over two hours. Mr. Gray (dem., Del.) occupied the position of defender and advocate of the administration and Mr. Lodge (rep., Mass.) that of its prosecutor. The latter senator was plain and outspoken in advocacy of the annexation of the islands, declaring that he disliked to see the American flag pulled down where it had been once run up, or an American foot go back where it had been once advanced.

In the course of the discussion Mr. Hawley (rep., Conn.) took occasion to correct the impression that in yesterday's debate he had charged the president with "conspiring" with royalist Hawaiian conspirators. What he intended to convey, he said, was that the president had "conferred" with them.

The Kyle resolution on which the discussion had been based, was at the close of the morning hour, placed on the calendar, and the remainder of the day's session was occupied with a speech by Mr. Turple (dem., Ind.) in opposition to the Nicaraguan canal bill.

A Witness for Fitzsimmons.

St. Louis, Jan. 23.—Bob Fitzsimmons has run across an important witness whom he will use in case he is ever tried for the killing of Con Riordan. According to Fitzsimmons, the unknown formerly trained Riordan, and will swear that the dead pugilist some years ago was thrown out of a hack, alighting on his head and sustaining a wound two inches long and down to his skull. The physician who attended Riordan at the time has also been located.

An Old Case Settled.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—By a decree of the Illinois supreme court the heirs of Rev. John Dempster, who died at Evanston, Ill., in 1863, will become possessed of property estimated to be worth $1,000,000. The case has been in the courts for twelve years.

Still on the Decrease.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The treasury department yesterday lost $1,600,000 in gold—$1,500,000 for export and $100,000 in exchange for United States notes—leaving the gold reserve stand at the close of business at $68,591,893.

Embezzler Ellis Under Arrest.

Philadelphia, Jan. 23.—Alfred Ellis who embezzled $1,000 from his employer, Chas. F. Shoemaker, a Philadelphia merchant in September last, and who was also wanted on a charge of bigamy has been arrested.

Mr. Foster Arrives at Kobe.

London, Jan. 22.—A dispatch to the Times from Kobe says that John W. Foster, the Chinese peace commissioner, has arrived there and will proceed to Hiroshina to meet the other Chinese envoys.

Death of the Swiss Philosopher.

London, Jan. 23.—Charles Secretan, the Swiss philosopher, died in Lausanne yesterday. He was 80 years old.

CIGARETTES AND THE TEETH.

A Dentist Says the Nerves In Them Are Killed by Nicotine Poisoning.

"There is one bad result of constant cigarette smoking that very few people know anything about," said a Brooklyn dentist. "The result itself has been apparent to me and to all dentists for a long time, but the cause has been a mystery until very recently. For years the nerves of teeth in every other way perfect have been found dead. A careful examination of a dead nerve found in an unexposed tooth recently revealed the fact that it had been poisoned by nicotine, and thereby the mystery referred to was solved. Nicotine poisoning from cigarette smoking is killing the nerves in the teeth of smokers. It is a most serious state of affairs, although most people will not understand. They think a dead tooth is as good as a live one. They will find their mistake some day.

"A young woman whom I have known for some time came here the other day and wanted a tooth attended to. I worked on the tooth some time, and some of the instruments I used should have made her scream a little bit. But she never made a sound, and I naturally concluded that the nerve of the tooth was dead. It surprised me because the tooth was a good one and the nerve unexposed. Well, I extracted the nerve, and the minute I saw it I knew what was the trouble.

"'Do you want a live nerve left in your head?' I asked.

"'Why, of course,' she replied.

"'Then stop smoking cigarettes,' I said.

"'Why, doctor, what do you mean?' she began. Then she put on a great show of indignation.

"'My dear young lady,' I said, 'what's the use of talking so? I'm a dental surgeon and know a thing when I see it. You have been smoking cigarettes for a long time, and my advice was given in a perfectly friendly spirit.' Well, she collapsed then, acknowledged the truth of what I had said, and that ended it. I don't think that cigarette smokers figure this result of nicotine poisoning in with the many other injurious effects of the weed, but to my mind it is the most dangerous of all."—New York Sun.

THE MONEY ISN'T THERE.

A Pickpocket Who Was Foolish Enough to Steal a Lady's Pocketbook.

"I just swiped a leather, Jim," said a pickpocket to another of his profession as he came across him sitting on a bench in Union square.

"Wus it one o' them purty ones what the women carries round de street in der hands?"

"Yes, I swiped it up on Fift' avener when she wus lookin inter er windy."

"If yer'd been in de bizniz as long as I hev, yer wouldn't er took it."

"Why?"

"'Tain't wuth it."

"A feller might strike er big haul, though, that way some time."

"Not on yer life he wouldn't. I've swiped a load on 'em, an I never got one yit that I could git a beer out on. Dey don't carry money in dem leathers. Dey's only er bluff. Try dat one yer've got and see if it's enny good."

Glancing about him warily to make sure that no one was watching him, the pickpocket opened the purse. He found three samples of silkoline, a patent glove buttoner, a card advertising a lotion for removing blackheads from the face, a sheet of flesh colored court plaster, some samples of scrim and Madras, a list of prices of carpets, a circular showing an illustration of a patent hose supporter, a card of small safety pins, two slabs of chewing gum warranted to cure dyspepsia and a card bearing her address and instructions to take her there if she met with an accident.

"That's all dere is in it," said the man who had "swiped" the pocketbook as he turned it upside down and shook it, with a look of disgust on his face.

"Didn't I tell yer," remarked the other. "I've 'swiped' dem t'ings till I'm tired. Dey're all de same. De women don't carry nothin but trash in 'em. De money ain't dere, never!"—New York Herad.

Do Not Sleep on the Left Side.

There is little doubt that an immense number of persons habitually sleep on the left side, and those who do so can never, it is said, be strictly healthy. It is the most prolific cause of nightmare, and also of the unpleasant taste in the mouth on arising in the morning. All food enters and leaves the stomach on the right side, and hence sleeping on the left side soon after eating involves a sort of pumping operation which is anything but conducive to sound repose. The action of the heart is also seriously interfered with and the lungs unduly compressed. Hence it is best to cultivate the habit of always sleeping on the right side, although Sandow and other strong men are said to invariably sleep on their backs.—Philadelphia Times.

Animals Respect One Another's Rights.

Truth forces the observer of nature to admit that birds and other creatures apportion the earth among themselves just about as man does. A bear has his boundaries beyond which his fellow bear does not trespass with impunity—the wild rabbit you see on your lawn in the moonlight is the same innocent little creature you have been seeing every night all the summer time—and even the robin that gathers the early worm for his breakfast from your garden will show fight when another comes marauding on his preserve. Nor does this last a year only, for there is good evidence that the same bird will come back to the claim it staked off the year previous.—Meehan's Monthly.

A Devotee of Browning.

"Some of Browning's works?" repeated the gentlemanly book store clerk. "Certainly, ma'am. Which volumes did you want?"

"Oh," said Mrs. Nurich languidly, "wrap me up a quarter of a dozen."—Chicago Record.

WHAT IS GRAVITATION?

Some Examples That Seem to Answer the Weighty Question.

Two men at antipodes on the earth's surface are drawn directly toward each other. Each is at the apex of a cone of the other. These cones interlock at the earth's center and are there equal, but the greater part of the mass of each cone and consequently the greater mass of gravity holding each to his place is past the center of the earth and culminates at the feet of the other.

Every point of the earth's surface pulls in a straight line through the center of the earth, not stopping at it; losing part of the pound in proportion as it approaches the center; then, passing, regaining it again in proportion as it approaches the opposite surface. So that half way past the center the pound which at the center was nothing has now become a half pound, and at the antipodal surface a pound again.

Make the center of the earth the common apex of an indefinite number of cones radiating to the surface. According to mass, gravity pulls from the center, and the center is again the point of nugation.

If gravity is an active essence produced by molecular motion, if being a living essence, it is therefore a perishable one, it follows that in a conglomerate mass, as the earth, some substances will probably exhaust sooner than others by reason of expiration of molecular activity, if that be its producer, or from other or any cause. Being an active expending force, it must have a producer, and that producer must have supplies of force producing matter. These supplies, however great, must exhaust. Different qualities of matter may contain this force producing quality in differing degrees and qualities. If so, the minor will sooner exhaust. A feather, a leaden ball and a dry stick will fall through space to our atmosphere with equal speed because their atoms and the atoms of the earth mutually attract each other regardless of shape or size. Gravity is atomic, and every atom is the equal of every other atom, no matter how diffuse or how concrete the mass of the object of which they are parts. But the dry stick may have lost its active principle—gravity. Its essence producing principles may have been exhausted. Nevertheless it would be grasped by the overwhelming gravity of the earth and brought down in company with its fellows.

Gravity pulls laterally as well as perpendicularly. The weight of the earth has been calculated from the pull of a mountain on a plumb line.

A person standing in a narrow canyon, with walls towering hundreds or thousands of feet above him on either side, has much better footing than if on the pinnacle of a monument. In one case he is held up by lateral gravity. In the other he is without support.—R. W. Musser in Cincinnati Enquirer.

Wearing of Glass Eyes.

It is a fallacy to suppose that people who wear cork legs and glass eyes are indifferent to their personal appearance. They are often vainer than ordinary individuals.

A rich man, for instance, who is obliged to wear an artificial eye will wear three different eyes every day—an eye for morning, when the pupil is not very large; an eye for afternoon, when the pupil is smaller; an eye for evening, when the pupil has extended to its full size.

A London eyemaker, who gave this information, said he made about an equal proportion of glass eyes for men and women. Some people keep quite a stock in their possession. In fact, no less than 12 eyes have been made by my informant for one gentleman within three months.

His son had got one eye made from measurement, and that eye fitted so perfectly that the old gentleman, in an outburst of gratitude, wrote off for 11 other eyes. The eyemaker admitted that this was an exceptional instance.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Too Smart For the Doctor.

The daughter of a well known jockey was very ill, having caught a severe cold. A doctor was sent for and was buttonholed by the mother, who requested him to favor her by advising her daughter not to wear low ankled shoes.

The daughter was sent for, and, after her tongue had been given the usual out of door exercise, the man of medicine said:

"Ah, you are suffering from what we medical men call a low shoe cold, and I must prohibit you from wearing such shoes in the future."

The young lady started, and, taking off one of the offending shoes, exclaimed:

"Since you are so clever, doctor, as to look at my tongue and tell me what is amiss with my feet, will you be kind enough to look at my feet and tell me whether my fringe is properly adjusted?"

He gave up prescribing for smart girls.—London Tit-Bits.

At a German Court Martial.

Captain (presiding)—Then I am to understand that the accused offered you a cigar when you were doing sentry duty?

"Yes, your honor."

"And you declined?"

"Yes, to command, your honor."

"And what reply did he make?"

"'You are an ass,' your honor."—Kolnische Volkszeitung.

A Wise Man.

He (disagreeably)—What the mischief is the matter with this dinner?

She (mildly)—I cooked it, dear.

He—Well, I was wondering what made it so much better than usual.—Detroit Free Press.

Fine tooth combs of brass and ivory have been dug up from Roman tombs, and from certain allusions found in the Latin poets it is evident that they were greatly needed by the ladies of the world's metropolis.

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6.37 p. m. WESTERN EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, dining car daily for Pittsburg, Chicago, Cleveland, daily except Saturday, for Toledo Williamsport, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

8.34 p.m.—SOUTHWESTERN EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping car, daily, to Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, and Memphis. Dining car Altoona to Richmond

8 43 p. m.—PACIFIC EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, daily, for Pittsburg, Columbus, Chicago and Toledo, daily, except Saturday for Cleveland.

For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1.40, 9.05, 9.36 a. m., 9.09 p. m.

Sundays, 1, 9 05, 9 36 a. m., 9 41 p m.

For Baltimore only 1 27 p. m., week-days.

For Newark and New York—2 02, 3 54, 5 45, 6 27, 6 45, 7 07, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 33, 9 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 12, 1 20, 1 56, 2 24, 2 40, 2 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 43, 5 15, 5 36, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 45, 6 58, 7 07, 7 25, 7 59, 8 41, 9 10, 9 50, 10 08, 11 05 and 11 56 p. m.

Sundays 2 02, 3 24, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 19, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 33, 2 45, 3 45, 4 28, 5 24, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30, 9 15, 10 16, 11 46 and 11 56 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 7 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43, A. M., 1 05, 1 37, 3 33, 5 00, 6 26, 7 45, 9 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 57, 9 05, 9 26, 10 41 A. M., 5 40, 6 27, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 12 35, 1 37, 2 45, 3 59, 4 38, 5 08, 5 47, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20, 7 36, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, 11 47 a m, 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—3 01, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 26, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 45, 5 05, 6 26, 7 45, 9 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 8 59, 9 05, 9 26, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 27, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46, 12 46, 4 19 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 2 00, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11, 11 40, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 40, 5 30, 6 10, except Saturday, 6 30, 6 45, 6, 8 15, 6 30, 7, 1 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—2 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 6 30, 7, 8 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 00 night. 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 6 36, 6 58, 7 36, 7 50, 8, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, A. M., 12 00, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 04, 6 02, 7 02, 8 30, 10 17, 11 38 P. M. Sunday—9 01, 9 52, 10 08, 11 20, A. M., 12 38, 1 45, 9 00, 9 55, 7 11, 7 59, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 8 10, 7 16, 7 55, 8 30, 9 08, 10 08, 11 30 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 40, 3 55, 4 03, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 50, 6 50, 7 15, 7 55, 9 05, 10 08, 11 38 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 35 A. M., 1 10, 2 30, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 20, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 9 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 45, 2 08, 2 52, 3 45, 4 50, 5 05, 5 14, 5 56, 6 04, 6 19, 6 33, 7 13, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 23 P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—6 45, 9 23, 9 54, A. M., 2 05, 2 20, 5 14, 6 34, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 36, 7 53, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 05, 4 25, 5 26, 5 38, 6 35, 7 17, 8 46, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 45, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 02, 9 02, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 9 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 3 05, 5 14, 7 58, 9 21 P. M. Sundays—8 46, 9 28 A. M., 3 05, 6 05, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 05, A. M., 12 02, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 46 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Bauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 56 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 06 P. M., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 46 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5.06 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 52, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 30, 5.54, 7 03, p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 6,10 27 a.m., 1 18 3 51, 4 30 p.m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 6 46, 8 46 9 46, 10 46, a. m., 2 08*, 5 54* 6 46 8 51, 9 37* p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—8 46, 9 46, a. m., 2 08*, 5 16*, 6 46 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 6 46, 9 46, 10 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 54*, 6 36*, 9 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—8 46, 9 54, a. m., 2 08*, 5 16* 6 46 p.m., 1 12, night.

For Bethlehem and Washington at 9 46, a. m., 2 08, 5 54* 6 46 p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—9 46 a. m., 2 08, 5 16* 6 46 p.m., 1 12, night.

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For Buffalo, Chicago and all points west, week-days at 9 54 a m., 8 22 p. m. Sundays 6 36 p. m.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA, Reading terminal, 4 10, 8 30, 9 40, 11 35 a.m., 1 30 3 00 5 15, 6 04, 8 25, p.m., 12 10, night. Sundays—4 10, 8 30, 9 40, 12 35 a. m., 3 50, 6 00 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 10, a.m. 2 40, 4 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—8 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 20, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 10 4 56, 9 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28* 5 54, 9 01 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 56, 9 06, 10 27 a. m., 1 10*, 4 28 6 45* 8 03 p. m.

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THE BREACH WIDENED

More Clashes Between the Troops and Strikers.

Two Men Shot by Pickets—Actions of Militia Incense the Labor Leaders, Who Will Now Play Their Strongest Card—Linemen Ordered Out—Other Incidents.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 23.—The situation has grown more serious and the outlook is most grave. The breach between the striking employes of the trolley lines and the companies has been widened by yesterday's doings.

Master Workman Martin J. Connelly declares that the troops of the Seventh regiment raided a peaceable assemblage of workingmen, seized their papers and records and ran things with a high hand. The militia admit throwing out a cordon of soldiers for two blocks from the Ridgewood depot, and incidentally penning 200 strikers in Odd Fellows hall for two hours while the cars were operated on the Gates avenue line. They deny seizing books and papers.

Fifteen linemen who went on strike on their own accord early in the day had been ordered back to work by Connelly. When he heard of the affair at Odd Fellows hall, he ordered all linemen to quit work this morning. If the men obey there will be few cars operated until their places are filled, if they can be filled.

The mayor has issued an additional proclamation as follows: "Law and order must prevail first in this community, must be respected by all, and must be enforced upon all even if it takes the entire force of the state."

Superintendent Quinn of the Atlantic Avenue company says that greater progress had been made on the lines throughout the day than any day since the strike was inaugurated. He declared that there had not been the slightest disturbance.

Several cars were wrecked on account of the green motormen, and several persons injured.

A charge was made by the militia at Broadway and Halsey streets just before midnight. Some small boys had been jeering the soldiers and there was but few men about. A drunken man from New York started from John Conways' saloon on the corner to cross Halsey street. He was fired upon and hit in the face sustaining a compound fracture of the jaw. His name was Thomas Ahns and will probably die.

Richard Mitchell, of the Brooklyn City railroad, was shot in the arm. Two of the bullets of the militia went through the large plate glass window of the candy store of John Eckoff at No. 1,657 Broadway, narrowly missing the clerks behind the counter. Mr. Eckoff's daughter Sophia, who was standing in front of the store was just missed by a bullet.

Dr. T. E. Wilson attended the wounded man and was an eye witness of the shooting. He says there were but few people about and much less excuse for the shooting than there was the night before when a large crowd at the same place created quite a disturbance.

An ambulance took the New Yorker to the St. Mary's hospital and Mitchell went to his home. At 11:40 the neighborhood was almost deserted, but the few men about were excited over the occurrence. There were less than twenty men present when the shooting occurred.

The shooting was done by five of the men of the picket line which the Seventh regiment had established along Halsey street to guard the car house. Col. Appleton of the Seventh was in charge of the troops.

Commissioner Edward Feeney, of the state board of mediation and arbitration, made a personal attempt to bring about a settlement of the strike. He called on President Lewis, of the Brooklyn City railroad, and talked with him for half an hour. President Lewis said there was nothing to arbitrate. He declared he could operate his lines under the protection of the military and the police. President Norton likewise refused to arbitrate.

An order was received at the Jamaica avenue depot of the Brooklyn City Railroad line, yesterday afternoon, to pay off the new men.

Each man was carefully questioned before any money was given to him.

"Did you work yesterday?" asked the foreman of one man.

"Yes."

"But you didn't take out a car."

"But I was here."

"That's true, but you were only being broken in. You are only entitled to fifty cents for yesterday."

"My contract with the company calls for $2 a day," said the new man, indignantly, "I want $2 for my day's work."

"We don't know anything here," replied the foreman, "about your contract with the company. I'm instructed to pay you 50 cents. If you want more you will have to go to the head office, in Montague street."

This conversation was carried on in the presence of a reporter of the New York Times, and there were many others of the same sort.

The men seemed to think that they were not well treated. The foreman told them that if they didn't like what they got they could quit. "We are not keeping you here," he said. "You can go where you like."

It is reported that President Lewis has telegraphed the Lehigh Valley Traction company that he is in desperate need of men. The telegram said the company was in danger of losing its charter. Secretary Walter answered that he could not force men to go, but would ask for volunteers. None responded.

Every effort is being made by the companies to secure men and their agents are scouring the neighboring cities in quest of help.

After the trouble at Broadway and Halsey street things became quiet and so continued throughout the early morning hours.

Killed by the Cars.

Saratoga, N. Y., Jan. 23.—Dr. Whitford was struck and instantly killed yesterday afternoon by a Delaware & Hudson Schenectady train on a highway crossing two miles south of Ballston Spa.

HE PULLED HIS NOSE.

Statement of the Robinson-Wintersmith Affair at Colon.

New York, Jan. 23.—J. W. Popham a passenger per the steamer Colombia from Colon, just arrived, was interviewed in regard to ex-Vice Consul Tracy Robinson's charge of assault against Vice Consul Wintersmith. Mr Popham said that Tracy Robinson had been trying to get the appointment of consul at Colon for a long time, nearly 20 years, and had succeeded only so far that he had held the office of vice consul.

When Richard Wintersmith succeeded him, he was made very sore and sought in every way to make the veteran Kentuckian uncomfortable.

Matters came to a head suddenly when Robinson met Dick Wintersmith at the Washington hotel on Dec. 30. According to Mr. Popham's account Dick Wintersmith approached Robinson and accused him of maligning his character and the ex-vice consul told Wintersmith he was a liar, whereupon the latter at once slapped Robinson's face and pulled his nose.

Robinson at once took water and before a crowd of witnesses acknowledged that he had lied about Wintersmith and had circulated malicious stories concerning him. Afterwards Robinson had Wintersmith arrested for assault and fined $10 and the justice placed both men under bonds to keep the peace. All the American residents at Colon side with Wintersmith in the matter.

SUCCESS AFTER FIVE YEARS.

The Sultan Grants a Permit to the American College of Girls.

Boston, Jan. 23.—Miss Mary M. Patrick, of Lyons, Ia., is the president of the American college of girls at Constantinople, an institution of the American Board of Foreign missions. An effort to secure a firman, or permit for the college had been made during the last five yars. It passed all the necessary bodies and has been in the palace awaiting the sultan's signature for nearly two years.

Judge Terrell, United States minister to Turkey, has cabled to the American board that his majesty, the sultan, has graciously issued an official permit to the college in consideration of its great services in educating his Christian subjects.

The Rev. Judson Smith, D. D., secretary of the foreign department of the board, states that this American college for girls has 175 pupils, 26 more than in any former year, and is the most important institution for girls under its care.

The board awaits an affirmative answer to other requests for permits for Euphrates college at Harpoot and Anatolia college at Marsoven, which have been promised several times within the last three years.

OPENED ITS DOORS.

How the Merchants' Bank Examiner Disobeyed Orders.

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 23.—A rumor gained credence here that Col. George W. Dunn, ex-clerk of the assembly, will be appointed receiver of the Merchants' bank, which closed its doors yesterday.

Senator O'Connor, when asked his opinion as to whether he thought the bank would resume, said he was perfectly willing to co-operate in any way within his power that would tend to put the bank firmly on its feet again. The senator is the assignee of all the property of the members of the Ross family, the largest stockholders in the Merchants' bank.

The main topic of conversation has been with regard to the action of Bank Examiner Clark in allowing the doors of the Merchants' bank to open, thus allowing some of the heavy depositors and stockholders to withdraw their funds.

Refuse To Take Their Allottments.

Washington, Jan. 23.—A delegation of Kickapoo Indians from Oklahoma is in Washington to look after the matter of allotting their lands. The government bought their lands and the amount given was accepted by the tribe but about 150 of them refuse to take their allottments, preferring their old mode of living. There is a provision of law however, to meet the exigency. It states that in such a case allotments will be made for the Indians who refuse to abide by the treaty stipulations.

Five Men Killed in an Explosion.

Sturgis, Ky., Jan. 23.—Shortly before midnight an explosion occurred at the mines of the Tradewater Coal company. Five kegs of powder exploded inside the mines, killing five men and two mules and caving the mines in on them. About seventy-five men are now at work digging the men from the debris and have reached the mules which are horribly mangled.

Prof. Shortlidge Much Improved.

Norristown, Pa., Jan. 23.—Prof. Swithin C. Shortlidge, who has been confined in the hospital for the insane here since being acquitted for the murder of his wife, is rapidly improving mentally and physically and he will probably be discharged in a few weeks. He is allowed the freedom of the institution and devotes much time to reading.

Woman Convicted of Arson.

New York, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Sarah Silbermeister has been convicted of arson in the first degree before Recorder Goff, for having set fire to Leopold Weinberg's tailor shop at 178 Orchard street. The woman will be sentenced on Friday next. The penalty is not less than 10 years.

Systematical Thieves.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 23.—John H. Mandershield and Louis K. Grey, have been arrested for systematically robbing the tobacco firm of J. S. Crawfords Sons. The prisoners were clerks for the firm and were accused of stealing $1,700 worth of tobacco and selling it to dealers.

Mr. Iselin Resigns.

New York, Jan. 23.—C. Oliver Iselin has resigned from the American Cup committee, being interested in a vessel which will compete in the trial races for the America cup.

Judge Bingham Dead.

Littleton, N. H., Jan. 23.—The Hon. George A. Bingham, ex-justice of the supreme court, is dead at his home here, aged 69 years.

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On the 15th of August, 1601, returning from a mission to England I sailed from Dover, and crossing to Calais without mishap anticipated with pleasure the king's satisfaction when he should hear the result of my embassy, and learn from my mouth the just and friendly sentiments which Queen Elizabeth entertained towards him.

Unfortunately I was not able to impart these on the instant. During my absence a trifling matter had carried the king to Dieppe, whence his anxiety on the queen's account, who was shortly to be brought to bed, led him to take the road to Paris. He sent word to me to follow him, but necessarily some days elapsed before we met; an opportunity of which his enemies and mine were quick to take advantage, and that so insidiously and with so much success as to imperil not my reputation only but his happiness.

The time at their disposal was increased by the fact that when I reached the arsenal I found the Louvre vacant, the queen, who lay at Fontainebleau, having summoned the king thither. Ferret, his secretary, however, awaited me with a letter, in which Henry, after expressing his desire to see me, bade me nevertheless stay in Paris a day to transact some business. "Then," he continued, "come to me, my friend, and we will discuss the matter of which you know. In the meantime send me your papers by Ferret, who will give you a receipt for them."

Suspecting no danger in a course which was usual enough, I hastened to comply. Summoning Maignan, who, whenever I traveled, carried my portfolio, I unlocked it, and emptying the papers in a mass on the table, handed them in detail to Ferret. Presently, to my astonishment, I found that one, and this the most important, was missing. I went over the papers again, and again, and yet again. Still it was not to be found.

Whenever I traveled on a mission of importance I wrote my dispatches in one of the three modes, according as they were of little, great, or the first

I HANDED THEM IN DETAIL TO FERRET.

importance; in ordinary characters that is, in a cipher to which the council possessed the key, or in a cipher to which only the king and I held keys. This last, as it was seldom used, was rarely changed; but it was my duty, on my return from each mission, immediately to remit my key to the king, who deposited it in a safe place until another occasion for its use arose.

It was this key which was missing. I had been accustomed to carry it in the portfolio with the other papers, but in a sealed envelope which I broke and again sealed with my own signet whenever I had occasion to use the cipher. I had last seen the envelope at Calais, when I handed the portfolio to Maignan before beginning my journey to Paris; the portfolio had not since been opened, yet the sealed packet was missing.

More than a little uneasy, I recalled Maignan, who had withdrawn after delivering up his charge. "You rascal!" I said with some heat. "Has this been out of your custody?"

"The bag?" he answered, looking at it. Then his face changed. "You have cut your finger, my lord," he said.

I had cut it slightly in unbuckling the portfolio, and a drop or two of blood had fallen on the papers. But his reference to it at this moment, when my mind was full of my loss, angered me, and even awoke my suspicions. "Silence!" I said, "and answer me. Have you let this bag out of your possession?"

This time he replied straightforwardly that he had not.

"Nor unlocked it?"

"I have no key, your excellency."

That was true; and as I had at bottom the utmost confidence in his fidelity, I pursued the inquiry no farther in that direction, but made a third search among the papers. This also failing to bring the packet to light, and Ferret being in haste to be gone, I was obliged for the moment to put up with the loss, and draw what comfort I could from the reflection that no dispatch in the missing cipher was extant. Whoever had stolen it, therefore, another could be substituted for it and no one the worse. Still I was unwilling that the king should hear of the mischance from a stranger, and be led to think me careless; and I bade Ferret be silent about it unless Henry missed the packet, which might not happen before my arrival.

When the secretary, who readily assented, had given me his receipt and gone, I questioned Maignan afresh and more closely, but with no result. He had not seen me place the packet in the portfolio at Calais, and that I had done so I could vouch only my own memory, which I knew to be fallible. In the meantime, though the mischance annoyed me, I attached no great importance to it, but anticipating that a word of explanation would satisfy the king, and a new cipher dispose of other difficulties, I dismissed the matter from my mind.

Twenty-four hours later, however, I was rudely awakened. A courier arrived from Henry, and, surprising me in the midst of my last preparations at the arsenal, handed me an order to attend his majesty; an order couched in the most absolute and peremptory terms, and lacking all those friendly expressions which the king never failed to use when he wrote to me. A missive so brief and formal—and so needless, for I was on the point of starting—had not reached me for years; and coming at this moment when I had no reason to expect a reverse of fortune, it had all the effect of a thunderbolt in a clear sky. I stood stunned, the words which I was dictating to my secretary dying on my lips. For I knew the king too well, and had experienced his kindness too lately to attribute the harshness of the order to chance or forgetfulness; and, assured in a moment that I stood face to face with a grave crisis, I found myself hard put to it to hide my feelings from those about me.

Nevertheless, I did so with an effort; and, sending for the courier, asked him with an assumption of carelessness what was the latest news at court. His answer, in a measure, calmed my fears, though it could not remove them. He reported that the queen had been taken ill—or so the rumor went.

"Suddenly?" I said.

"*This morning,*" he answered.

"The king was with her?"

"Yes, your excellency."

"Had he left her long when he sent this letter?"

"It came from her chamber, your excellency."

"But—did you understand that her majesty was in danger?" I urged.

As to that, however, the man could not say anything; and I was left to nurse my conjectures during the long ride to Fontainebleau, where we arrived in the cool of the evening, the last stage through the forest awakening memories of past pleasure that combated in vain the disorder and apprehension which held my spirits. Dismounting in the dusk at the door of my apartments, I found a fresh surprise awaiting me in the shape of M. de Concini, the Italian, who, advancing to meet me before my foot was out of the stirrup, announced that he came from the king, who desired my instant attendance in the queen's closet.

Knowing Concini to be one of those whose influence with her majesty had more than once tempted the king to the most violent measures against her—from which I had with difficulty dissuaded him—I augured the worst from the choice of such a messenger; and wounded alike in my pride and the affection in which I held the king, could scarcely find words in which to ask him if the queen was ill.

"Indisposed, my lord," he replied, carelessly. And he began to whistle.

I told him that I would remove my boots and brush off the dust, and in five minutes be at his service.

"Pardon me," he said, "my orders are strict, and they are to request you to attend his majesty immediately. He expected you an hour ago."

I was thunderstruck at this—at the message, and at the man's manner; and for a moment I could scarcely restrain my indignation. Fortunately the habit of self-control came to my aid in time, and I reflected that an altercation with such a person could only lower my dignity. I contented myself, therefore, with signifying my assent by a nod, and followed him toward the queen's apartments.

In the ante-chamber were several persons, who, as I passed, saluted me with an air of shyness and incertitude which was enough of itself to put me on my guard. Concini attended me to the door of the chamber; there he fell back, and Mlle. Galigai, who was in waiting, announced me. I entered, assuming a serene countenance, and found the king and queen together, no other person being present. The queen was lying at length on a couch, while Henry, seated on a stool at her feet, seemed to be engaged in soothing and reassuring her. On my entrance, he broke off and rose to his feet.

"Here he is at last," he said, barely looking at me. "Now, if you will, dear heart, ask him your questions. I have had no communication with him, as you know, for I have been with you since morning."

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ELI HAWKINS WANTED FUN.

Extravagance of a Wyoming Cattleman Who Became Rich Suddenly.

The death of Mrs. Jennie Hawkins in poverty in a little ramshackle house on the outskirts of Pasadena, Cal., the other day recalls her experience and her husband's in the San Gabriel Valley twelve years ago. Eli Hawkins was a cattle rancher in Wyoming in the seventies, and sold out to a syndicate for several thousand dollars. He immediately removed down into Southern California—the land of sunshine and tomale—with his wife. He bought a 200-acre tract of land and began converting it into a suburban home, park, and orchards on a scale that took the breath of the easy going settlers there.

Money went through his hands like water, and the stories of his wild extravagance and his queer notions will not cease to be told in Los Angeles and Pomana in this generation. Hawkins spent money so recklessly that stories of his wealth were exaggerated. He was by many thought to be worth ten millions of dollars, and to have great deposits in banks in every city from Helena to Los Angeles, while others told exaggerat tales of his income from his Montana herds. Hawkins was slovenly, resembled a tramp, and looked as if he never had $5 in his life. It was his delight to pass himself as a vagabond and try his credit among business men, and finish by showing them one of his bank books.

There were no improvements on the tract he bought, and he began operations by fencing it. Every idle man in the neighborhood was hired, and the transformation began. Farmers who had teams were employed, and the procession of loaded wagons from the station to Hawkins's land was a sight to behold. In a few days he had a hundred men at work, all of whom were better dressed than their employer. The large force soon completed the fencing, which was the most substantial of any in the valley. Then he set them at work on his garden and grounds. He employed a high-priced landscape gardener, erected a large conservatory and filled it with beautiful plants. The grounds were tastefully laid out with winding drives and walks, arbors fountains and little grottoes. To look at the man and then note his taste in the arrangement of his home one could not help marveling.

He bought an invoice of statuary at Los Angeles and distributed the figures around his park. One day he came home intoxicated, and as it had been raining, he concluded that the nude figures needed some kind of covering. He procured some paint and put black India rubber coats on the cupids. Next he fixed Apollo with a flaming red shirt and green stockings. Mercury was enveloped in blue tights and a bright red nose. Venus was rigged out with black stockings and a yellow gown.

Hawkins and wife were both good shots, and used the statuary as targets. Before the works of art had been set up three months many noses and arms were missing, and the collection looked as if it had been out with McGinty. One day the old man went to his new brick reservoir to take a swim. His wife warned him that she would shoot him if he went into the water. He plunged in—when bang! went Mrs. Hawkins's Winchester. He hid behind the tank house, and every time he showed his head a bullet whizzed past. His playful wife kept him shivering there the whole afternoon. Money was no object with Mr. Hawkins. Fun, he said, was what he lived for. He died in an attack of delirium tremens.

Mrs. Hawkins lived upon the charity of her relatives for the last years of her life. Her home was seized for the benefit of a swarm of creditors in a few weeks after her husband's death.

Looking For Mrs. Joe.

Joseph Case, who does the night trick at the baggage room of the North Avenue station, is away on a week's leave of absence. His friends are of the opinion that "Joe" will be accompanied on his return trip by Mrs. Joe, but no cards have as yet been received at this office.

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THE WATER QUESTION.

Mr. Ohl Presents a New Feature of the Aquatic Discussion.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—As the water supply question is under discussion it may be of interest for me to state that the supply of water from the numerous springs which supply my pond (which is situated on the same level as Cedar brook) have been perceptibly more active for the past two years than formerly. I have attributed this to the extra supply of water used in the vicinity and which finds it way over and by the first underlying watershed or rocky layer to the outlets; but I do not offer this as a solution of the statement, but that the supply of water from these springs has increased is an established fact, and I will also say that no perceptible difference has been noticed in Cedar brook at this point. So I again suppose the water pumped from or near the head of this stream, and which has caused the stream to diminish to the north again finds its way to the original runway, but further to the south. These facts may be of interest to those working on the problem.

PERCY C. OHL

Plainfield Beats Westfield.

Westfield's excellent bowlers came to Plainfield last night with the express purpose of capturing a game from the home team. But the Plainfields were prepared, and met them in all their strength and ambition. Charles Vail was high man, and the ease and grace with which he scored 202 brought forth the enthusiasm of all his friends. The score:

PLAINFIELD.		WESTFIELD.	
VanEmburgh	158	Pell	188
Buckle	167	Love	170
Barnes	153	Gluck	138
Maltby	192	Shove	155
Petrie	137	Manning	174
Wilbur	138	Marsh	120
Pope	165	Dennis	123
VanAlstyne	146	Decker	179
Watters	174	Seeley	137
Vail	202	Baker	161
	1632		1565

BY FRAMES.

Plainfield	187	370	520	685	839	989	1153	1332	1470	1632
Westfield	168	281	473	610	747	871	1028	1225	1405	1565

The Proud Beauty Paralyzed.

William Morris appears in "The Lost Paradise" in Music Hall tonight. This actor, by his simple methods, profound sincerity and undaunted heroism, charms the audience as if he were in real life performing his deeds of renown.

The play concerns a terrible strike in a big iron mill. He is the humble superintendent, but, according to the press agent of the show, "He simply paralyzes the proud beauty whose father owns the mill". She consents to hear the story told by the men. She makes her cold father listen to what they say, in a scene long to be remembered. She wins, the mill opens again, the furnaces glow, and the machinery roars.

All are prosperous and happy, and when the hero leads the girl forth a bride, the applause of the audience and the cheers of the workingmen drown the thunder of the mill, and the people keep on applauding even after the curtain goes down.

Quiet Conversions.

Rev. Mr. Randolph told of Matthew's conversion, in Grace M. E. Church, last night, how quiet and uneventful it was, wholly unlike that of Peter, or that of Saul on his way to Damascus. Christ simply said to the Apostle, as he sat at the receipt of custom, "Follow Me", and Matthew rose and followed Him. It was, however, a thorough and lasting conversion. Most of the conversions in our day are like not of Matthew, and those who expect some great manifestation, like that which characterized Saul's change of heart, will be disappointed.

The church was well filled, and the meeting was one of much interest. To-night Dr. Barnes is expected to preach.

Thackeray Lecture Tonight.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: In your kind mention of the Vincent lectures last evening you spoke of the next lecture, Thockeray, as occurring next week. This was an error, as it occurs this evening. May I press your kindness still further, and ask that you state the true time this afternoon. It is the Holmes lecture that occurs next Tuesday.

H. M. MAXSON.

—Linemen are engaged in overhauling the Netherwood circuit of electric lights. In many places they have to substitute new wire for the old, which has been worn out by the friction of the trees.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

REPLY TO AMERICAN.

Mr. Finn Writes in Defense of His Race and Religion.

CAUSTIC APPLICATION OF THE FABLE.

Reiterates that the Tettemer and Ainsworth Letters Are the Only Trustworthy Evidence Submitted on the Subject of Desertions, Being Directly from the Records of Uncle Sam—Public vs. Parochial Schools.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: —In your issue of Jan. 16 I noticed a communication from a so-called "American", the headlines of which read thus: "American penetrates the disguise of Mr. Tettemer—A well-known fable, etc".

It is not my desire to hurt the feelings of this would-be "American", if such he has, but I wish to have him distinctly understand that he is the one that is in disguise, and not Mr. Tettemer. This gentleman's signature has appeared with his letter, which goes to show that in his veins there is a flowage of the best of American blood. Let me ask where's the true American, who by the strength of his own argument on any subject, would be afraid to sign his name? The weakness of the "American's" argument in this case does not warrant his signature; it is therefore only fair to comprehend that he, knowing full well that his assertions and accusations are false, must deny himself the pleasure of signing his name.

"American" provides a table, giving a spectacle of Mr. Tettemer as follows: "A short, long-eared, four-legged creature, with a lion's skin, and, wrapping it about him, strode forth alarming those he met. At last he met a fox, and with a tremendous noise sought to frighten him, but the fox did n't scare; then this creature with a hoarse voice asked: 'Did n't you think I was a lion?' and the fox replied 'Oh, no! I knew you by your ears!'"

In my estimation the above fable provides a more fitting spectacle of the contentious and contemptible "American" than it does of Mr. Tettemer, as the latter gentleman is in no way in disguise, having signed his name to all his communications.

Speaking of fables, the above reminds me of something which occurred on Park avenue a few days ago. I wish to have it understood that I was not out looking for "American", but merely taking my afternoon walk.

As I strolled along the avenue taking in the beautiful sights of that popular thoroughfare, and when nearing Eighth street my attention was attracted by the loud barking of a dog. Looking across the way, I noticed a "large-eared, four-legged creature", and close by him stood a little boy who was trying with might and main to kick the beast from him. Just then two small boys appeared on the scene; and one of them, approaching the other, remarked thus: "Will the dog bite the boy?" Other boy—"No: the dog will not bite the boy, for the boy will kick the dog's head off." I, thinking the dog might do the little fellow harm, crossed over to where he was standing, but while in the act of so doing the animal made good his escape. I then asked the little fellow if he knew the owner of the hound, when he answered with emphasis "It is n't a hound; it's a cur." I then said, "Why, little fellow, I thought it was an 'American' I read of in the papers the other day; I thought I knew him by his bark", to which he replied "Oh, it may be as you say, but the folks about here claim that it is perfectly harmless, roaming about from place to place, coming to these parts occasionally trying to cause disturbance and scare people if possible". Just so is it with the "American" whose communications appear in print from time to time. His articles are full of emptiness, the same as his head; and like the dog visits these parts occasionally to try to cause dissension in this peaceable community. Poor thing! He is only known by his bark, and that is harmless.

He says Mr. Tettemer is n't known here. Mr. Tettemer is well known here, and his friends are legion. "American" says "facts count". So they do, but if he had to produce them they would never count. The Ainsworth letter produced the facts (see); Uncle Sam's books settled the question. Information coming from any other source regarding the matter in question would be false and misleading, and would have to be manufactured by the one that would produce it.

Judging from the tone of the "American's" previous letters, one would think that he could produce documentary evidence as to the number of desertions by Irish Catholics during the war. Now he takes a few days off to go on an expedition seeking documentary evidence, which if he should produce at a later day would be no other than home-made, and therefore would excite no interest whatever. Now should this unfortunate "American" take a trip to Washington looking for evidence, I would give him my advice to keep off the grass, or he might be taken for a Coxeyite and locked up.

"American" quotes the public school as an integral part of the foundation of the Union. Nobody said it was otherwise.

"American", I wish you would inform me as to the time the editorial you refer to appeared in that brilliant organ, The Western Watchman.

The Catholics have good reason to be proud of the parochial school. I can produce documentary evidence to the following effect:

Some time ago one hundred bright-looking young women, whose ages ranged from 16 to 21, applied for admission to the School of Stenography in Cooper Union, New York. All applicants must pass a simple examination, principally as a test in spelling and grammar, in which a stenographer must be moderately proficient. The questions were:

1. Spell assignee, efficacy, privileges, acquiesce, superseded, egregious, inexorable, persuade, euphony, conscientious, wastefulness, ingenuous, appertaining, fulfil, arraignment, avoirdupois.

2 Form the plurals of formula, nebula, vertebra, focus, radius, sarcophagus, phenomenon, analysis, oasis, axis, basis, crisis, parenthesis, thesis.

3. How many revolutions has the earth? Define each and give line of each.

4. What causes the seasons?

5. At what season is the earth nearest to the sun?

6. Dictation exercise.

7. Original composition.

I will give a few answers, without apprehension that the graduates of our parochial schools will have any temptation to regret the advantages which the great American institution, the public school, confers. Of the 100 papers in two only were the sixteen words spelled correctly, the mistakes varying in number from two and three to the entire sixteen; while in the formation of the plurals the great majority failed utterly.

To question No. 3 on the revolutions of the earth, astounding answers were given.

Not one in ten answered question No. 5 correctly, the answer being almost invariably "Summer" instead of "mid-Winter".

The dictation exercise was a little composition on the subject: "That baby moon of Jupiter". Jupiter has many aliases in the papers submitted; he is "Jupeida", "Jupide", "Judibe", "Jutipa", "Jucata", and "Jurpita". Here is how "satellite" looks: "satilite", "settlelight", "settlement", "satalight", "satalite", "sattielight", "sacalite", "sattellight". The "luminary" is thus reflected "muminary", "nummery", "humanareal", "luminery" and "lumininery".

Here are a few of the answers on the earth's revolutions. One young lady writes: "The earth has two revolutions; the revolution of the sun once in every twenty-four hours causes change of seasons; revolution of axis once every year, the revolution of the earth's axis causes change of season". Another says: "The earth moves on its axis once every year, which is the cause of the change of seasons; there are four seasons, Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter. The earth moves around the sun every twenty-four hours, and this causes night and day. When the sun shines twenty-three and a half degrees over the north pole it is colder at the south than at the north pole, and the Southerners have their Winter at that time of the year." Another graduate says: "The earth has two revolutions, daily and annual revolutions. The daily revolution is the earth turning around the sun. The annual revolution is the sun turning around the earth." The following is a gem: "The earth revolves around the sun once in twenty-four hours, from north to south pole once a year. As the earth revolves from the north to the south pole we pass the equator and tropics, and as we pass the equator it grows much warmer and the tropics cooler," etc. Another answer is: "The earth has two revolutions; the revolutions are day and night." Still another: "Two, diurnal and nocturnal." One credits the sun with a fair share of revolving activity; her answer is: "Two, the revolution which means that the sun revolves around the world twice a year." This rapidity of motion is making us giddy.

Here is an extract from one of the dictation exercises, and it is not the worst. A graduate who misspells twelve out of the sixteen words and forms all the plurals but one incorrectly, writes thus: "Jupedia's moon has a dimater of less than one two hundred parts of that of the earth's suterlight, the little fellow, though, is a husker, (hustler). During the Juvian night therefore this diamitive, (diminutive) above (orb) instead of sweeping the sky from hurison to hurison, nearly lies to the western, about one sixth that distance." As to orthography, letters of the English alphabet were seldom strung together in more unintelligible combinations, except, perhaps, in such lucid aids to the acquisition of the language as "English as she is spoke".

The New York Sun is authority for saying that hundreds of pupils have been graduated every year from the public schools of New York city, whose education is a mere farce. A member of the New York Board of Trade at one time declared that the system of education is deplorable, and that the method of crowding sixteen subjects into twenty-one study-hours in the grammar grades turns out children whose education is a mere hodgepodge.

As Catholics have to pay for this education as well as for that of their own children, it would be interesting to have the answers of those graduates to a few questions in Christian doctrine; but I fear that this old-fashioned branch of study is deemed of little or no importance in comparison with the nebulous ologies, including "Jupeida" and his little "Husker" of a "Suterlight", that compose the ingredients of the educational hodgepodge. Astronomy appears to be a principal study in these schools, and I wonder that the young women were not asked their opinion of "The man in the moon"!

Now, "American and Co", keep up the tirade and I will "folly" you along by giving facts such as you have never heard of before. I'm an American (see).

P. J. FINN.

STRIKE WANING.

Justice Gaynor Complicates the Situation.

The situation in Brooklyn this morning is this: The strike is waning. More cars have been run and on new lines.

There is more quiet than before.

A new aspect was put upon the strike this morning by the announcement that Judge Gaynor had granted a writ of mandamus on the Brooklyn Heights Company to show cause why it should not operate all its lines on full schedule. Argument will be heard tomorrow on the question.

LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL DEAD.

London, January 24—Lord Randolph Churchill died in London at a few minutes after 6 this morning. The end was painless. A private funeral service was held at the Churchill residence on Grosvenor Square during the morning. The burial will take place next Monday at Bladon church, near Blenheim, where Lord Churchill's younger brothers are buried. The mother of the dead lord is seriously ill.

Shot in the Wrist.

Charles Brinkenhoff, who is visiting at the home of the Rudds, Clinton avenue, was injured while firing a gun yesterday morning. He was at Mr. Hallock's, and, seing a gun in a corner, asked if it was loaded. Mr. Brinkenhoff was told it was not, and he began to examine it. Finding one of the barrels loaded he went in the backyard and shot it off. The gun kicked from his grasp, and he received the charge in the wrist.

Surprised.

While Ephriam Vail of Orchard place was preparing to go skating last night, he was very much surprised to see a few of his friends and relatives walk in, and instead of his going out, the evening was spent in delightful sociability at home. Those present were:

Misses Sarah H. Vail, Edith Vail, Lillie Terrill, Lillie Vail, Grace Vail, Harry Vail and Clarence Vail.

Choral Union Divided.

The next rehearsal of the Choral Society, Monday, Jan. 29, in Vincent Chapel, will be a divided one: Sopranos and altos at 3:45 p. m.; tenors and basses at 8 p. m.

These divided rehearsals are considered very important by the conductor, and are for the express benefit of the chorus. All members are therefore urged to attend.

Runaway Trolley Car.

Last evening at 6:10 Car No. 1 was bowling along Front street at a lively gait, and as it approached the Somerset street switch Motorman Higgins attempted to slow up in order to take the curve, but the brake refused to answer to his hand and jumping the irons at the frog the car started for Charlie Smith's, stopping, however, when it neared the Christian Endeavor drinking fountain at the corner. The passengers were somewhat startled, but got out to inspect the fountain. In ten minutes Car No. 3 came along and pulled No. 1 back on the track. No damage resulted and no blame attaches to Motorman Higgins in the matter.

Singing School.

At the close of the Wednesday evening prayer meeting at the Congregational Church almost all of those present remained to talk over the advisability of forming a sight reading singing class. As Mrs. B. T. Barnes, who was to organize and take charge of the class, was unable to be present, no definite action was taken, but it was decided to meet again in the near future and discuss the question when all the details would be fully explained.

Jacob Klotz Collector.

Ex-Assemblyman Jacob Klotz of Somerville has been appointed Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue for the Fifth District, in place of Theodore Barcalow, Republican. The retiring deputy has been in the Internal Revenue Department of New Jersey twenty-four years.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the celebrated clairvoyant, has acceded to the wish of her friends and patrons and will stay at the City Hall one week longer.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

BANKS—BOWERS.

A Beautiful Pink and White Wedding.

GRACE CHURCH CROWDED WITH WITNESSES.

Town Society Does Honor to the Fair Daughter Married—Charming Reception at the Albion—A Fortune in Diamonds, Silver and Other Gifts.

Grace Church was filled to overflowing with the New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Plainfield friends of Maude Agnes Bowers, daughter of Mrs. E. A. Bowers, and Theodore Howard Banks of New York city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector of St. Stephen's Church of Netherwood, after the beautiful and impressive Episcopal marriage service. The fair bride was radiant in a beautiful gown of plain white moire antique silk; over the waist was worn a bertha of rare point d'applique lace, and at her side the tall, athletic figure of the happy groom added much to the effective picture. Miss Ethel B. Bowers, sister of the bride, tastily gowned in pink, was the maid of honor, Edwin B. Tucker of New York was best man.

The bridemaids, costumed in pink silk and wearing dainty hats trimmed with roses were Emily B. Banks of New York, sister of the groom, and Gertrude Marchand of Pittsburg, Pa. The ushers were H. Lanier Denny, Joseph Hall, and Ellis Hallet of New York, and Peter B. Matthews of Plainfield.

Twelve hundred invitations were out and very few regrets were received.

The floral decorations at the church were most beautifully and artistically arranged, and consisted of stately palms, filmy ferns and dainty cut flowers, the effect being white and green.

A quiet reception followed in the spacious parlors of The Albion, which had been transformed by Miss Lincoln's artistic skill into a veritable garden of pink and green most delicately blended in a symphony of color. The reception was small and devoid of all ostentation, the family of the bride being still in mourning. A New York caterer provided a delectable banquet, and Rogers's orchestra of Plainfield discoursed sweet music. A fortune in diamonds, silver service and cut glass, of such variety and beauty as to beggar description, comprised the wedding presents, which were in charge of a man specially detailed by Tiffany of New York for their safe keeping.

The honeymoon will be spent under the sunny Summer skies of Florida at the Hotel Cordova in St. Augustine. The bride and groom were driven to Bound Brook, where they caught the Southern flyer.

On their return to the North they will be at home to friends in New York city.

A partial list of the guests is as follows: Mrs E A Bowers, Mrs Edward M Banks, Mrs Harvey Fisk, Mrs MacEvoy, Miss Ginna, Mr and Mrs Edward Strong, Mr and Mrs Thomas Hall, Mr and Mrs A D Shepard, Capt and Mrs F E Hobbe, Mr and Mrs D B Keeler, Mr and Mrs W H Macy, Mr and Mrs Wm T Shedd, Mr and Mrs C J Fisk, Mr and Mrs B A Hegeman, Mr and Mrs Harvey E Fisk, Mr and Mrs Henry B Hebert, Mr and Mrs Pliny Fisk, Mr and Mrs Evarts Tracy, Mr and Mrs Waring, Mr and Mrs John B Dumont, Mr and Mrs G H Squires, Mr and Mrs L E Howard.

INVENTED THE STEAM MAN.

Death of a Plainfield Man Who Had an Inventive Genius.

Joseph A. Eno died at his home in Newark yesterday from a malignant liver trouble. He was born in Plainfield in 1836. He was an inventor, and had secured patents on twenty-five or thirty articles, including a steam generator and a railroad joint. One of his first inventions was a steel-made man, designed to take the place of horses, but trouble was experienced in getting the invention to walk in the streets. A widow, son, and daughter survive him.

Mr. Eno was a resident of Plainfield about thirty-five years ago, and for some time conducted a newspaper stand which he sold to W. H. Williams, and which was then situated at the corner of Front and Somerset streets, and afterward removed to Park avenue. Mr. Williams has continued the business the past thirty years. Many of the older residents of Plainfield will remember Mr. Eno.

It Didn't Work.

"My dear," said Mr. New Jersey to his wife, "there's a report that a mad dog has been seen running around loose today. I hope you won't go out in the streets."

Mrs. New Jersey: "I don't care if there were twenty mad dogs running around. I am going to see those new embroideries at Peck's."

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Haberle & Wyman have put a 35-ft. flagpole on top of the Babcock Building.

—Charles Wyckoff of Dupont street today lost by death one of his 3,375-lbs team of horses.

—North Plainfield public school pupils are talking of giving a mid-winter reception in February.

—There will be initiation at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M. this evening.

—The Aetna Social Club will hold a masquerade ball in Central Hall Thursday evening, Feb. 21.

—Fanny Janauschek and Kate Claxton will appear in "The Two Orphans" in Music Hall next Monday night.

—Two thieves were caught in Edsall's Commercial Palace last night. Candy was the bait and the mouse trap did the rest.

—Henry Van Liew of Hotel Grenada badly cut his thumb this morning. John Powers of Reynolds's Pharmacy dressed it.

Letter-Carrier J. W. A. Bauerschs, who is confined to his house on Manning avenue with the grip, is slowly improving.

—Decorator Chase has just completed the interior decorations in the new house on Belvidere avenue belonging to C. E. Cox of Netherwood.

—The lessons in physical training have begun in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, and are greatly enjoyed by the young men who are taking them.

—Edward Erickson, son of Jett R. Erickson, of Netherwood station, sails for Florida tomorrow and will probably settle in the State and enter business.

—Captain Hand was unable to get a load of furniture, which was on his truck, under the Park avenue railroad bridge this morning, and had to unload.

—The New Market mill pond is in very fine condition for skating. A number of young people went from Plainfield yesterday to take advantage of its smooth surface.

—A shooting match to come off next week Thursday, was arranged this morning between Herbert Randolph and Jacob Jones, the winner getting the purse, gate receipts, and medal.

—The Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational Church has decided to send a barrel of clothing and other necessities to the sufferers in Nebraska and Kansas instead of to the South.

—Tonight at Odd Fellows Hall District Deputy Grand Master John Bodine will install the newly officers of Rebekah Lodge, No. 4. Special features will be introduced after the installation.

—The Young Ladies Mission Band of the Presbyterian churches will conduct a sale of home-made cake, brown bread, pies and candy, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church Saturday, Jan. 26, at 2:30 p. m.

—The Catholic Club of Jersey City were victors in last night's contest with St. Joseph's bowlers of the same city, thereby winning the Diocesan trophy offered to the victorious team in the Catholic League tourney.

—The auction sale of the personal property belonging to the Hotel Netherwood Company was well attended, prices ruling fair. The crowd suffered from the severe cold, which was more noticeable in the house than outside. Wallace V. Miller and John Beerbower were buyers.

FIRE IN HOTEL VENDOME.

Some Fright Among the Guests But No Panic.

The Hotel Vendome, Broadway and Forty-first street, New York, caught fire at 5:30 this morning. There was an excited rush to escape among the 350 persons who lived there, but though individuals lost their presence of mind and some slight accidents occurred, there was no panic and the exit was orderly.

Frozen hydrants delayed the firemen. They got to work in time however, to keep the flames confined to the ninth floor, so that the damage was comparatively slight, only about $20,000, and that due chiefly to water.

Park Avenue Church Trustees.

The annual meeting for the election of trustees was held in the Park Avenue Baptist Church last evening with the following result: A. W. Day, E. B. Day, C. K. Compton, Augustus Runyon. The full board now consists of the above and J. W. Johnson, A. D. Thompson and W. H. Moore.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

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HORSEWHIP IN CHURCH.

A Quarrel Between Ministers Nearly Led to a Riot.

Perry, Okla., Jan. 24.—A furious horse whipping in church, participated in by ministers' wives, in the middle of the service is the sensation at a country church just over the line near Ingalls.

Some months ago the Rev. Dr. Johnson, of Kansas, succeeded the Rev. Dr. Tulley, being called by a faction antagonistic to the latter. The Rev. Mr. Tulley continued with the church in the capacity of deacon. A few Sundays ago the deacons were criticised by the new pastor. Tulley wrote, it is said, to the old home of Dr. Johnson and received some information that reflected on the minister and especially his wife.

At the close of the doctor's sermon last evening Tulley read the letter and a great commotion followed. Mrs. Johnson slipped from the church unnoticed and soon returned with a buggy whip. Rushing at the Rev. Mr. Tulley, she administered a severe lashing before the astonished parishioners. Tulley was badly beaten.

In the general row that followed his wife secured the whip and began to apply it to her husband's assailant. When finally she departed Mrs. Johnson was unconscious. The two women and several of the brethren who participated in the affair were arrested and fined. The fines were paid and the trouble for the present is at an end.

THE ARMENIAN TROUBLE.

A Special Delegate To Be Sent to Sassoun by the New Patriarch.

Vienna, Jan. 24.—A dispatch received here from Constantinople says that Mgr. Izmirlian, the new Armenian patriarch, has written to the minister of justice, Riza Pasha, saying that upon taking possession of the patriarchate he found a great accumulation of important reports on the Armenian situation, adding: While reserving the right of protesting against the state of things under which the Armenians suffer, my solicitude in the first instance is directed towards the terrible affair at Sassoun which has aroused it."

The patriarch then described the emotion of the Armenian people in view of the fact that the bishop of Mush has been in prison for three years, as well as other bishops, and added: "Under such circumstances the dispatch of other clerics to the affected provinces is out of the question, and I feel bound, in order to clear up the Sassoun affair, to send a special delegate to Sassoun."

WHITELAW REID'S HEALTH.

He Has Been Much Benefitted by His Stay in North Africa.

New York, Jan. 24.—According to the latest advices, Mr. Whitelaw Reid, after spending some time in Morocco and Algeria, reached Cairo on the day after New Year's. His health has been so much benefitted by his short stay in north Africa that the bronchial and asthmatic troubles have all disappeared, and he is now in as good health as he has been at any time during the last five years.

Mr. Reid and party were to start up the Nile about the middle of January and expected to be absent about thirty-five days.

On their return they have planned to take another desert trip from Ismailia to Mount Sinai, and so around in Palestine. Mr. Reid does not expect to return to New York before May or June next.

WANT $75,000 DAMAGES.

Heavy Suit Entered Against the City of Waterbury, Conn.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 24.—Papers have been served on the city as defendant in the biggest damage suit in its history—$75,000, brought by J. H. Fruin, receiver for Charles Fletcher & Co. The firm had a heavy contract to lay four miles of 36-inch cast iron pipe, one section of pipe line of the city's new water supply from the town of Thomaston.

The work was nearly completed when City Engineer Cairns, in accordance with the privilege given him by the contract, certified to the committee in charge, that the work was unnecessarily delayed. The committee then took the contract from the concern.

The firm went into the hands of a receiver a fortnight ago.

General Solicitor Scott Resigns.

Philadelphia, Jan. 24.—John Scott, for eighteen years general solicitor of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, has resigned and his resignation, with expressions of regret, has been accepted. Ex-Judge James A. Logan has been appointed as his successor. Mr. Scott's retirement is due to failing health.

Severe Gale in London.

London, Jan. 24.—The heavy snowstorm which prevailed in London during the night has turned to rain this morning accompanied by a violent hailstorm, with thunder and lightning. Three persons are reported killed by lightning and the roofs of several houses were blown off. St. Stephens' church at Westminster was struck by a bolt and set on fire, but the flames were extinguished before any serious damage was done.

Death of a Centenarian.

New York, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Elizabeth Jervis, widow of Joel Jervis, died at Amityville, L. I., yesterday, at the home of her son, Scudder C. Jervis, aged 100 years, six months and two days. Mrs. Jervis retained all her faculties up to the time of her death.

Fireman Killed Under His Truck.

Albany, Jan. 24.—By the overturning of hook and ladder truck No. 1, of the Albany Fire department, while on the way to a fire yesterday, Robert Gilmore was killed and John Kanary probably fatally hurt.

TWO FINANCIAL BILLS

Mr. Smith's Plan for a Non-Partisan Commission.

Senator Jones, of Arkansas, Wants To Provide for the Issue of Bonds, the Coinage of Silver and Other Purposes—Lengthy Talk About Seals in the House.

Washington, Jan. 24.—There were two financial bills introduced in the senate which were, after remarks by their authors, referred to the finance committee. The first was by Mr. Smith (dem., N. J.), its title being "To provide for the appointment of a non-partisan monetary commission and to provide means to meet temporary deficiencies in the revenue."

The second part of the title refers to a proposed issue of United States 3 per cent. bonds purchasable and payable in gold coin to an amount not exceeding $500,000,000. The title of Mr. Jones' bill was "To provide for the issue of bonds, the coinage of silver, and for other purposes."

In his explanatory remarks, Mr. Jones declared that he would under no conditions vote for any issue of bonds unless the bill was coupled with "a sensible, manly, and substantial recognition of silver." As the bill proposes to abolish all lesser denominations of greenbacks and national bank notes than $10 and to make all such lower denominations silver certificates, payable in silver coin, he claimed that that would be a great stride forward in the interest of silver and he appealed to the extreme silver men to stand by the bill.

Senator Patton, of Michigan, who had held his seat in the senate under appointment of the governor (to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Stockbridge) ceased to be a senator and Mr. Burrows took the oath of office in his stead—having previously resigned his seat in the house of representatives. The Nicaraguan canal bill was taken up and Mr. Turpie (dem., Ind.) made a characteristically sharp and bitter speech in opposition, after which the senate adjourned.

The rather startling suggestion was made in the house that the secretary of the treasury be directed to have killed all the remaining seals in the Behring Sea herd, estimated at 450,000 and sell the skins, valued at $10,000,000 if properly cured. This was the purport of a bill introduced by Mr. Dingley (rep., Me.), in connection with a statement made in reference to a letter from the secretary of the treasury, regarding the present condition and prospects of the seal herd.

The speedy and utter extinction of the herd was prophesied by Mr. Dingley upon the basis of the secretary's letter and under the working of the regulations adopted in pursuance of the Paris tribunal of arbitration. This arbitration, he said, had proved to be entirely futile in protecting and preserving the seals.

In case Great Britain shall unite with the United States in promulgating regulations that shall be effectual in preventing pelagic sealing, Mr. Dingley proposed that the operations of his bill should be suspended. The subject was referred to the committee on ways and means. A resolution was agreed to calling on the secretary of the treasury for all the information on file in his department regarding the seal business since Jan. 1, 1889, including an itemized statement of expenditures in connection with the Paris tribunal of arbitration and also the expenses charged against the United States for the government of Samoa.

Nearly all of the session was occupied in consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill. About half of it was disposed of, when the house adjourned.

For a Collection of Paintings.

Boston, Jan. 24.—A bequest of $50,000 has been received by Hon. William Endicott, jr., as treasurer of the Museum of Fine Arts of this city under a provision of the will of the late Sylvanus A. Denio, to purchase copies of original paintings by American or foreign artists to be known as the "S. A. Denio Collection".

All Quiet at Buenos Ayres.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Minister Buchanan, at Buenos Ayres, cables the state department confirming news heretofore published, that the Argentine cabinet resigned last Wednesday that President Pena resigned and that Vice President Briburu had assumed the presidency. All was quiet there at present.

Abbott's Defalcation Getting Larger

Dover, N. H., Jan. 24.—Bank Examiner Dorr, who is at work on the books of the Dover National bank says the total amount of Cashier Abbott's defalcation is very much larger than $10,000, which amount has been published as the extent of Abbott's shortage.

Arrested for Abduction and Larceny

Chicago, Jan. 24.—T. G. Payne, alias Charles T. Bishop and Payne Allen an actor of some note, has been arrested here on the charge of abducting the daughter of a wealthy Fond du Lac, Wis., merchant. He is also accused of larceny.

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BOMBARDED THE CITY

Tong Chow Foo Fired Upon by the Japanese.

An Appeal to Commander Folger, of the Yorktown, by Missionaries To Convey Them to Che-Foo—Chinese Fortifications at Wei-Hai-Wei To Be Attacked.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The navy department has received the following dispatch from Commander Folger of the Yorktown at Che-Foo:

"Tong Chow Foo, China, was bombarded by ten Japanese vessels on January 18 and 19. On the 21st, in answer to an appeal of missionaries and as travel by land was considered impracticable, the Yorktown transported to Che-Foo seventeen women, children and sick of the missionary families. On the 20th and 21st the Japanese, covered by twenty-three of their men-of-war, landed a large force at Shantung promontory to attack the Chinese fortifications of Wei-Hai-Wei. On the the 22d a small force was landed at Che-Foo from this vessel to protect neutral citizens and property. This landing was in common with that from the German, British and French vessels."

With reference to this dispatch it was said at the Japanese legation in this city that the forces were probably landed to protect citizens of these countries principally missionaries—who reside there, from an uprising of Chinese, and not in the expectancy that their interests would be jeopardized through an attack on the place by the Japanese. The foreign residents of Che-Foo, it was explained, would have no fear from the Japanese forces, and further than that, it is not likely that the Japanese will make an attack on the port.

Che-Foo is a treaty port, but according to the authority mentioned is the least important of these, not accepting Chin-Kiang. The Japanese might desire it for a base of supplies but even this is unlikely as there are other harbors along the coast better adapted for the purpose, the Che-Foo anchorage being an open roadstead and practically unprotected.

As to the probabilities that the Japanese might desire Che-Foo for the purpose of landing troops there preparatory to an attack on Pekin, it was stated that the Japanese had already a sufficient force in China for all purposes contemplated at present.

The state department has received a dispatch from Minister Sill at Seoul, Korea, under date of December 20, giving a translation of a royal decree limiting Chinese residents in Korea to the open ports, forbidding them to travel in the interior, compelling them to register within twenty-four hours after their arrival and removing their extra-territorial rights by bringing them under the jurisdiction of Korean courts.

Secretary Gresham also received a dispatch from Minister Denby at Pekin reporting that the Chinese peace plenipotentiaries will leave Shanghai on the 28th instant for Japan.

London, Jan. 24.—A dispatch from Tokio says that a Japanese steamship line, sanctioned by the government, has been organized to ply between Kobe, Taifen-Wan, Port Arthur and Port Mokpho. Southern Korea will be opened to foreigners in May.

CORBETT MAY MEET JACKSON.

The Champion Said To Be Willing to Fight Peter in England.

London, Jan 24.—Dick Burge has received a letter from James J. Corbett concerning the proposed Corbett-Jackson prize fight. Corbett wrote that he would meet Jackson for £5,000 a side at the National Sporting club nine weeks after his fight with Fitzsimmons, which will take place in December.

When told of the contents of the letter, Jackson declared he was willing to fight at any time in the next four months, but would not wait a week longer.

Meeting of New Jersey Masons.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 24.—The grand lodge of New Jersey Free and Accepted Masons began their annual communication yesterday in Masonic Temple this city. Grand Master Doran, of Rahway, presided. The secretary's report shows that the total membership in the state now is 15,245 an increase of 307 during the year. The communication will close with the election of officers to-day.

College Student Drowned.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 24.—Eight young men broke through the ice on College creek yesterday afternoon while skating. All escaped but Herman Wooters, a 15-year-old student at St. John's college, who was drowned. He was a son of James M. Wooters of Talbott county, an ex-Indian inspector and member of the legislature.

Inventor Eno Dead.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 24.—Joseph A. Eno died at his home in this city yesterday from a malignant liver trouble. He was born in Plainfield in 1836 and came to this city when a young man. Mr. Eno was an inventor and had secured patents on twenty-five or thirty articles, including a steam generator and a railroad joint.

Suddenly Stricken Blind.

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 24.—A strange affliction fell upon Anna Grafton at Crab Tree last night. She was about to light a lamp in obedience to her mother's directions and when she struck the match her eyesight left her and now she is stone blind. Physicians who have been called cannot account for the cause.

Fell Thirty-five Feet.

New York, Jan. 24.—D. W. Williams, of Englewood, N. J., fell through the ash grating in front of the Home Life Insurance company's building last evening and died a few hours later from his injuries.

Iselin Orders a Cup Defender.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 24.—Mr. C. Oliver Iselin, one of the syndicate of New Yorkers, has placed with the Herreshoffs, an order for a boat to be sailed in defense of the America's cup.

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THE SUN'S FASHIONS.

A FORECAST OF THE STYLES OF COMING SPRING

The Bargain Counter Cuts a Figure and So Does the Bell Skirt. Soda Blonde Hair Will Turn a Jet Black and a Grecian Knot.

The semi-annual season of great bargains has come around again with its accustomed regularity, and the magical mystery of special sales has once more cast a spell around the women who shop for the love of it, which they cannot withstand. The prospect of a bargain is irresistible, and the possibility of getting something so greatly reduced that the purchase will reflect much credit on their judgement deserves serious consideration. Some cynical person has said "a woman's policy is to take all she can get and give as little as possible in return," and this frantic search after full value at half price would seem partially to justify the statement. There is a desperate clear-the-way sort of an expression on

her face as she approaches the bargain counter, and what she considers economical opportunities have a very deplorable effect on her otherwise gentle and lady like manners. She may have no immediate use for the articles she seeks, but the fact that they are cheap is sufficient reason for an investment.

Embroidered batistes in the English eyelet hole style are among the season's novelties in cotton goods. These come by the yard embroidered all over in wheel or flower designs, with scalloped edges or open work insertion set in above the hem. Still more elegant are robe dresses of various delicate shades, with three plaited ruffles of embroidered ecru batiste set in a little distance apart with a close insertion which matches the edge. The dominant note of dress trimming has

been so long centered in the bodice that those skirts decorated from the hem almost to the waist are indeed an innovation. Anything among the bargains in dress goods which has a crepe effect is sure to be a safe investment for crinkled surfaces, and crepons of every known variety are to be a distinct feature of the spring novelties. Chiffon, too, are a desirable purchase, for they are to be used in greater profusion than ever. Taffeta silks are also to be popular again, and the new ones which will soon be open for inspection, have moire grounds, with larger flower designs than last season, and open work embroidery is a part of their decoration. These embroidered silks combine nicely with the plain for waists or sleeves, or both.

Skirts show no signs of decreasing in fullness, and the Parisians have invented so many devices for keeping them well distended that our English sisters are

fearful that crinoline is not far away. A contrasting color or material is displayed in many of the new skirts by opening them half way up the two front seams over the color, and trimming the edges of the opening with beaded gimp.

The newest colors are a blue shade of steel called Valkyrie, various shades of red of the American beauty rose order or color, a pinkish yellow, Gismonda purple, the bluet shades of blue, and shades of emerald green.

Any new mode of dressing the hair is sure to be interesting to all women as a possible experiment, and there is a hint that the part must go and the hair tossed lightly back from the forehead, with a Grecian knot at the back. But when fashion decrees that a certain color must reign supreme in her dominion there is trouble ahead for the few who never disobey her commands. Black is said to be the fashionable color of the moment, and the woman who has been every kind of a blonde from pale yellow to a Titian divinity will not hesitate to appear in ebony locks.—N. Y. Sun.

NINE STYLES IN 100 YEARS.

A Young Woman of Observation Says There Have Been No More Than That.

"Though the fashion in woman's dress has changed a hundred times in a hundred years," said a young lady of observation, "it has been a change of detail rather than of style, while of changes of costume, that is, of dress which can be said to mark a historical epoch, there have been but two. Similarly in men's clothing there has been but one radical change of costume during the century—that from the breeches to the trousers, with the interregnum of the pantaloons. The change in woman's attire, which was sufficiently radical to be called a change of costume, occurred in 1819-20, when the classical renaissance, with its immodesty, its single garment, and its waist under the shoulders, went out, and woman became the bodiced and petticoated creature that you know her to-day.

"Of styles, as I understand the term, that is, changes of distinctive fashion in woman's garb, there have only been nine during the past 100 years, which I think is greatly to her credit. What are they? Well, that's rather a hard question to answer. Let me see, now:

"From 1795 to 1819 or 1820 was the era of the short waist.

"From 1820 to 1825 were the days of the middle waist, short dress, no sleeves below the shoulders, or elbows at furthest, and natural shoulders.

"From 1825 to 1835 there was a distinctly marked spell of broad shoulders, big sleeves and bell skirts. In fact, our present fashions have been considerably based on that decade.

"From 1835 to 1843 there were sloping shoulders and big full skirts.

"From 1843 to 1865 there was the reign of the crinoline, the longest rule of a fashion that ever prevailed, I guess.

"From 1865 to 1882 was a period of evolution. The train grew into being, the skirts shrank little by little, growing slimmer and slimmer until the outlines of the figure were once more revealed.

"From 1882 to 1887 was the period of the bustle—just that.

"From 1887 to 1892 was the fashion of the paniers and Princesse dress.

"With 1892 came in the re-establishment of big sleeves, and I'm sure that you'll agree with me that there never was a style so fetching as that with which we make ourselves beautiful for you to-day. But that's a peculiarity of all fashions. That which is worn is the fashion, and that which is the fashion is so becoming that we wonder when we think how we ever could have worn anything else.

Splendor and Poetry in Chicago.

The Charity Ball in Chicago is endeared to all lovers of poetical description and romantic poesy. Mr. Sylvanus F. Bill, the poet of the Auditorium, emerges once a year from that too strictly preserved attachment in which he has long been engaged in writing a poetical directory of Cook County, and fills the Inter Ocean with the splendor of pageantry and the honey of music. The Chicago Charity Ball of 1895 was held at the Auditorium on last Thursday night, and Mr. Bill described it with his usual wealth of adjective and luxuriance of passion. His exordium was full of might and magnificence:

"Like a grim, impenetrable fortress of mediæval times the Auditorium looked before the moon swung out like a silver lamp in the midnight sky, and cast around the gray tower and austere walls the soft, transforming tissue of its woven beams. Far out over the frozen waters of the lake gazed the deep windows from under their arched brows of fluted stone, as the great monument of Chicago's power flung out a challenge to the Eastern world. High in the air the tower, like a mighty forefinger, was pressed upon the changing pulse of Boreas, while the quick voice of the telegraph reported the condition of the weather to the listening town.

"Clouds hung like a frown upon the building's granite brow, but its heart was filled with melody and beating with human sympathy and kindness. The Charity Ball was on! And as the music swirled on through the great arches, twinkling with the lights that jewel the roof, and fluttering like bright plumaged birds among the boxes of ivory and gold, the feet of the mimic armies advancing and retreating fell into rhyme, gouny voices into sweeter cadences, the scowl on the face of the bending sky melted in laughter, and as the hours with golden feet slipped by

"'Silently, one by one, in the infinite meadows of heaven
Blossomed the beautiful stars, the forget-me-nots of the angels.'"

Lowest Record Price for Prints.

Yesterday was an interesting day in Fall River mill circles, though when it drew to a close the outlook was not particularly cheerful. Goods which were 2 11-16 cents nominal, last Saturday had been selling at 2 5-8 cents, less 1-2 of 1 per cent. on Monday, and yesterday they struck 2 9-16 cents, and broke the lowest record known in the history of the business. Even at this unheard of figure there was no great demand and brokers said that the market would probably go to 2 1-2 cents.

The product was supposed to be cheap enough last summer, when it was quoted at 3 cents, but after corporations began to unload at less than 3 cents, less 1 per cent., the agents threw up their hands and decided to reduce wages. What course they will pursue if there is no rebound from 2 7-15 cents is a question that cannot be answered yet, but it is certain that they will not send a favorable reply to Secretary Whitehead's letter asking for the restoration of the old schedule.—Providence Journal.

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De Sappy—This—aw—account of how pwofessional humorists work says they—aw—fwequently sit down to their desks without an—aw—idea in their heads.

Miss Bunt—Er—have you ever thought of becoming a professional humorist?

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—Buffalo Courier.

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She made fun of all objects she saw,
Of things that were wrong or were right,
Except when it came to bread, cake or biscuit,
And of these she never made light.
—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

"I conclude that's a fly," said the young trout.

"You are quite right, my dear," answered its mother; but you mustn't jump at conclusions. It is a fly, but I doubt if God made it."—Smith, Gray & Co's. Monthly.

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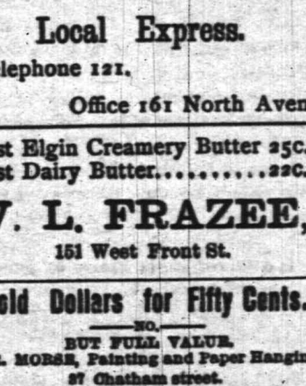

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OF THE

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Of Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1895

ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage, (first liens)		$124,200 00
Value of property mortgaged, $220,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured at	130,600	
Market Value.		
23,000	Union County Bonds	23,540 00
25,000	Hudson "	25 500 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10,600 00
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00
13,000	Loan City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000 00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000 00
4,500	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,500 00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900 00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10 850 00
	Demand Loans	2,350 00
	Interest due and accrued	4,081 19
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400 00
	Cash in Banks	56,542 22
	Cash in Office	102 45
		$328,066 39

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,598 28
Surplus	15,468 11
	$328,066 39

State of New Jersey, County of Union, } ss

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres.

ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.

JAMES C. POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

J. FRANK HUBBARD, JOSEPH B. COWARD, G. W. ROCKFELLOW, } Committee.

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Cain Delia 2	Munroe Alexander
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Chapman Wm	Miller Louis A
Dewitt Mrs Mattie	McGuire Mrs M
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Davis Edith P	Martin Mrs Bell
Drake Mrs Albert	Miller Mr & Mrs T S
Erving Al	Mulligan Miss Ellen 2
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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS

PLAINFIELD, N. J., JAN. 24, 1895

With Powder and Dynamite.

Jan. 24, 1881, was the date of Skobeleff's great victory in the trenches of Geok-Tepe on the road to Herat, in central Asia. Forty thousand Turcomans with their families and slaves made a stand at Geok-Tepe behind an immense clay wall 20 feet high and 20 feet wide, built after the fashion of Russian fieldworks. Artillery produced no impression on it, so Skobeleff fought his way step by step near enough to sink mines under the rampart.

Kouropatkin, the Skobeleff of Russia that was to be after the death of the renowned fighter, bore the brunt of the attack. At the firing of the mines, one of dynamite and another of powder, Kouropatkin led his men, numbering 1,000, to the breach. The Turcomans bravely stood on the walls until cut down. Eight thousand of them were killed in an hour of terrible hand to hand fighting. While the stormers were at work Skobeleff's cannon bombarded the walls between the mines and fired over them to demoralize their defenders. The Turcomans had no cannon and were poorly armed to cope with the Russian breechloaders. Yet they defended the ditches until they filled them with their bodies. The trenches and the mine craters were choked with corpses, and 4,000 were lying within the walled inclosure. One-half the ablebodied men in the Turkish army were killed. More than 400,000 missiles were hurled at them during the assault and in the pursuit which followed the victory of Kouropatkin's stormers. Skobeleff's capture of Geok-Tepe opened the way for the columns of the czar to march upon the frontier of India. It put an end to those man stealing expeditions of the Turcomans which filled the north Persian countries with terror and supplied the slave markets of central Asia.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Heroes of Jackson's Creek War.

Jan. 24, 1814, saw General Jackson's last battle with the Creeks on his famous raid into the Indian country. Old Hickory made this campaign on purpose to give his idle Tennessee volunteers practice in real warfare.

At the crossing of Enotachopo creek, when all but the rear guard and the Nashville artillery company were safely over, the Indians rushed to the attack. The rear guard fled in panic, leaving the artillerymen alone with their solitary gun. Jackson turned back instantly, followed by his tried heroes, among them the brave General John Coffee. Coffee, having been wounded two days before, was borne on a litter. Springing up and mounting a horse he rode back across the stream into the thickest danger. His reddened bandages became the oriflamb of battle. The artillerists, led by Lieutenant Robert Armstrong, dragged the cannon to a hilltop and swore to die before yielding. The Indians, thoroughly armed with rifles, made the men on the hill a target and immediately shot down eight of them out of a company of 25. Armstrong went down first, exclaiming with his last breath, "My brave fellows, you must save the cannon!" During the excitement of unlimbering the gun to drag it up the hill, the rammer and pick had been left behind. In the midst of the terrible fusillade, Private Craven Jackson primed the piece with musket powder, using his ramrod for a pick, and fired the shell at a crowd of savages. His comrade, Constantine Perkins, coolly unfixed his bayonet and used his musket barrel to ram the cannon charges home.

GENERAL COFFEE.

These two men, almost alone, carried out Armstrong's dying request. They saved the cannon and, still better, they saved the day, for the Indians could not stand before "big guns." A half dozen of their well aimed charges of grapeshot crashing among the trees where the savages were in hiding started them out of the forest like flushed partridges, and the Tennesseeans hunted them across the open country for miles.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

The present purity of the Plainfield water-supply is unquestioned. The State Geologist's report declares it pure, sweet and wholesome.

Editor McBride of the Elizabeth Journal corrects himself by stating that it is Edgar A. Pearsall of Westfield, not Alfred E., whom he has appointed his assistant in the office of private secretary to Speaker Cross.

Wm. J. Sewell was yesterday formally declared the New Jersey Legislature's choice for United States Senator. Mr. Sewell has been the head and front of his party in this State; and having by his skilful engineering accomplished the party's work, deserved the party award now accorded him.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

A. S. Clay of LaGrande avenue has the influenza.

Herman Keller is very ill at his home in North Plainfield.

Charles Smith is today shooting in the Newark handicap.

Mrs. F. Hellwig of East Second street is ill with the grip.

E. P. Williams of West Seventh street is on a business trip to Utica.

Miss Beatrice Craig of College place is visiting friends in Hightstown.

Philip Swain of Craig place is just recovering from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Sarah E. Woodruff is confined to her home on Duer street with the grip.

Harold Armstrong, Jr., of La Grande avenue is slowly recoving from the grip.

Mrs. John Luddy of Paterson is visiting Mrs. John J. Reid of Leland avenue.

Mrs. B. T. Barnes of Norwood avenue is confined to her home with a severe cold.

Clarence Bond of East Front street is out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. Harold Armstrong of La Grande avenue is confined to his home with influenza.

Edward Kline is ill at his home on East Sixth st. He hopes to be out again by Monday.

Mrs. L. B. Bromfield of East Sixth street has fully recovered from the effects of the grip.

Mrs. Lulu Kelsey of Westfield was in town yesterday to attend the Bowers-Banks wedding.

Frank Baldwin of Rockview avenue has been very ill with pneumonia, but now is fairly on the way to recovery.

Miss Ada Woodruff, who has been visiting friends in Boston, has returned to her home on West Seventh street.

Mrs. E. P. Williams and son Richard, of West Seventn street, spent Tuesday evening in New York at a theatre party.

The marriage took place yesterday of Christopher M. Stahl and Miss Flora Thain, Rev. Cornelius Schenck officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kober entertained a number of their friends last evening at their home on Wilson avenue.

Miss Eveline M. Lewis of Central avenue avenue was severely injured Tuesday on West Fifth street by a fall on the slippery sidewalk.

City Judge William A. Coddington, after a three-weeks illness, is again attending to business. The Judge lost 12 pounds in weight while ill.

Mrs. E. C. Morse of Chatham street arrived home yesterday, after a business trip to Trenton in the interest of the Woman's Relief Corps, No. 10, of this city.

Patrick McClymont, who has been ill with scarlet fever at his home on Steiner place, has so far recovered that the quarantine will be removed from the house in a few days.

J. B. Clarkson of East Second street was out Tuesday for the first time in two weeks, having been confined with the grip, from which unpleasant malady his son Frank is at present suffering.

The Somerville Messeenger records that Capt. Walter Dobbins and Quartermaster Sergeant McVoy of John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., of Plainfield, visited H. B. Reed Camp, No. 40, Monday evening.

Bishop Scarborough, of the Diocese of New Jersey, will administer confirmation in St. Stephen's parish, Netherwood, next Sunday, at 4.30. Free stages will leave the North avenue station for the parish at 4.

The card party of the Lady Cyclers will be held this week Thursday at the residence of Mrs. Williams of West Seventh street, instead of next week, on account of the trip to Philadelphia planned for next week.

Dr. D. C. Adams was among those who were examined by Mr. McPhie the physical director of the Y. M. C. A. this week, and his lungs proved themselves of most extraordinary strength and capacity, exceeding all other applicants to date.

Miss Marion Dumont of East Seventh street entertained the Cotillion Club at her home last evening. About fifty attended the delightful affair. The club's guests included Miss Watson, Mr. Bright, Dr. Shannon, Mr. McIntyre of New York and Miss Sheffield of Brooklyn. The dancing of the cotillion was greatly enjoyed.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Daniel Gulick who has been very ill is reported as being improved.

Miss Amy Emmons of Prospect place has recovered from the grip.

Mrs. L. A. Marsh, mother of Mrs. B Coriell, is ill with bronchitis.

Charles Brinkenhoff of New York is visiting Mrs Rudd of Clinton avenue.

Rev. Dr. C. B. Barnes of Grove street spent last night in Madison on business.

Henry Shurley's youngest child, six weeks old, was taken suddenly ill yesterday.

Mrs. Dudley Miller and and son Russell are spending the week with Newark friends

Mrs. Swinton of Putnam avenue has just recovered from an attack of the influenza.

Miss Grace Langden of East Ninth street is out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Harry Ulrich of East Fifth street is home again after a four-months stay in Chicago.

Miss Marguerite Burnett of Madison avenue is ill at her home with an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Walter Mundy, daughter, and son, of 185 Somerset street, are all ill of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bowman of East Sixth street are confined to their home with the grip.

Dr. Russell, son-in-law of Rev. A. H. Lewis, was taken yesterday with an attack of the grip.

Mr. Green of Brown & Hill's tonsorial shop was able to be out yesterday after a ten-days illness.

Harry Messersmith of Washington street is confined to his home by an attack of the influenza.

Miss Celia Clark, formerly of North Plainfield and now of New York, is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Hockridge and son Walter, of East Fifth street, are able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Daniel Dunavan, who injured his hand a week ago with a chisel, is improving and will soon be able to go to work.

Manager T. S. Armstrong today took a short walk after his week of the grip, and hopes to attend business tomorrow.

Miss Shepherd of Brooklyn, and formerly of Franklin place and Sixth street, is the guest of Miss Arline Crane of West Eighth street.

Carlos C. Gallup of West Front street, who has been confined to the house since the first of the year with a sprained knee, is able to be out again.

Miss Elizabeth Sears, lately stenographer for Lawyer John Ulrich, is able to be around the house having just recovered from an attack of the grip.

A musicale will take place at the home of Mrs. D. Dewitt Brokaw, Sycamore avenue, this evening. The Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church have the affair in charge.

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The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

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I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. E. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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METROPOLITAN NOTES.

Interesting Facts and Opinions Chronicled by the Daily Press of New York.

While the utmost secrecy is displayed about the yachtsmen who will form the new syndicate it is learned on good authority that the men who will put up the cash for the defence of the America's Cup, and the building of a new cup defender are: Edwin M. Brown, the present Vice Commodore and next Commodore of the New York Yacht Club; George J. Gould, the owner of the ex-cup defender Vigilant, the schooner yacht, Hildegarde, and the steam yacht Atalanta; C. Oliver Iselin, the head of the old Vigilant syndicate; Cornelius Vanderbilt and one or two others. At first it was thought that the Belmonts, August, Perry, and Oliver Hazard, who were connected with the Vigilant syndicate, would be interested in the new boat, but it was authoritatively denied yesterday that they would have anything to do with it.

While Mr. Iselin is reported to be a member of the new syndicate, it is said that he positively declines to have anything to do with managing the new cup defender, and the only thing which is delaying the new racer is due to the fact that none of the members of the club who are competent to take charge of a 90 footer can spare the time from their business to attend the thousand and one details connected with the management of a craft of that size.

The opposition to Mr. Gould in the N. Y. Yacht Club, it was said the other day, was not against him personally, but was due to the fact that a great many members objected to any one man having too large an interest in what might be termed a club boat. They argued that while, of course Mr. Gould could easily build a boat himself without any outside pecuniary aid, and that they would be glad to have him do so, that if he or any one else was in a syndicate boat the cost should be divided pro rata among the subscribers. This and nothing more was the cause, so it is said, of the rumors Mr. Gould would build a boat himself.—N. Y. Sun.

When Croker started in to lead Tammany Hall he imitated John Kelly—perhaps its greatest leader in many respects. He had somewhat the build of Kelly and he cut his hair and beard like Kelly. He had sprung from common stock, as had Kelly, but he had none of the former's innate refinement. Kelly was a student and more of a scholar than he was ever credited with being. Croker has been and is neither one nor the other. Kelly was naturally a closed-mouthed man, but he could speak and speak well whether in private or from a public platform, Croker can do neither, Kelly was a man of kindly instincts, who helped into prominence unselfishly more young men than any public man of his day. If Croker has any kindly instincts he has carefully hid them. Kelly affected taciturnity to hide his thoughts. Croker has affected taciturnity to disguise his lack of thoughts. Kelly was true to his friends. Croker has been true to himself. When Kelly found that his subdorinate leaders in Tammany Hall were stealing public money as in the case of the famous Broadway street railway steal, he threw every one of them out of Tammany Hall. When Croker saw the storm coming he got out and let some one else get hurt. All of which is why in New York pretty much everybody is laughing at Boss Croker and his bully like talk of settling personally with those men who are now talking about him. He will have a mighty big contract on hand if he tries to carry this out.—Advertiser.

M. CASIMIR-PERIER'S CAREER.

He Occupied the Presidential Chair a Little Over Six Months.

Jean Pierre Paul Casimir-Perier was President of France for just six months and nineteen days. He was elected to succeed the murdered Carnot on June 27, 1894, by a vote of 451 in 884. Only one ballot was necessary, notwithstanding the fact that he was opposed by the head of the Ministry, who in the interregnum was charged with supreme executive authority, and also by the officer designated to preside over the Chambers in joint session.

Much has been said of M. Casimir-Perier's courage and devotion to duty. The story is told of how he refused the Presidential candidacy with obstinacy when besieged by Deputies and Senators; how he answered always, "For this mission, such as I understand it, I do not feel prepared," and how, finally, he accepted it because he thought it to be his duty to do so. His mother said to him: "My son, when duty has to be faced, and also danger, perhaps, a Casimir-Perier should always be ready." He answered: "It is well. I accept." This has been the keynote of all that has been written of M. Casimir-Perier.

The Socialists declared that he would be a dictator, and they have opposed his administration as they opposed his election. It was for that reason, doubtless, that he was the choice of the French people. The reaction against anarchism that came with the assassination of M. Carnot called for a man who could and would deal with the question with a hand of iron. That man the French thought M. Casimir-Perier to be. Tales of his courage and blind devotion to duty were upon every tongue; they believed they had found the man needed for the hour.

By birth and by education, M. Casimir Perier is the natural foe of socialism and anarchism. His great grandfather, Jaques Perier, was a conspicuous financier in the closing years of the last century, and his grandfather was Prime Minister in the time of Louis Philippe. He inherited the traditions of the aristocracy and—which makes him the more odious to the Socialist—wealth. His father was a Minister under Thiers, and his mother is a sister in law of the Orleanist Duc d'Audiffret Pasquier. M. Casimir Perier himself is married to a member of the noblesse.

Her Choice.

Hairdresser—Madam, what color do you wish your hair dyed?

Miss Oldgirl—Oh, I am not particular; any color so you keep it dark.—Smith, Gray & Co's. Monthly.

Didn't Have To.

Irate Customer—But you promised I should have that coat if you had to work on it all night!

Stolid Tailor—But I didn't have to work on it all night.—Smith, Gray & Co.'s Weekly.

The balloon recently sent up by French scientists with automatically registering thermometers and barometers reached a height of ten miles, where the thermometer registered 110 degrees below zero.

DRAMA AND OPERA.

ANOTHER OF SARDOU'S PLAYS ON THE METROPOLITAN BOARDS.

Napoleon in Domestic Tragedy. Hard Lines of Pauline Markham Once a Black Crook Star. Foreign Plays Are Crowding the Stage.

Hard times in the theatrical business have effected all classes of public entertainers from the variety stage dancer to the star. Here is Pauline Markham, who had all New York at her feet in the days when burlesque was a novelty, subsisting on the charity of her friends in a Brooklyn boarding house, and trying in vain to find a place on the stage where she can earn enough to support herself. There will be few of the young bucks of twenty years ago to whom the name of Pauline Markham will not bring back recollections of the beautiful blonde girl who came over from England in '69 with Lydia Thompson. Lydia Thompson's burlesque troupe was the real name of the company, but before it had been here a week all New York was talking of the company as Lydia Thompson's blondes although of the leading characters Miss Thompson herself and Pauline Markham were the only fair haired ones in it. The troupe's popularity was instantaneous, and none of the dashing burlesquers was more popular than Pauline Markham. The young English girl—she was then only 18 years old—was not only a beauty but she had a dashing style and a quick wit that soon made her a queen of the stage set. In those days that set included many men of brains and wit, who made their friends among the best and most talented actors and actresses. It was one of these, Richard Grant White, who made Pauline Markham famous in a phrase. "She has a voice of velvet and the lost arms of the Venue de Milo," he wrote.

It is to be noted that the imported plays acted in New York are all from authors of long experience. Victorien Sardou is represented in "Gismonda" at the 5th Avenue, and "Madame Sans Gene" at the Broadway. Examples of Henry Arthur Jones are current in "The Masqueraders" at the Empire, "The Case of Rebellious Susan" at the Lyceum, and "The Silver King" at the American. Sydney Grundy has "A White Lie" at Abbey's Hadden Chambers and B. C. Stephenson have "The Fatal Card" at Palmer's, Sutton Vane has "The Cotton King" at the Academy of Music. Sir Augustus Harris has "The Prodigal Daughter" at the Columbus, Alexandar Dumas has "Camille" at the Harlem Opera House, Meilhac and Halevy have "Frou Frou" at the same theatre, and Judith Gautier has "Heart of Ruby" at Daly's. American through and through are Edward Harrigan's "Notoriety," at Harrigan's; Chas. Hoyt's "A Milk White Flag," at Hoyt's; Denman Thompson's "The Old Homestead," at the Star; Palmer Cox's "The Brownies," at the Fourteenth Street and William Gillette's adapted "Too Much Johnson," at the Standard. Of American authorship, too, are Vance Thompson's "A Dresden Sheperdess," at the Eden Musee; W. H. Power's "The Ivy Leaf," at Niblo's; Charles Blaney's "A Run on the Bank," at the Bijou; Smith and De Koven's "Rob Roy," at the Herald Square, and Lloyd and Rosenfeld's "The Politician," at the Brooklyn Columbia. Thoroughly Americanized are "Little Christopher," at the Garden; "Superba," at the Grand Opera House, and "Doris," with Effie Ellsler, at the People's.

Anything about Napoleon is interesting nowadays, and consequently a play dealing with the Emperor's life from the pen of such a playwright as Sardou cannot fail to attract attention. While Napoleon is not the central figure, he is a very important character in "Mme. Sans-Gene," Manager Augustus Pitou's English production, with Miss Kathryn Kidder in the title role, now at the Broadway. The incidents of the play are all closely connected with his career. In the prologue we are shown the laundry where Napoleon, then a poor lieutenant, has his washing done, and the laundress, whose real name is Catharine Hubscher, but who is commonly known as Mme. Sans Gene, is first discovered gossiping with Fouche, one of her customers. To him she confides that Napoleon owes her a large bill, which she never hopes to collect. After Fouche's departure news comes that the Tuileries are on fire, and soon after an Austrian, Neippers, who has been wounded while defending Marie Antoinette, staggers in and begs Catharine to hide him from the soldiers who are pursuing him. She has just time to conceal him in her bedroom when her lover, Lefebyre, enters at the head of the pursuing party. Catharine assures him that there is no one there, and he decides to go into her room to wash his hands. Finding the door locked he becomes jealous and forces it. When he comes out he laughs at his companions' suspicions and promises Catharine to return and aid Neippers to escape. Twenty years pass, and in the first act we are introduced to Catharine, who is now the wife of Lefebyre, who is a Marshal of France and Duke of Dantzig, in her own palace. The Duchess is not as polished as Napoleon thinks she should be at court and he wishes Lefebyre to divorce. This he refuses positively to do. The Duchess thinks the Emperor's two sisters are plotting against her and the act closes with a violent quarrel between the three women. In the second act we are in Napoleon's library at Compiegne, and here for the first time in the piece the Emperor appears on the stage. He has summoned the Duchess before him with the intention of compelling her to divorce Lefebvre. She, however, pleads her cause so well, that she carries everything her own way, and obtains a strong hold on the Emperor's regard. Just at the close of the interview, Neippers, who is suspected of being the Empress' lover, is brought in under arrest, having been found near the apartments. He declares he was there only to take a message from the Empress to her father, the Emperor of Austria. Napoleon, however, mad with jealousy, orders him executed before daylight. The last act takes place in the Emperor's library at two o'clock in the morning. The Duchess is trying to concoct some scheme by which she may save Neippers. She finally succeeds in convincing that there is no intrigue between the Empress and the Austrian officer, and he orders the execution to be suspended. Manager Pitou has spared no pains to make the production as perfect as possible and some of the scenes in the piece are marvels of the stage painter's and carpenter's work. Besides Miss Kidder the cast, which comprises over 40 people, includes Mr. Augustus Cook as Napoleon Mr. Harold Russell as Lefebvre, Mr. Wallace Shaw as Fouche, Mr. James K. Hackett as Neippers, Miss Marie Shotwell as Queen Caroline, and Miss Henrietta Lander as Princess Eliza.

LINWARD.

TOO "PROGRESSIVE" FOR HIM.

[NOTE.—Whoever can see through the fallacy of a hobgoblin, whether scientific (?) or superstitious, and unhorse its terrors, is a benefactor to the race. The following poem was found in The Jury (Rochester, N. Y.) January 2. Its author deserves to be classed with James Russell Lowell in the keenness of her good-natured satire.—Ed. Wayside Lights.]

I am somethin' of a vet'ran, jest a turnin' eighty year—
A man that's hale and hearty an' a stranger tew all fear—
But I've heard some news this mornin' that has made my old head spin,
An' I'm going tew cease my conshuns if I never speak agin!

I've lived my four-score years of life, an' never till tew day
Wus I taken fer a Jackass or an ign'rant kind o' Jay,
Tew be stuffed with such durned nonsense 'bout them crawlin' bugs an' worms
That's a killin, human bein's with their Microscopic germs.

They say there's "Microbes" all about a lookin' fer their prey—
There's nothin' pure tew eat nor drink an' no safe place tew stay—
There's "Miasmy" in the dew-fall and "Malary" in the sun—
'Taint safe to be out of doors at noon or when the day is done.

There's "Bactery" in the water an' "Trikeeny" in the meat—
"Ameeby" in the atmosphere, "Calory" in the heat"—
There's "Corpussule" and "Pigments" in a human bein's blood—
An' every other kind o' thing existin' sence the flood.

Terbacker's full o' "Nickerteen", whatever that may be—
An' your mouth'll all git puckered with the "Tannin" in the tea:
The butter's "Olymargareen", it never saw a cow—
An' things is gettin' wus an wus from what they be jest now.

Then bugs is all 'bout us, jest awaitin' for a chance
Tew navigate our vitals an' tew 'naw us off like plants;
There's men that spend a life-time huntin' worms, jest like a goose—
An' tackin' Latin names to 'em an' lettin' on 'em loose.

Now, I don't believe sech nonsense, an' I'm not agoin' tew try—
If things has come tew such a pass I'm satisfied tew die—
I'll go hang me in a sullar, for I won't be sech a fool
As to wait until I'm pisoned by a "Annymally-cool!"

—*Lavinus W. Sheldon.*

DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

Mrs. Chas. Debele of Rock avenue is ill with the grip. Her friends fear pneumonia.

Mrs. Joseph Apgar went to Fairmont to attend the funeral of her cousin, yesterday.

Miss Lulu Gise is suffering from a severe attack of pleurisy.

Miss Eva Bodine is ill, having been unconscious for three days.

Master Eddie Huff is ill with a severe cold.

Miss Celia Staats left today for a two-weeks visit in Easton.

James Craig is having a new furnace put into his house on Front street, and is also having the house newly papered.

Mrs. F. P. Haffner will remove the first of next week to the James Craig house.

Arthur Giddis is working for F. H. Gise, and his friends expect to see him a full-fledged mason soon.

Miss Bennett of Brooklyn visited the Misses Giles yesterday.

—Councilman Charles J. Fisk has presented to Chief Dosne's office a handsome rug, which now adorns the floor.

—The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational Church has changed the day of the meeting from Wednesday to Friday.

WOMAN'S HEROISM.

FEW PEOPLE REALIZE IT.

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(SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.)

How many, think you, have any idea of the suffering endured by so large a proportion of the women of America?

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Such cases as this of Mrs. M. F. Fozzy, of Campello, Mass., speak volumes. She says: "I was very sick. I did not ever expect to get up again. Menstruations had stopped suddenly. The pains all through my body were terrible. As a last resort I sent for a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and a box of her Liver Pills. I also used a package of her Sanative Wash.

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Did Not Want Her Lopsided.

Down in Mississippi not so very long ago there was a young darky who bore the classic name of Scipio and was the happy possessor of two mules which rejoiced in the appellations of Sam Jones and Mary, and so dearly did he cherish the brutes that one day when he met a girl named Mary he fell in love with the dusky maiden for no other reason, as he admitted, than that she bore the same cognomen as the off mule, and they decided to wed.

Scipio wanted to do the thing up right and give the bride a present, so he went one day to the little country store, and, after examining the entire stock, purchased two hoopskirts and took them back to the girl. She was delighted, but pretty soon she said:

"Look heah, Scipio, what furd' you get two er dese hupes for?"

"Why, honey," responded Scipio, "I didn' want'cher t' look lopsided."

"Whus' 'at? Lopsided? Humph!"

"Shoh, honey. I got one fur de right laig an' one fur de lef'."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

A Wise Precaution.

A Detroit man who goes hunting occasionally, without any great detriment to the live stock of the forests though perhaps some to the live stock of the fields, concluded not long ago that he would organize an expedition of two and make a foray. So he consulted his office boy.

"I say, Tommie," he said, "how would you like to go out on a little hunt with me?"

"I don't know, sir," responded the boy, in some doubt. "I'd have to see mother first."

"All right. Ask your mother and let me know in the morning."

The next morning the boy saw the gentleman.

"Well," he inquired, "what did your mother say?"

"She said," replied the boy, very innocently, "that I might go if you would take somebody else along with us to do the shootin'."—Detroit Free Press.

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NOTICE.

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THE STRIKE SITUATION

Traffic To Be Fully Restored in a Few Days.

This Prediction Is Made by the Companies, But the Men Are Still Confident—More Shooting Done by the Troops—Linemen Have Strict Orders To Go Out To-Day.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 24.—The railroad companies propose to open new lines to-day and predict complete restoration of traffic in a few days, while the strikers seem as confident as ever. They made another proposition to the presidents, offering to leave all matters of dispute to the arbitration of William J. Richardson, a director in the Atlantic Avenue Railroad company, and a son of the late Deacon Richardson. The presidents once more positively refused overtures of arbitration or to treat with the strikers' organization.

The linemen did not go out yesterday, as anticipated, but at a meeting held last night decided positively to go on strike this morning and declared that any man who repairs a broken trolley wire to-day is out of the union.

Blood was shed again yesterday by the troops, and, as in the last shooting affair, a citizen and not a striker was the victim, and his offense was refusing to obey the peremptory order of the soldiers. A roofer at work upon a house top, at a time when an incipient riot was in progress, was mistaken for a brick-thrower and not moving quickly when ordered to stand back received a mortal wound from the shots which followed the order. This occurred on Hicks street near Atlantic avenue during the progress of the first car of the Hicks street line.

Houses were riddled with bullets, window panes broken, and many people had narrow escapes. They threw stones, pieces of coal, bottles, tin cans and other missiles from the windows and doorways of the tenements which line both sides of the street. Their order to close windows resulted in laughter, ridicule and more missiles. From one window a man pointed a loaded revolver. He was captured. Another man was arrested who threw coal. About forty shots were fired by the men of the Thirteenth Brooklyn regiment. Thomas Carney the roofer was the only person hit.

Early in the day troop A, New York city's swell cavalrymen, charged with drawn sabres to disperse a mob which was stoning a gang of non-union workmen repairing tracks. In other instances troops fired at windows from which stones were thrown at them, and used their bayonets to disperse crowds. Wire cutting, obstructing tracks, and bombarding cars was continued in spite of the presence of the troops.

The linemen and electrical workmen after much deliberation decided to strike out of sympathy for the conductors and motormen. Their action will increase the troubles of the presidents of the trolley lines.

The latter made the best showing in the operation of cars of any day since the strike was ordered. Six new lines were opened. More cars were run on the others which have been open all of this week. The new lines opened were the Third avenue, Myrtle avenue, Reid avenue, Butler street, Sackett street, and Hicks street. The showing made is an excellent one. The companies brought many new men in from other cities. Presidents Lewis, Norton and Wicker of the three systems affected declare that the strike is practically won by them now that they have shown that they can operate their lines.

Frank Bowman, a private of Company D, Twelfth regiment distinguished himself last night by capturing Joseph Nordenourgh, aged 29; Hans Anderson, aged 28, and Andrew Roosland, aged 34, all residing at 488 Second avenue, New York. The men were caught in the act of throwing stones at a Butler avenue car as it was passing along Atlantic avenue near Butler and Sixth streets. The men were turned over to the police and locked up.

After the last cars were housed at 10 o'clock an ominous calm prevailed all over the city. The troops at their different posts had their sentries out and a sharp watch was kept for any sign of a disturbance. Men were ordered away from the vicinity of the car houses, and extra precautions were takes to guard against disturbances. Extra policemen were detailed to look for wire cutting throughout the night.

The following resolutions were presented to Mayor Schieren yesterday by a committee of citizens from the Seventh ward.

Resolved, That we protest against the monster monopoly of the railroad system of our city and that they be compelled by the city authorities to run their cars in compliance with their charters.

Resolved, That in the event of their non-compliance, that the city authorities take control of the roads so that the people may have immediate and permanent relief.

Resolved, It is now the ninth day since any car has been operated in the Seventh ward, and all business has been practically destroyed at a great loss to our citizens, and we demand immediate relief.

A committee of citizens of the Twentieth ward, also saw the mayor in regard to cars not running.

The mayor said the aldermen had no power to pass an ordinance as they did on Monday. He said that legislation would have to be enacted before motormen could be licensed.

Henry Arns, the New York citizen shot by a Seventh regiment sentinel at the Alabama avenue stables last Tuesday night, died at St. Mary's hospital early yesterday morning. He leaves a wife and two children.

Thirty men employed by the Brooklyn companies to take the strikers' places, arrived from Chicago last night at the Grand Central depot.

The men were taken to Brooklyn in charge of four detectives from police headquarters.

Master Workman Connelly says his organization will hold the state officials, from the governor down to the mayor, for the shooting affair in Hicks street.

TOO MANY IDLE PRISONERS.

General Outbreak Barely Prevented in an Ohio Penitentiary.

Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—There came dangerously near being a general outbreak among the 2,000 prisoners confined in the Ohio penitentiary and the strong force of guards on duty had all they could do to prevent it.

Three desperate fights occurred during the day, in which many convicts were more or less seriously injured, and last night a cutting affray which may prove fatal, occurred in one of the double cells in the west hall.

William H. Davis, serving four years from Hocking county for shooting to wound and Harry Blair, serving five years from Columbus for burglarry and larcency, occupied this cell. They are both desperate men, and when Davis applied a vile epithet to Blair, the latter drew a huge knife which he had concealed on his person, and slashed Davis across the face from ear to ear.

Just before supper, John Conroy, serving five years from Zanesville for burglary, and Joseph Haag, serving four years from Stark county for burglary and larcency, precipitated a general fight in idle house No. 3 and it was with the utmost difficulty that the guards controlled the seventy-five convicts present. These men were made desperate by idleness. There are now nearly 500 prisoners in the various idle houses.

TO DEFRAUD THE GOVERNMENT.

A Skilfully Prepared Plan Discovered by Customs Officials.

Philadelphia, Jan. 24.—Special Deputy Collector Crilley, explained a skilfully prepared plan for defrauding the government, which has been brought to light by customs officials. He stated the discovery was made through the consignments of a London firm of Chinaware dealers, who carried on a large business with tourists.

The investigation showed that the goods when purchased were bought with customs charges included in the cost of the articles and with the freight to destination paid. The merchandise, instead of being invoiced at the true value, was invoiced by the shipper at a much lower value. The duty of 60 per cent. ad valorem was assessed upon the invoiced valuation.

The purchasers of the merchandise paid the 60 per cent duty upon the actual cost price, but the goods were invoiced by the London firm at about half the actual value. The result was that the government and the purchasers were defrauded.

The customs officials imposed and collected a fine which amounted to about $3,000. The goods were originally purchased by parties from this city and other sections of the country.

JUDGE WALLACE'S DECISION.

Our Courts Should Not Review the Sovereign Acts of Another Country.

New York, Jan. 24.—Judge Wallace, in the United States circuit court of appeals, handed down a decision affirming the decision of Judge Wheeler in the lower court in the case of George F. Underhill against General Jose Manuel Hernandez for false imprisonment.

Hernandez is a South American general. Underhill was in Venezuela under a contract with President Palacio to build a waterworks system from Orinoco to Bolivia. Hernandez led a revolution, and, in July, 1892, invaded Bolivia and arrested everybody, including Underhill, whom he kept in prison for two months. In 1893 Hernandez visited America and Underhill had him arrested. Underhill alleged that Hernandez had no authority to declare martial law and order his arrest.

Judge Wallace decided that it would imperil the amicable relations between states and vex the peace of nations to permit the sovereign acts or political transactions of one country to be reviewed by the courts of another.

Broker Quigley's Case.

New York, Jan. 24.—When Edwin O. Quigley, who pleaded guilty on last Friday to three indictments for forgery of various city bonds aggregating, it is estimated, more than $200,000, was arraigned for sentence before Recorder Goff, of the general sessions, the recorder remanded him until tomorrow as there are still several unexplained features of Quigley's forgeries that would have to be inquired into by the state.

Bourgeois' Double Burden.

Paris, Jan. 24.—M. Bourgeois is making little or no progress in the formation of a cabinet. M. Cochery has refused to accept the portfolio of finance. After visiting the Palace of the Elysee last night and conferring with President Faure, M. Bourgeois decided that he would take the finance portfolio in addition to the premiership.

Fatal Result of an Explosion.

Cincinnati, Jan. 24.—Three little children of John Raybeck, a brewery employe, were playing with a coal oil can at Dayton, Ky., three miles from this city, when the oldest, aged 5, struck a match into it. An explosion resulted and all were so badly burned that two died last night and the other cannot live.

Arrested on Suspicion.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 24.—Jerry Stackewicz, of East Thompson, has been arrested on suspicion of having murdered his wife and seven year old son, who mysteriously disappeared some time ago. The reason for the arrest was the discovery of blood on the floor of his house.

Lord Churchill Dead.

London, Jan. 24.—Lord Randolph Churchill died at 6:15 this morning. His death was a painless one, and he passed away in the presence of Doctors Roose and Keith, with all the members of his family grouped around his bedside.

Spaulding Gets Four Years.

Boston, Jan. 24.—Henry B. Spaulding, who embezzled $20,000 of the funds of Wheeler, Blodgett & Co., and who was recently arrested in Louisiana, has been sentenced to four years in the state prison.

Denied by the Trustees.

Norristown, Pa., Jan. 24.—The trustees of the State hospital for the insane deny the charges made by a Philadelphia paper of mismanagement and invite a thorough investigation.

TWENTY-SIX LIVES LOST

Steamer Chicora Founders on Lake Michigan.

Thought That Her Entire Crew and One Passenger Have Perished—Quantities of Wreckage Found in the Drift Ice—Heavy Loss to the Vessel's Owners.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Jan. 24.—All hope for the safety of the Graham & Morton screw steamer Chicora has been abandoned here by the finding of wreckage from the vessel off South Haven. The fate of twenty-six men who are known to have been abord when the steamer left Milwaukee for this port Monday morning is almost as hopeless. Veteran mariners number every man with the dead.

The ill-fated vessel was caught while crossing the lake and fell an easy prey to the seventy mile an hour hurricane which swept the icy waters of Lake Michigan throughout Monday and which continued with little moderation for another twenty-four hours. The fears of all concerned were confirmed when the following dispatch was received from South Haven:

Captain Donahue, the light house keeper noticed, through the hazy weather, portions of what seemed to be wreckage floating abreast and on each side of the harbor here, a couple of miles outside and close to open water. Capt. Matthews of the life saving station led a party of volunteers on a dangerous trip over the moving ice until they came into a lot of fresh wreckage. Some of it was wedged between the ice, but the greater portion was seen underneath the ice. The parts which were brought here were easily recognized by vessel men as belonging to the Chicora. A perilous gale is still blowing, the weather is thick and the darkness combines to prevent another search for further proof of the disaster."

The disaster will prove a heavy financial blow to the transportation company as there was no insurance except against fire.

The following telegram was received here by the steamship company from South Haven:

"We have just found some of the Chicora's upper works in the ice off this place. There is no doubt she has foundered."

The loss on the vessel exclusive of the cargo amunts to $185,000 and the cargo of 36 car loads of flour for export, was valued at $20,000. The Chicora was a screw steamer of 900 tons burden, built by the Detroit Dry Dock company, two years ago. The Graham & Morton company, carried no insurance on her except for fire and there was no insurance on the flour.

Owing to dull business, she was taken out of commission Jan. 1, but last Saturday was again put in commission. She was a strongly built boat and well manned. It is barely possible that the victims are adrift on an ice field.

Capt. Stinos is said to have had foreboding of impending disaster sometime ago, and said as much to his friends.

MRS. DRAYTON ARRIVES.

Met by Lawyer Lindabury at the Majestic's Dock.

New York, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Coleman Drayton, who is being sued for divorce by her husband, arrived in this city yesterday on the White Star steamship Majestic. She was accompanied by no one but her maid. During the voyage Mrs. Drayton seldom left her stateroom, except for meals. She had very little to say to the other passengers.

When the ship reached her pier Mrs. Drayton was met by her lawyer, R. V. Lindabury, who after a twenty-minute talk with her, came out and told the reporters that his client would have nothing to say. While the lawyer was talking to the reporters Mrs. Drayton slipped out by the second cabin gangway, took a closed cab and was rapidly driven away.

Mrs. Drayton has come over to personally superintend her fight against the divorce suit brought against her by her husband. She expects to be able to make and sustain counter charges of infidelity.

Requisition for Quarterly Pensions.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The secretary of the interior has sent a requisition to the secretary of the treasury for $12,575,000 to pay quarterly pensions to be distributed at the following pension agencies: Topeka, Kan., $3,600,000; Philadelphia, $1,825,000; New York city, $1,650,000; Louisville, $1,000,000; Knoxville, Tenn., $1,800,000; Indianapolis, $2,700,000.

Ice Gorge in Pennsylvania.

Kittanning, Pa., Jan. 24.—An ice gorge reaching from Logansport to Pine Creek, twelve miles, is backing water over the glass works at Ford City. Dynamite and an ice crusher are being used to start it. The ice is 22 feet above low water mark here.

Cherokee Bill Killed.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 24.—Near Tulla yesterady Cherokee Bill, the notorious outlaw, was killed by his brother-in-law, who blew his head off with a shotgun.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

FLOUR — Weak. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.85.

WHEAT—Easy. No. 2 red, 59¾c.

CORN—Dull. No. 2, 50½c.; steamer, 49¼c.

OATS—Steady. No. 2 white, 35½@35¾c.; No. 2 mixed, 33c.

PORK—Weak. Extra prime, 13.00@15.50; mess, 12.25@12.75.

LARD—Unchanged. January, 7.10.

BUTTER — Weak. Creamery, state and Pennsylvania, fresh extras, 22c.; creamery, western extras, 23c.

CHEESE—Weak. State, full cream fancy, 11@11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¼c.

EGGS—Steady. Western, 21@21½c.

SUGAR—Unchanged. Granulated, 4 13-16@4c.

BEEVES—Firm. Inferior to prime, 3.95@5.20; dressed native sides, 7@9c.

SHEEP—Steady. Medium to prime, 2.87½@3.90; dressed mutton, 4½@6½c.

LAMBS—Firm. Common to choice, 4.00@5.25; dressed lambs, 6½@8c.

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For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 34, 5 45, 6 17, 6 45, 7 07, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 08, 8 28, 8 32, 9 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 13, 1 20, 1 56, 2 24, 2 40, 3 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 43, 5 15, 5 36, 5 48, 6 02, 6 27, 6 49, 6 55, 7 07, 7 25, 7 39, 8 1 /. 9 10, 9 50, 10 08 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 34, 7 54, 9 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 38, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 34, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30 9 15, 10 16, 11 46 and 11 56 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 a. m., 1 05, 1 57, 3 32, 5 05, 5 36, 7 45, 8 43, 9 39 p. m. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 a. m., 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 p. m.

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For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 43 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 a. m., 1 05, 1 57, 2 43, 5 05, 5 36, 7 45, 8 43, 9 39 p. m. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05 9 36, 10 41 a. m., 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 p. m.

For Lambertville, Flemington and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 a. m., 2 43 and 5 36 p. m., and 5 40 p. m. Sundays.

For Flemington—7 59 a. m.; 2 43 p. m.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 05 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 0 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 5, 6 00, 6, 6 15, except Saturday, 6 30, 6 45, 8, 9 15, 9 30, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1 30, 6, 6 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 32, 6 32, 6 59, 7 30, 8, 8 40, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, A. M., 12 06, 1 15, 3 07, 3 30, 5 12, 5 51, 6 30, 6 54, 6 56, 7 02, 8 30, 10 17, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—9 01, 9 32, 10 06, 11 22, A. M. 12 32, 1 45, 3 30, 6 56, 7 11, 8 32, 8 33, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 56, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 11 35 A.M., 1 15, 1 55, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 00, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 54, 6 30, 6 30, 7 15, 7 56, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 55, 9 04, 9 35, 11 35, A. M., 1 15, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AN SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 9 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 05 2 05, 3 32, 5 45, 6 30, 8 05, 8 14, 8 54, 8 04, 6 10, 8 32, 7 12, 7 34 9 21, 10 56, 11 23, P. M., 12 30 night Sunday—8 45, 9 30 9 34, A.M., 2 05, 3 32, 5 14, 6 32, 10 18, 11 14 P.M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 36, 7 56, 7 42, 8 20, 9 05, 9 46, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 20, 6 30, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 05, 9 45p. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 9 15, 9 56, A.M., 12 45, 3 05, 5 05, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—8 45, 9 38 A. M. 3 05, 6 38, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 38, A.M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 02, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p.m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 05 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 00 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 57 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 8 57, 8, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m, Sundays—except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 57, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 05 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 57, 8,10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

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Sundays—4 10, 8 20, 9 30, 12 35 a. m., 3 30, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—8 35, 7 58, 9 21, 11 10, a m. 3 40, 6 12, 9 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 30, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 55, 9 06, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 54, 9 05 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 9 06, 10 27 a. m., 1 15*, 4 32 8 45*, 9 06 p. m.

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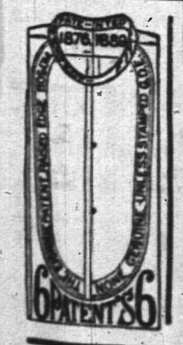

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RAILROADS SCORED FOR CALLING IN THEIR HALF-RATE TICKETS.

Dr. Depew Says It Was Because Some Roads Made a Practice of Cutting Rates By Selling Half-Fare. Clericals Reflect on Their Colored Brethren.

There was introduced at a meeting of Methodist ministers in New York a firebrand in the shape of an alleged interview with the good Doctor Depew of railroad fame, in which he declared that some preachers had sold their half-rate tickets to scalpers. This was given as a reason for the recent action of certain railroads in withdrawing the half-rate privilege.

In the discussion Brother Dr. Palmer considered Dr. Depew's interview a reflection on the honor of the entire American ministry, from New York to San Francisco. "We want the railroad people to understand," added Dr. Palmer "that we are not paupers. We don't want them to labor under the impression that we get cheaper rates because we are not so well off as men of other professions. We are perfectly able to pay full fares if necessary, but I believe that the ministry of this country has the moral force of a police organization. If we succeeded in keeping but three switchmen from drunkenness and so prevented them from switching trains and people to disaster, the railroads could well afford to let us have half rates."

Dr. Dunn said that he was informed that there were a few colored members who had sold their tickets to scalpers because they were hard up.

"I replied to this indignantly," said Dr. Dunn. "Do you put all American ministers on the same plane as these few offenders? I don't think there is a minister in a thousand who would act so dishonorably as to sell a privilege. We are not protesting against the withdrawal of the privilege, but against the way the reason for such action is put by the officials."

"Let them remember," said Dr. Roach, "that we did not ask for the privilege of clerical cards. We were not the mendicant, but they were. They came to us and asked us to allow them the privilege of allowing us to ride on their roads for half fare. Yes, we must maintain our dignity and show proper resentment."

Dr. Lennon said hotly: "I believe it should be brought to Dr. Depew's mind that in our opinion that it was eminently improper that he cast a reflection on the ministry." Dr. Lennon was applauded when he urged a boycott of the New York Central Railroad."

"We must give the officials of the New York Central Railroad," he said excitedly, "distinctly to understand that we will fight shy of that railroad, and will do all in our power to turn the business from that railroad to another railroad, unless we are rightly treated. They must learn as well as any other railroad that the American ministry don't propose to be trifled with or insulted."

About the only defense of Dr. Depew came from the Rev. Mr. Bascom, who said that a scalper once offered to buy his half-rate ticket to Chicago for $10. The scalper said, "They all do it." Mr. Bascom told the scalper that it was an infamous falsehood. The scalper then showed him six clerical tickets, but refused to give him the names of the ministers who sold them.

Dr. Langdon moved that the committee to wait on Dr. Depew be instructed to say that they did not look upon the half-rate tickets as one of their rights. A motion to lay Dr. Langdon's motion on the table was carried. Dr. Palmer appointed Drs. Baldwin and Main to serve with him on the committee to wait on Dr. Depew.

"The Central is simply currying to the politicians," said Dr. C. F. Igleheart, "because they have been deprived of their passes by the legislature. Now they're trying to get square with the ministers. I think Dr. Depew's interview is the meanest thing which has been done since I came to New York city. I say to the committee, put oil of vitriol in your report."

Dr. Palmer said, amid laughter: "I believe that the Roman Catholic priests have not been forgotten by the Central road for some reason or other. I understand they are provided with passes."

Dr. Johnson, just as Dr. Palmer's gavel descended, shouted out:

"I think that Dr. Depew has just been after kissing the Pope's big toe when he was in Rome!"

This deepened the laughter of the ministers. Dr. Palmer forgot about the doxology, usually sung before closing prayer.

Dr. Depew said after the meeting that he had heard of the strictures of the Methodist ministers on his reported interview.

"I should have deserved every bit of the roasting," he said, "if I had said what I am accused of having said, but I have never said anything of the sort. I don't recollect giving any such interview at all. I thought Mr. Daniels, our general passenger agent, might have said something of the sort, and I called him down for it. But he knows as little as I do about the matter. We know of no ministers who have sold their tickets.

"The truth of the matter is that some roads have been selling clerical half-rate tickets to every Tom, Dick and Harry, and in that way they cut regular prices, and it is to stop this that we rescinded the privilege in question."

Might Just as Well Have It.

At Frank's house they had quince jam for supper, but Frankie had been ill, and his mother said to him:

"Frank, you cannot have any jam; it will make you sick, and then you might die."

Frank took this like a little man until he saw his mother help herself to jam a second time. Then he pushed his plate slowly toward the forbidden dish, and said, with deliberation:

"Well, if you are going to die I might as well die, too. Gimme some of it."—American Review.

A Plain Inference.

Master—Pat, I have a suspicion that either you or I was drunk last night.

Pat—Oi've a suspicion of that koind meself, sir.

Master—Well, Pat, you rascal, which one of us was it?

Pat—Well, sor, Oi'll not be castin' any reflections, so Oi won't, but Oi do be sayin' that Oi envied ye.—Richmond Dispatch.

I do believe, and yet, in grief, I pray for help to unbelieve; for needful strength aside to lay the daily cumbering of my way.—Whittier.

THE MONEY MARKET.

How the Purchasing Commodity Has Been Regarded by Those Who Deal in It.

It may be of interest to our readers to know how money is held by those who have more of it than they can use. A recent report of the condition of trade among banks in Wall street says:

The money market was in a condition of unprecedented congestion throughout the greater part of the year, and the extremes for money on call was 3 per cent. and 1-2 of 1 per cent., the former being recorded while settlements for the $50,000,000 5 per cent. bonds were being made in November. Money loaned at 1-2 of 1 per cent. early in the year and late in the summer, though loans would doubtless have been made at this rate in the interval but for a tacit understanding that no lower than 1 per cent. be accepted. Toward the end of the summer the principal banks paying interest on deposits of interior institutions notified their correspondents that they would no longer pay more than 1 per cent., but there were no withdrawals of deposits in consequence until December, when some accounts were transferred to banks which restored the 2 per cent. rate.

The surplus reserve of the banks reached the unprecedented amount of $111,623,000 on February 3. The settlements for the $50,000,000 5 per cent. bonds sold by the Treasury for the purpose of replenishing the gold reserve caused a reduction in the amount of specie from $129,556,900, February 3, to $98,587,000 February 17, and the surplus reserve was reduced in this interval to $74,596,825. Then came a recovery in the surplus reserve to $81,022,150, by March 31, but after May this item fell off gradually. It was in November found necessary by the Treasury Department to sell more 5 per bonds, and on the 24th $50,000,000 were taken by a syndicate of New York bankers, payment for which caused a reduction in specie holdings of the banks by December 8 to $59,170,000, while the surplus reserve was reduced to $32,902,650, the lowest of the year.

Some of the gold paid to the Treasury for bonds was borrowed by subscribers from the banks, and the subsequent return of this gold caused an increase in the specie to $73,760,600, by December 29. After the middle of the first week in December the market for money ceased to be influenced by the changed conditions of the banks, though the rate on call to the close of the year ranged from 1 to 2, averaging 1-2 per cent. The net gold in the Treasury was increased by this sale of bonds to $111,000,020 by December 6, against $57,668,701 November 26, but there was an immediate reduction by reason of redemption of legal tenders and gold exports to Europe, and on the 29th the net gold stood at $86,819,528, against $80,891,660 December 31, 1893.

An Actual Victim of Stays.

The latest victim of tight lacing, says the London Daily News, is the unfortunate actress who died in the midst of the performance at the Elephant and Castle Theatre on Boxing Night.

She seems to have been gripped, as in a vice, by the stays of her stage costume, and this, aggravating a natural weakness of the heart, brought on her death. She had just finished a song, and danced off to the wings, when she collapsed, with all the signs of fatal illness.

Her husband, who was in the house, was called to her side, and her agonized cry to him to unlace her dress seems to be the last that left her lips. She was dead in her dressing room before the doctor came. The circumstances were such as to constitute every possible aggravation of her danger.

Her lacing had paralyzed every vital function at a moment when it needed most freedom and play. A dance in loose costume would have been trying enough, amid all the excitement of a first night. An added song, and both in a garment that fitted like the torture boots of the Middle Ages, proved too much for the patience of outraged nature.

"Fairies beware," is not the only moral of this poor creature's fate. Yet she has probably died in vain for any purpose of salutary warning to her sisters, whether behind the curtain or before.

Industrial Item.

American Home-Spun.—Smith, Gray & Co's Monthly.

To Ground Him in Law.

Smythe—I intend Harry for the Bar; would you advise his beginning on such old works as Coke and Blackstone?

Tompkins—No; would begin by grounding him even further back.

Smythe—Indeed! In what?

Tompkins—The Ten Commandments.—Kate Field's Washington.

Reform.

He—Yes, I confess that I once put a collar button in the contribution box, but I'll never do it again.

She—When did you see the error of your course?

He—The next morning. I wanted that collar button.—Harlem Life.

Social Evolution.

Miss de Fashion (a few years hence)—You are wanted at the telephone.

Mrs. de Fashion—Oh, dear! I presume it's Mrs. de Style, to return my telephone call. I hope she won't talk long.—New York Weekly.

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The queen, whose face was flushed with fever, made a fretful movement, but did not answer.

"Do you wish me to ask him?" Henry said with admirable patience.

"If you think it is worth while," she muttered, turning sullenly and eyeing me from the middle of her pillows with disdain and ill-temper.

"I will, then," he answered, and he turned to me. "M. de Rosny," he said, in a formal tone, which even without the unaccustomed monsieur cut me to the heart, "be good enough to tell the queen how the key to my secret cipher, which I intrusted to you, has come to be in Mme. de Verneuil's possession."

I looked at him in the profoundest astonishment, and for a moment remained silent, trying to collect my thoughts under this unexpected blow. The queen saw my hesitation and laughed spitefully. "I am afraid, sire," she said, "that you have overrated this gentleman's ingenuity, though doubtless it has been much exercised in your service."

Henry's face grew red with vexation. "Speak, man!" he cried. "How came she by it?"

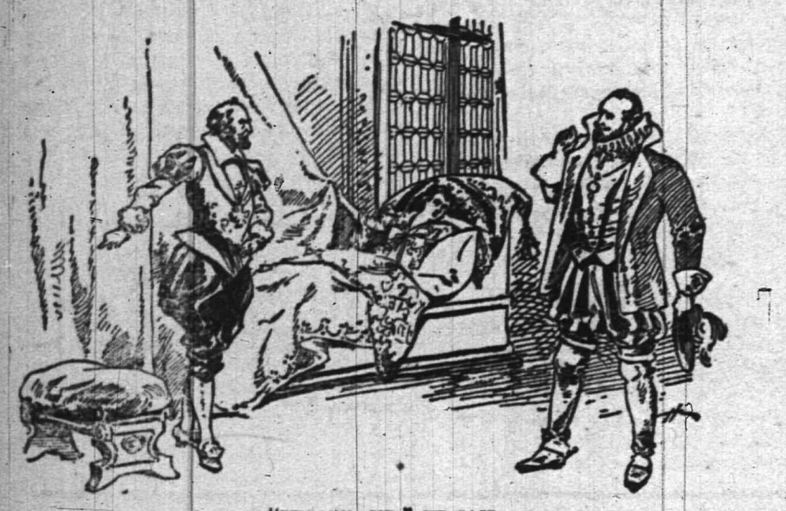
"Mme. de Verneuil?" I said.

The queen laughed again. "Had you not better take him out first, sir?" she said, scornfully, "and tell him what to say?"

"'Fore God, madame!" the king cried passionately, "you try me too far! Have I not told you a hundred times, and sworn to you, that I did not give Mme. de Verneuil this key?"

"If you did not give her that," the queen muttered, sullenly, picking at the silken coverlid which lay on her feet, "you have given her all else. You cannot deny it."

Henry let a gesture of despair escape him. "Are we to go back to that?" he said. Then turning to me: "Tell her," he said, between his teeth; "and tell me Ventre Saint Gris—are you dumb, man?"



"BEGONE, SIR," HE SAID.

Discerning nothing for it at the moment save to bow before this storm, which had arisen so suddenly, and from a quarter the least expected, I hastened to comply. I had not proceeded far with my story, however—which fell short, of course, of explaining how the key came to be in Mme. de Verneuil's hands—before I saw that it won no credence with the queen, but rather confirmed her in her belief that the king had given to another what he had denied to her. And more, I saw that in proportion as the tale failed to convince her it excited the king's wrath and disappointment. He several times cut me short with expressions of the utmost impatience, and at last, when I came to a lame conclusion—since I could explain nothing except that the key was gone—he could restrain himself no longer. In a tone in which he had never addressed me before, he asked me why I had not, on the instant, communicated the loss to him; and when I would have defended myself by adducing the reason I had given above, overwhelmed me with abuse and reproaches, which, as they were uttered in the queen's presence, and would be repeated, I knew, to the Concinis and Galigais of her suite, who had no occasion to love me, carried a double sting.

Nevertheless, for a time, and until he had somewhat worn himself out, I let Henry proceed. Then, taking advantage of the first pause, I interposed. Reminding him that he had never had cause to accuse me of carelessness before, I recalled the twenty-two years during which I had served him faithfully, and the enmities I had incurred for his sake; and having by these means placed the discussion on a more equal footing, I descended again to particulars, and asked respectfully if I might know on whose authority Mme. de Verneuil was said to have the cipher.

"On her own!" the queen cried hysterically. "Don't try to deceive me, for it will be in vain. I know she has it; and if the king did not give it to her, who did?"

"That is the question, madame," I said.

"It is one easily answered," she retorted. "If you do not know, ask her."

"But, perhaps, madame, she will not answer," I ventured.

"Then command her to answer in the king's name!" the queen replied, her cheeks burning with fever. "And if she will not, then has the king no prisons—no fetters smooth enough for those dainty ankles?"

This was a home question, and Henry, who never showed to less advantage than when he stood between two women, cast a sheepish glance at me. Unfortunately the queen caught the look, which was not intended for her; and on the instant it awoke all her former suspicions. Supposing that she had discovered our collusion, she flung herself back with a cry of rage, and, bursting into a passion of tears, gave way to frantic reproaches, wailing and throwing herself about with a violence which could not but injure one in her condition.

The king stared at her for a moment in sheer dismay. Then his chagrin turned to anger, which, as he dared not vent it on her, took my direction. He pointed impetuously to the door. "Begone, sir!" he said in a passion, and with the utmost harshness. "You have done mischief enough here. God grant that we see the end of it! Go—go!" he continued, quite beside himself with fury. "Send Galigai here, and do you go to your lodging until you hear from me!"

Overwhelmed and almost stupefied by the catastrophe, I found my way out, I hardly knew how, and sending in the woman made my escape from the antechamber. But hasten as I might, my disorder, patent to a hundred curious eyes, betrayed me; and, if it did not disclose as much as I feared or the inquisitive desired, told more than any had looked to learn. Within an hour it was known at Nemours that his majesty had dismissed me with high words—some said with a blow; and half a dozen couriers were on the road to Paris with the news.

In my place some might have given up all for lost; but in addition to a sense of rectitude, and the consciousness of desert, I had to support me an intimate knowledge of the king's temper; which, though I had never suffered from it to this extent before, I knew to be on occasion as hot as his anger was short lived, and his disposition generous. I had hopes, therefore—although I saw dull faces enough among my suite, and some pale ones—that the king's repentance would overtake his anger, and its consequences outstrip any that might flow from his wrath. But though I was not altogether at fault in this, I failed to take into account one thing—I mean Henry's anxiety on the queen's account, her condition, and his desire to have an heir; which so affected the issue, that instead of fulfilling my expectations the event left me more despondent than before. The king wrote indeed, and within the hour, and his letter was in form an apology. But it was so lacking in graciousness so stiff, though it began "My good friend Rosny," and so insincere, though it referred to my past services, that when I had read it I stood awhile gazing at it, afraid to turn lest De Vic and Varennes, who had brought it, should read my disappointment in my face.

For I could not hide from myself that the gist of the letter lay, not in the expressions of regret which opened it, but in the complaint which closed it; wherein the king sullenly excused his outbreak on the ground of the magnitude of the interests which my carelessness had endangered, and the opening to harass the queen which I had heedlessly given. "This cipher," he said, "has long been a whim with my wife, from whom, for good reasons well known to you and connected with the grand duke's court, I have thought fit to withhold it. Now nothing will persuade her that I have not granted to another what I refused her. I trouble, my friend, lest you be found to have done more ill to France in a moment of carelessness than all your services have done good."

It was not difficult to find a threat underlying these words, nor to discern that if the queen's fancy remained unshaken, and ill came of it, the king would hardly forgive me. Recognizing this, and that I was face to face with a crisis from which I could not escape, but by the use of my utmost powers, I assumed a serious and thoughtful air; and without affecting to disguise the fact that the king was displeased with me, dismissed the envoys with a few civil speeches, in which I did not fail to speak of his majesty in terms that even malevolence could not twist to my disadvantage.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

"WHAT are you arresting that man for?" asked the curious citizen. "He gimme too much gab," said Policeman 99. "Wanted to know if I was marked down from $1."—Indianapolis Tribune.

Defrauded Out of $50,000.

Braddock, Pa., Jan. 24.—Joseph Wolfe, a liquor dealer, generally known as "Hungarian King" and very wealthy, has been defrauded out of about $50,000 by James Augustine, who had been trusted with several real estate deals.

Another Heavy Shipment of Gold.

New York, Jan. 24.—There was $1,650,000 gold withdrawn from the subtreasury yesterday for export in Saturday's steamships, and application has been made for $1,000,000 additional making $4,350,000 in sight to be shipped on Saturday.

Two More Jurors Obtained.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 24.—Two more jurors, making five in all, have been secured in the Hayward murder case. Over a hundred veniremen have been examined.

A HAIRY GHOST.

Grewsome Tale of a Traveler Who Had Been Strangled in Bed.

A gentleman of the old school, who in his youth traveled widely in the south and west, tells of the following remarkable experience. There were neither steamboats, railways, nor telegraph nor express companies in those days, so the traveler who had business carried money and pistols belted about his waist. This particular traveler, with a companion, was journeying to a land sale, and the pair had between them some five thousand dollars. Settlers were few and far between; it was difficult often to find a house of call for themselves and their horses. One night they were forced to stop at a roadside tavern whose keeper was not thought to be above suspicion. So the two friends insisted upon sleeping in the same room and after they were in it took precautions against being robbed and murdered.

It was an upper room, with log walls, no fireplaces, a single door and two tiny windows nailed tight in their frames. Investigation satisfied them that there was no trap door in the bare floor, nor any concealed way of ingress, so, after barring the door securely, they went to sleep, each with his money under his pillow and a cocked pistol handy. Along toward two o'clock the relator awoke to find big, sinewy hands with a strangling grip on his throat, and what seemed like a heavy figure kneeling upon his chest.

He could not cry out, but, being an exceptionally strong man, rose upright in bed, struggled fiercely with his assailant, who felt as though he were naked and covered with long hair. After a minute he managed to cast the thing violently from him. It fell upon the floor with a hard, dull, jarring sound. His companion, who had by this time awakened, called:

"What's that?"

"Thieves. Stranglers!" panted the other. "Strike a light—or we shall be murdered."

But when the light was struck it showed nothing whatever. There was no one in the room besides their two selves. The door was fast, the window had not been touched, there was no crack or crevice in the log wall through which anything bigger than a mouse could have come and gone. The two men sat up the rest of the night, each with a finger on the hammer of his pistol, but they saw nor heard anything more until they left at daylight. But some weeks after they heard a grewsome tale of another traveler who had been found dead in the room they had occupied, with cruel black marks about his throat, though the door had to be broken in and the landlord proved beyond peradventure that he was innocent of any complicity in the sudden taking off.—Chicago Times.

"DON'T blow out the gas," said the bellboy. "I'm right glad you told me," said the gentleman with the caprine whiskers. "We don't have nothin' but electric light at Plunkville."—Cincinnati Tribune.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhoea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,' says Edward Shumpik, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. I have sold the remedy in this city for over 7 years and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints. 25 and 50c bottles of this remedy for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy. T. S. Armstrong, Manager.

"Nothing Venture, Nothing Have."

Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mon., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement. "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, pastor Central Presbyterian Church, Helena, Mon.

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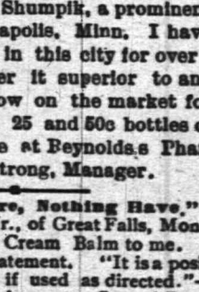

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PLAINFIELD INVENTORS.

Complete List of Local Patents Granted in 1894.

Charles N. Butler, attorney in patent cases, 1001 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., furnishes The Daily Press with the following list of inventors of Plainfield to whom United States patents were granted during the year 1894, with the titles of the inventors:

George H Babcock, tile roofing; Louis E Howard, electric arc lamp; Anthony C Vail, device for shaping folds of linen collars; William E Brock, toggle press; Walter Scott, bed and cylinder printing machine; Timothy S Thorn, toy; Halsey H Baker, street signal; John Brooks, bed and cylinder printing machine; Joseph D Case, key board attachments for musical instruments; Milan W Hall, pump; Henry Weller, corn harvester; Frank E Kinsman, railway signal; John V Beekman, hoisting apparatus; Edwin A Couch, dish cleaner; Sinclair Stuart, construction of ships; Frederick Schreiner, stove for drying matrices; Charles A Sturtevant, fire escape; Frederick K Wilcox and C E Vail, combined stove and heater; Frank E Kinsman, railway signal device; Frank E Kinsman, apparatus for controlling the movement of railway trains; William L Decker, velocipede; Willard M Miner, assignor to American Manufacturing and Engineering Company, car lighter; Walter Scott, mechanism for transmitting motion; Charles E Buell, galvanic battery; Addison Conkling, inkstand bracket; Sinclair Stuart, construction of ships; John Brooks, cylinder printing machine; Charles Potter, web-supporting device for printing presses; Charles Potter, cylinder printing machine; Milan W Hall, pump; John Brooks, bed and cylinder printing machine; John Brooks, cylinder printing machine; Joseph D Case, key board attachment for musical instruments; Walter Scott, bed and cylinder printing machine: Timothy S Thorn, toy: Halsey H Baker, street sign.

Claxton and Janauschek.

"The Two Orphans", D'Ennery's great masterpiece of dramatic interest, will be revived in Music Hall, Monday, Jan. 28. Years ago when first produced in this country it created the wildest excitement and interest. Many companies were formed and hundreds of actors found long engagements in its interpretation. The story of the two sisters, one blind and helpless, the other young and beautiful, was illustrated with such a sympathetic touch of art that it appealed to all. The lower grades of society were given with lifelike force; the sorrows and temptations of all classes were equally well pictured. The scenes are nearly all in Paris, amid the stirring bustling of city life, the haunts of vagrants, the office of the chief of police, the prison and the home of nobility. The situations are thrilling, the abduction of the elder daughter, the fate of the poor blind girl, compelled to sing and beg in the open streets, the cruelty of Frochard, the poor cripple Pierre, the handsome Jacques—all are types of Parisian life.

The cast will be found an excellent one, including Miss Kate Claxton, who has played the part of Louise, the Blind Girl, thousands of times, and notable in the appearance of the celebrated tragedienne, Madame Janauschek.

Chief Doane an Authority.

(From The Firemen's Herald.)

Chief Thaddeus Doane, of Plainfield, N. J., recently inspected several churches in Newark and Jersey City, that have been finished off inside with paper mache sheathing. This sheathing is compounded of very inflammable material and contains a large quantity of rosin. The chief gives it as his opinion that this is very dangerous material and should never be used in buildings. Chief Doane has been a builder for thirty-five years and for thirty years has been connected with the fire service and is well qualified to express an opinion. The highly inflammable material is being extensively used and it does not seem possible that underwriters are are aware of its dangerous properties. It is a crime to permit the use of such material especially in public buildings where people congregate. Some of these days there will be a terrible calamity and the public will be looking for someone to hold responsible. This is a fair sample of the criminal carelessness of building inspectors.

—The Young Ladies Mission Band of the Presbyterian churches will conduct a sale of home-made cake, brown bread, pies and candy, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church Saturday, Jan. 26, at 2:30 p. m.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

Reception at the Manual Training School.

The Plainfield Manual Training and Grammar School (held in the Friends' Meeting-house on East Front street), was the scene yesterday afternoon and evening of a pleasant gathering of friends of the school and of those interested in the subject of manual training. The teachers and pupils of the school under the direction of their principal, John Dalziel, had worked hard in decorating the school-rooms with flowers and flags and tastefully arranged exhibits of work. Numerous specimens of drawing, both free-hand and mechanical, the work of the pupils, adorned the walls; in one corner was a table covered with samples of clay-modeling; in another the microscope was shown by P. C. Haines, a pupil of the school; James Arnold was in charge of the department of joinery and parquetry; Dudley Kyte of forestry and bent-iron work, perhaps the most attractive table of all; Harry Woltmann exhibited a large cabinet full of specimens of mineralogy; and a smaller room devoted to the scroll-saw and turning-lathe was in charge of David Pond and John Dalziel, Jr. In another room Mrs. Dalziel and Miss Ruth Dalziel served tea and lemonade to the guests, while the members of the reception committee, Miss Dalziel, Miss Mary Dalziel, Miss Kyte, Miss Hazen, Miss Eva Lewis, Miss Woltmann, A. B. Clemmens, W. Cornwell and Mr. Robinson, conducted the visitors to the various departments which were explained by the boys in charge, and presented them to Mr. Dalziel, the founder and efficient chief instructor of the school.

In the evening, short talks were given by Rev. Dr. Richards, Rev. Dr. Lewis, Aaron M. Powell, C. E Boss, H. M. Maxson, and Mr. Dalziel. Dr. Richards compared the selection of himself as a speaker on manual training, to that of a juryman chosen because he can swear he knows nothing whatever about the case in hand. He nevertheless gave an able address on the value of an evenly developed training of body, intellect, and spirit, so well exemplified in a school of this kind. Dr. Lewis and Mr. Powell also declared themselves free from previous prejudice on the whole question of manual training, but also expressed interesting and valuable thoughts on the subject, comparing ancient with modern educational methods. C. E. Boss made a good point for the school by saying that a member of the North Plainfield Public School, who having, last year, a scholarship with Mr. Dalziel, was compelled to be absent from his class for part of the afternoon session each day, had showed no diminution of interest in his class-work, but on the contrary, had made up the recitations missed, and actually stood higher in his class than before. Mr. Boss heartily endorsed the work of the Manual Training School, at which he had looked with somewhat prejudiced eyes.

Mr. Dalziel held the attention of all in the well-filled room, as he spoke of his former work as an engraver, (in which his name is so well known), when for nearly forty years the mechanical part of his work kept his hands and eyes employed for nine hours a day, but left his mind free to study the educational problems which so interested him. When at length his plans were formed, he saw in them "his emancipation from the slavery of an engraver's life", and devoted himself thenceforth to teaching, or rather to "helping boys to follow their natural bent" in the wisest and most useful way. He loves the boys under his care and they love him. He has helped many and feels that he can help many more. He closed with a well-deserved tribute of praise to his daughter who assists him in his work and to whom is largely due the success of yesterday's entertainment.

The Manual Training School has heretofore been less widely known than it should be. Some have regarded it in the light of a carpenter's shop where a boy might fool away some pleasant hours, or as one of the pupils expressed it, "People seem to think it's a queer kind of place where we don't learn anything", but now at least the people who were present yesterday are better informed and know that a boy taking the full course in the school is receiving a liberal education, and one that will fit him for a good and useful life. They will also wish Mr. Dalziel all success in the splendid work he is thus doing for the boys of Plainfield, and hope that many more of them will soon be enrolled as pupils of the Manual Training School.

Not as a Candidate.

[From The New Brunswick Home News.]

Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist Church of Plainfield, will preach in the Livingston Avenue Baptist Church next Sunday at both services. Mr. Richardson is an eloquent and interesting speaker. It is understood that he does not come to preach as a candidate.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Y. M. C. A. OPENING.

Addresses and Reception to Be Given Feb. 12.

The formal opening of the new Y. M. C. A. Building will take place Tuesday evening, Feb. 12. The committee in charge consists of Alex. Gilbert, Mason W. Tyler, John W. Murray, S. A. Ginna and James McGee. Addresses will be delivered by Mayor Gilbert, first president, and the present president, W. D. Murray; also by Richard C. Morse, General Secretary of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. The ceremonies connected with the opening will be held in Association Hall at 8 p. m., after which the reception will be throughout the building.

Every Live Jerseyman Wants It.

The Legislative Manual for 1895 is just out, and should be in the hands of every public officer and person in contact with public affairs. A new feature has been added this year in the form of a list of the cities, towns and boroughs of the State, with their population and the names and politics of the mayors. As a handy reference book of the affairs of the State, past as well as present, The Legislative Manual has no equal. Its contents embrace a brief history of the State, its Constitution, its public officials, county and local officials, a statement of the institutions in the State, the Legislature, past and present, the census and election returns and a host of facts conveniently marshaled for easy access. Many of these facts, often wanted for instant use, cannot be otherwise secured except by weeks of correspondence and inquiry. Thomas F. Fitzgerald of Trenton is the publisher, and copies are to be procured of him.

Plainfield Learns of Thackeray.

"England's gentlest satirist, William Makepeace Thackeray", was the subject of the lecture delivered last evening by Leon H. Vincent in the Plainfield High School Assembly Hall, the third in a course of four, on eminent authors. The room was well filled with a highly appreciative audience, whose attention Mr. Vincent gained at once, and never lost for a moment. He spoke first of Thackeray as a man, cynical and bitter, often, yet with a deep love for human nature, an excellent procrastinator, whose motto was, "Never do today what you can possibly put off until the day after tomorrow". Then he spoke of him as a writer, steadily improving from the time he began to write, and of his books, filled with strongly-marked characters, and teaching helpful life-lessons.

Kellar the Wizard.

That Man of Marvels, Kellar, whom some experts think something more than a man, will give in Music Hall, Tuesday, Jan. 29, his new and wonderful entertainment. A faithful study of the latest discoveries in the East has enabled Mr. Kellar to bring back across the water an absolutely new entertainment, embodying such novelties as "The Mystic Light of Bala" which so puzzled Prof. Heinrich Hensoldt; "The Shrine of Koomra Sami" and "The Talking Image" each worth in itself the consideration of an intelligent audience for an entire evening. "Out of Sight", "Fiyto" and "The Cassadaga Propaganda" are continued, with "The Mysterious Cabinet" and Kellar's own inimitable sleight of hand performances. There is but one Kellar. And by no means forget "Karmoe".

Music, Cards, Dancing and a Peanut Hunt.

Miss Susie Boss of Central avenue entained a number of friends last evening in honor of her guest Miss Wilson of Brooklyn. The hours passed pleasantly with card playing and dancing. A peanut hunt was a feature, and there was choice music, vocal and instrumental. The company included Miss LaRue, Miss Dubois, Miss L Boss, Miss Lillie D Garretson, Miss Wilson, Miss Sue Boss, Miss Simonds, Messrs Williams, George Macintyre, Randolph, Weldon, Suthpen, William Stimpson and Ralph Campbell. In the peanut hunt Mr. Stimpson secured first prize, and Mr. Campbell consolation prize. The refreshments were excellent.

Proud Father of a Noble Bride.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: In your item yesterday, concerning the marriage of Wilmerding-Bache, you refer to the bride's father as the late Andrew Bache.

As Mr. Bache was in the land of the living to my own knowledge no later than Sunday last, it will be a pleasure to his friends (which are legion) to know that Andy still lives, and from his lineage the bride is the descendant of Benjamin Franklin. PERCY C. OHL.

Death of Miss A. A. Vandenbergh

The death of Miss Alice Ann Vandenbergh occurred at 6 this morning at 225 East Fifth street, in her eighty-first year. She had suffered a paralytic stroke, Monday, and had been unconscious ever since. She leaves one remaining sister, Miss Gertrude. She was a member of Trinity Reformed Church, and a devout Christian.

Arrangements for the funeral are as announced in another column.

WITTY FATHER SETON.

He Entertains and Edifies a Plainfield Catholic Audience.

The first of a series of literary exercises under the auspices of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum was held in their hall corner of Liberty and Sixth streets, last evening.

The programme was opened with an excellent solo, "Thy Sentinel Am I", by William O'Connor. Miss St. Leger was the accompanist. Hearty applause followed, after which Rev. Father Murphy introduced Rt. Rev. Robert Seton, D. D., explaining that Rev. Father Smyth was unable to be present.

Father Seton's subject was "John Milton and his Works". Among other things he said:

"It is very gratifying to see a literary society among the churches, and I don't like to read in our papers where so much time is given to billiards, progressive euchre, bowling, etc. We should spend more time in studying good English, which is the future of all coming ages. And it's enough to understand English thoroughly.

"I have the happy faculty of being in two places at once, according to a Philadelphia paper which two weeks ago said I was in Plainfield lecturing, while I was at home ill with the grip. I also wish to thank the reporter of The Catholic Times (who was present) who gave me the opportunity of reading my obituary.

"After William Shakespeare, John Milton was the greatest English poet, and in fact his name can be mentioned in the same breath.

"Milton's father was a Catholic, but married out of the church, and therefore lost the faith of the ancient church.

"Young Milton loved study. He went to a university, and became proficient. Shakespeare admired him very much.

"Education should be the ambition and goal of everyone, for knowledge is power, and gives one the executive ability to place matter under the feet.

"Milton desired it. In his time there was no postal service, nor civil service either, to destroy the happiness of postal clerks, and there were not the advantages of the present day.

"Milton's greatest work was 'Paradise Lost', a wonderful book. He should be near to the hearts of all Americans, for he was a consistent Republican, though not a partisan. He believed in the People, as we do, that is the 'Government of the people, by the people and for the people'."

Father Seton then told many interesting incidents, both about Milton's life and about his own.

The evening's entertainment closed with a solo by Charles Ward; and a solo by Miss Sara Carney, "I loved you better than you knew", which were very much appreciated.

Monseigneur Seton, though one of the youngest in the church, in seigniority he is over them all in the United States. He lectures at the University of Washington, Feb. 14, and later in the University of the Notre Dame, Indiana.

The attendance last evening was very large.

Tricky Traveling Watch Tinker.

People having watches and jewelry which need repairing will find it more to their advantage to take them to some established tradesman than to entrust them to strangers who offer to repair goods at low prices. A number of South Plainfield residents are anxiously awaiting the return of their tickers and trinkets, entrusted to an itinerant watchmaker. The individual is to be identified by his plug hat, and it is said this is the only man who was ever known to wear a plug in the limits of South Plainfield. The next adventurer must guard against such a headgear, as wearers of plug hats will be looked upon with suspicion, while Mr. Mundy the blacksmith, wroth at the loss of his gold spectacles, will only be appeased by smashing somebody's high hat.

Organized Aid.

The District Committee of the Citizens Organized Aid Association met in the Crescent Avenue Church parlors last evening at 8, and held a two-hours session. The agent reported 36 applications for relief of various sorts, all made during the past two weeks. Of these cases 16 were new cases, and make a total of 408 cases brought to the attention of the C. O. A. A. to date. The several applications were acted upon, that is to say, referred to the churches and charitable organizations best fitted to afford relief, the Relief Association as usual receiving and caring for the larger number. The applications for work, nine in number, the committee were less able to dispose of. There seems to be great difficulty in providing work for this class of unemployed persons.

Heroic Response to Duty's Call.

Sergeant John I. Holly was confined to his bed with a very severe cold and the grip, when he received word of Troop A being called on for duty in Brooklyn. Mr. Holly deserves credit for his loyalism, for he left under strong protests of his family and physician, and in enfeebled condition. It is to be hoped the exposure will not seriously affect him.

—Saturday night's needs are best filled by Edsall.

TRINITY TEA.

Delightful Entertainment Conducted by the Christian Work Society.

The commodious parlors of Trinity Reformed Church were transformed last night into a perfect symphony of beautiful pink and green, through which moved pretty maidens and fair matrons whose animated faces betokened the pleasure which seemed to pervade the very atmosphere. The social was given by the Ladies Christian Work Society of the church, and its marked success reflects great credit on the efficient members of the various committees.

An elaborate supper was served from 6 to 9, and was fully appreciated by the large numbers who took advantage of this excellent oportunity to become still better acquainted with their friends across the banquet board. During the supper hours, the air was sweet with music wrought by Messrs. Milton and Smith, on violin and homemadeharp.

A most pleasing musical programme was rendered after the supper by well-known local artists, each number being heartily received and audibly appreciated by the entire assembly. The artists who favored were as follows:

Elmer E. Bunyon, vocal solo, "O Fair and Holy City"; Miss N. Winckler, piano solo, Chopin; B. T. Barnes, vocal solo, accompanied by Mrs. Barnes; Miss Lucille Prittie, piano solo; Miss F. May Grant, vocal solo, "Love's Captive"; Robert Clark, vocal solo, "Watching"; Will Holmes, vocal solo, "The Lost Ship"; Recitations, Miss Etta Raybert. Miss Lillian A. Force was the accompanist.

The programme throughout was of such uniform excellence that special mention would be impossible. Following the rendition of the musical numbers the pleasant party turned their attention to the tastily decorated candy booth, the pretty lemonade well, or the various dainty tables at which cake and cream were served by rosy cheeked maidens at the bidding of the gracious matrons who presided.

At the candy booth were the Misses Louise Snediker, Minnie Williams and Emma Gillem, and passing lemonade in dainty crystal glasses at the well were Mrs. B. B. Rogers, Mrs. Will F. Williams, Misses Josephine Kissam and Lizzie Dunn.

At the attractively trimmed apron booth stood Mrs. L. C. Sheppard, Mrs. O. W. Dunham, Mrs. C. P. Voseller, Mrs. P. A. VanFleet.

The Committee of Arrangements consisted of Mrs E T Van Winkle, Mrs P M Demarest, Mrs Frank A Church, Mrs G Q Dolliver, and Mrs S Williams.

The matrons who presided at the various tables were Mrs J F MacDonald, Mrs J C Van Dyke, Mrs J T MacMurray, Mrs Robert A Meeker, Mrs David Snediker, Mrs Edward Cooley, Mrs P A Emmons, and Mrs Robert Clark, and their competent assistants were the Misses Minnie Arnold, Grace Smith, Laura Emmons, Josephine Fritz, Florence White, May Williams, Mary Van Fleet, Kate Baxter, Cora Gardner and Jennie Quick.

The reception committee consisted of Mrs. Cornelius Schenck, Mrs. George Van Emburgh and Mrs. Harry Marshall. At the door stood Edward Van Winkle and Harry Marshall.

The liberal patronage of so large a number of friends as gathered to enjoy last evening's pleasure augurs well for tonight when an entire change will occur in the musical programme and there will be dainty maids to serve delectable morsels to the hungry or appease those whose throats become parched by too frequent exclamations of delight at the artistic beauty and profusion of the decorations indicating as they do the many hours spent by Mrs. R. A. Meeker and Mrs. J. C. Van Dyke in the work of transformation.

Baptist Church Musicale.

The Young Ladies Missionary society of the First Baptist Church, together with many friends, enjoyed a delightful musicale at the home of Mrs. D. Dewitt Brokaw, Sycamore avenue, last evening.

A programme consisting of duets by the Misses Manning, vocal solos by Miss Edith Harold and Mr. Smith of Brooklyn, and instrumental solos by Miss Margaret Vermeule, were finely rendered, and received hearty approbation from the large audience present.

The decorations were yellow and green, very tastefully arranged. Particularly noteworthy were the open fireplace banked with greens, and the table in the dining room from which refreshments were served.

From China to Hope.

Rev. Dr. Blodgett, lately returned from 40 years residence in China, will tell of his missionary labors in Hope Chapel next Sunday morning at 10:30. This will be a rare opportunity to learn of practical mission work in a most interesting field.

—Those interested in German are to meet Rev. R. Kionka in the Y. M. C. A. Building tonight.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Don't fail to call at Fulper's tomorrow and save money on your groceries. Special prices rule for that day.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the celebrated clairvoyant, has acceded to the wish of her friends and patrons and will stay at the City Hotel one week longer.

—A servant girl in the employ of James McGee, of 10 Willow avenue, fell off the back stoop Wednesday evening and fractured her left arm above the wrist. Dr. Jenkins set the arm.

—The Free Public Library has just received copies of The Hawaiian Star, published in Honolulu, dated Jan. 7, 8, 9 and 10. These contain the full account of the recent attempted revolution in Hawaii.

—An ambitious Plainfielder went to Brooklyn yesterday morning to watch the conflict between the soldiers and strikers. He returned leaving the top of his high hat, which was carried away by a stray brick.

—But for the prompt action of Mr. Tobin, the popular North avenue plumber, the Y. M. C. A. building would have received serious injury. One of the water pipes broke yesterday, but was repaired and no damage was done.

—Chief Engineer Doane, at the request of the fire-insurance companies, is investigating the fire flues of Trinity Reformed Church, in company with H. E. Gayle, deacon and chairman of the board of wardens. Any defects found will be remedied.

—VanBuren & Timpson, the enterprising real-estate agents, today distributed among the commuters neat memorandum books advertising their business and that of George O. Stevens, the hustling coal dealer, who has opened a branch office with them.

Fires in Cranford.

About 2:30 yesterday morning the family of John Hegeman, corner of Union and Forest avenues, Cranford, were awakened by the ringing of an electric bell, which was caused by fire from a defective flue burning the fuse, thereby causing the bell to ring. The inmates escaped with their lives, and were taken to the residence of Freeholder Hunt nearby. Loss $20,000. Freeholder Hunt fell while assisting at the fire and fractured one of his legs.

Early last evening a newly finished residence belonging to Mr. Hegeman, corner Forest and Cranford avenues, caught fire, it is supposed, from an overheated stove, which was left by the masons for the purpose of drying the walls. The firemen were quick to respond and were astonished to find that the fire hose they had used in the early morning was so frozen that water would not pass through them until they were thawed out. Loss, $3,000.

Sinning Away Days of Grace.

Dr. Charles R. Barnes spoke effectively last night in Grace M. E. Church of the love of God, and how men presume upon it, and are lost. "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation?" The strings of a piano may break, one after another, until not one remains that can give forth a sound. When we strike the keys we get nothing but the rattle of the ivory. The form of the piano is unchanged, the case is as beautiful as ever, but the master can evoke no music. It has lost the power to respond. So men may sin away one by one the days of grace by neglecting the salvation which the love of God has provided.

The attendance was good, and the interest is evidently increasing.

Flames Quickly Subdued.

While Policeman Frederickson was standing near Music Hall last evening, between 9 and 10, he noticed reflections of a light, and looking across the street saw a blaze in the apartments over the Abrams shoe store. Just then Fred. Moore happened along and went up stairs to help extinguish the fire. Frederickson started for the fire-alarm box, but the fire was put out, and it was not necessary to send in an alarm. It proved to be a lace curtain, which had caught from a lamp which stood too near the window.

—The Grand Division, S. of T., will meet in Plainfield in July.

—Class work in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will begin next Monday.

—A. E. Hoagland, the popular expressman, is rebuilding his wagon house and roofing it with ornamental tiles.

—Mrs. L. Coles, fashionable dressmaker, has rented room 202, Babcock Building, and on Feb. 1 will be ready to serve her friends and the public generally.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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TWO MORE BANKS CLOSE

Binghamton's Citizens Are Panic Stricken.

The Chenango Valley and the National Broome County Institutions Discontinue Business—Run Upon the Other Banks Heavy, But They Withstood the Rush.

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Two more banks have closed their doors. Citizens had recovered from the shock following the suspension of the Merchants' and the Ross private bank and affairs were assuming their normal aspect when the rumor was circulated that the Chenango Valley bank had drawn its curtains.

On the heels of the startling report came the announcement that the National Broome County bank had also discontinued business. Citizens were fairly paralyzed with astonishment and the apprehension of small depositors was magnified by exaggerated stories which were circulated to the injury of other local banking institutions.

The news regarding the failures spread rapidly as each messenger enlarged upon the real condition of affairs, panic seized the populace and it became apparent that a run upon the banks would be inevitable.

The smaller depositors were thoroughly frightened and it became evident that nothing could prevent the abnormal pressure. Just such a movement had been anticipated, however, and the solid institutions were prepared for the rush. The run upon the Binghamton Savings bank was heavy and the crowd of anxious depositors increased with the hours, but the bank was prepared for the emergency. The officers, pale, but cool and composed, stood behind the heavy plate glass windows surrounded by piles of shining gold and silver. They had protected themselves with a large amount of cash and during the day telegrams were received from metropolitan banking institutions to the effect that they would support the Binghamton banks for unlimited amounts.

Runs were also made upon the other banks of the city, but all depositors were promptly paid, and when the doors were closed, it was evident that the rush and fright was over.

The books of the Chenango Valley bank, which closed first, were being examined by Bank Examiner Backus, who came here several days ago. He claims that the books were in bad condition and it was at his instance that the bank was closed.

The affairs of the National Broome County bank were not in a condition to compel the suspension of the institution. The national bank examiner, who was in this city Jan. 17, investigated the affairs of this institution and found the bank solvent. A statement of liabilities and assets proves that all the affairs of the bank are in first class condition.

The bank, however, did not take the precaution to prepare for a run. Soon after opening in the morning, three heavy demands were made upon its funds. One of the first of these was for $1,000 made by George Pierce. Soon after E. M. Tierney withdrew a deposit of $2,000 and this was followed by a draft for $11,000 made by Gen. E. F. Jones. This crippled the bank and the doors were closed.

The closed banks are located in the basement of the Phelps Bank building. Tracy R. Morgan was cashier of both banks, which were virtually in one, except that seperate books were kept for each, one being regulated by the national banking laws and the other was regulated by the state banking department. David Brownson, the son-in-law of Mr Morgan, is president of the National bank. Benj. N. Loomis is vice-president of the Savings bank. The name of the president is not given on the books.

Much excitement was caused by the announcement that Cashier Morgan and President Brownson had been detected carrying papers from the Chenango Valley bank. These documents, it is claimed, are private papers, to which the parties had a perfect right.

Recorder Roberts was interviewed and he corroborated the statement that the documents removed from the bank were private papers, but the action of the gentlemen has created suspicion.

Examiner Backus says in regard to the condition of affairs in the Chenango Valley Savings bank: "I never have examined books that were in as bad a condition as those of the Chenango Savings bank. It will be several weeks before a statement can be made."

He said further that he believed the Broome County bank is in condition to pay depositors in full.

Tried To Burn a Whole Family.

Warren, O., Jan. 25.—A desperate attempt to burn a whole family in their beds was made in this city yesterday morning. The home of Thomas McQuaide was fired in the cellar by some unknown person and the family barely escaped with their lives. Strenuous efforts are being made to ferret out the incendiary.

Refuses To Sell Its Property.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Secretary Lamont has reported to the house that the Monongahela Navigation company of Pennsylvania, had refused to enter into negotiation for the sale to the United States of its property, locks and dams. All the papers in the case were submitted to congress for action.

Freedman Gains Control.

New York, Jan. 25.—Andrew Freedman gained control of the New York Baseball club yesterday by receiving 1,200 shares of stock in the concern and tendering his check to Treasurer Talcott for about $48,000.

NOTED CRIMINAL CAPTURED.

Report of the Arrest of William Maitland in Texas.

Boston, Jan. 25.—Warden Bridges, of the state prison, has received a dispatch from Houston, Tex., informing him that a man answering in every detail the description of James M. Bradlee, alias William Maitland, has been arrested in that city. Bradlee made his escape from the state prison chapel Thanksgiving day, 1892. The means, rather than the escape, made the affair the sensation of the hour, and following so closely upon the exploits of the notorious "Sewer gang," gave rise to no little agitation concerning the management of the prison. Bradlee was the prime mover of the sextette of criminals who made their way from the prison yard through the main sewer to its outlet in Millers river.

The fugitive is one of the cleverest and most noted criminals in the country. He was regarded as the most dangerous man within the walls of the prison; not that he was vicious, but because of the fertility of his mind in devising plans for escape.

When Bradlee escaped with several other members of the sewer gang, in July, 1892, he was recaptured about a month later, in New York. On September 4, 1889, he was convicted of burglary in Greenfield and sentenced to state prison for three years. He was discharged April 13, 1891.

Six months later he was captured in Fitchburg while blowing open a safe. He fought the officers and drew a revolver. Shots were exchanged, but Bradlee was finally captured. He was sentenced to six years in the state prison, and he was serving the term when he made his escape. He served time in several other states.

TRAIN HELD UP.

Express Car Robbed on the Cotton Belt Line Near McNeill, Ark.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Jan. 25.—The south bound train on the Cotton Belt railroad was held up and robbed last evening. Two men, who evidently got on when the train stopped at McNeill were discovered on the blind baggage and as the train was going through a deep cut Engineer Crowley saw them crawling over the tender.

Before he could realize what the men were about they ordered him to stop the train and with a pair of 45 Colt revolvers pointed at his head, marched him to the express car, which was in charge of Messenger Massey.

Massey was covered by the bandits, as was Conductor Harris, also, who had come out in the meantime. They took what money the conductor had, but what was obtained from the messenger in the express car is not known.

No one here knows anything about the contents of the express car and no details can be obtained. The train continued to Texarkana, the end of the division and the robbery was reported from that point.

AMNESTY TO PRISONERS.

Italy to Pardon the Revolt Offenders To Please the Radicals.

Rome, Jan. 25.—It is highly probable that before the parliamentary elections next spring an amnesty will be granted the prisoners condemned by the military courts in Sicily and Massa di Carrara. About 1,500 men were found guilty of seditious conduct in connection with the revolts of last winter, and more than a thousand of them are still serving sentences.

The summary manner in which they were tried and condemned has been one of the chief subjects of agitation against Premier Crispi, and a general pardon is regarded in government circles as the best means of mollifying the radicals. It is thought that the amnesty decree will be published on March 14, King Humbert's birthday.

New Jersey Masons Elect Officers.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 25.—The Grand Lodge of New Jersey, F. and A. M., have elected the following officers: G. M., Charles Beecher, Newark; D. G. M., George W. Fortmyer, Orange; S. G. W., Jos. W. Ewanz, Mount Holly; Jr. G. W., Jos. F. Moore, Jersey City; grand treasurer, Chas. Bechtel, Trenton; grand secretary, T. H. R. Redway, Trenton; deputy grand secretary, Wm. B. Rutan, Newark.

Madame Patti Ill.

London, Jan. 25.—A dispatch to the Standard from Vienna says that Madame Patti became chilled when leaving a concert in this city and has since kept to her bed. She is suffering from pharyngeal catarrh. Her engagements at Leipsic and Dresden have been cancelled.

Fined for Preaching on the Common.

Boston, Jan. 25.—The Rev. William F. Davis, a regularly ordained minister of the gospel, was arraigned before Judge Richardson in the superior court and fined $20 with $10 costs for preaching on Boston common without a permit.

Bourgeois Can't Form a Cabinet.

Paris, Jan. 25.—M. Bourgeois, to whom was entrusted the formation of a new cabinet, has notified President Faure that there was no prospect of his success, and asked to be relieved from his task.

The Ill-Fated Chicora.

Benton Harbor, Mich, Jan. 25.—Part of the cargo of the ill-fated steamer Chicora have been washed ashore and there is no doubt but that the vessel went down and that her whole crew was lost.

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STRIKERS GAIN A POINT

Judge Gaynor's Decision in the Mandamus Case.

The Brooklyn Heights Corporation Severely Scored by the Justice—Aside from This the Railroads Have Made Some Advancement—Carney Dies from His Wound.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 25.—The sensation of the trolley strike yesterday was a decision by Justice William J. Gaynor, of the supreme court, against the companies in the mandamus proceedings. The Brooklyn Heights company is severely scored for failing to operate its lines. Justice Gaynor declared that the whole matter is a question of wages, that the companies have not the right to suspend operations one week or one hour in order to obtain men who will work at lower wages than has been paid. He said that a railroad had the right to replace men gradually, or to discharge all its employes at one time provided they have enough new men to operate its line continuously.

The decision defines the rights of corporations holding franchises from the people in terms that caused great rejoicing in the ranks of the strikers and among workingmen generally. Justice Gaynor sets this morning for a hearing by both parties as to whether a peremptory writ of mandamus or an alternative writ shall issue. The former would require the company to operate its lines forthwith, the latter would require them to show cause why they should not be compelled to operate their lines.

Aside from this decision the day was one of great gains for the companies. Very little disorder prevailed, and a good showing on many lines was made.

District Assembly No. 75 played its last card in ordering the electrical workers employed by the companies to join the motormen and conductors on strike. The order was not fully obeyed, and while it resulted in the stoppage of three lines three others which have not been open for ten days were operated. More cars were run on other lines and the presidents declare that they have sufficient men to operate their roads.

There was no shooting and the soldiers remained at their posts of duty. Troop A had several lively experiences scattering crowds who were indulging in wire-cutting and blockading the tracks. Thomas Carney the victim of Wednesday's shooting is dead at the Long Island College hospital. Col. Austen in an official report to Gen. McLeer says the firing in Hicks street was fully justified. Carney was the second man killed by the troops.

Order is slowly being established. Wire-cutting still prevails in outlying districts, and the minor disorders still continue, but with less frequency. Cars are not yet run at night. No one seems to be anxious to take chances after dark.

The Seventh regiment will probably be ordered home to-day. The men here who are mostly business and professional men, have had a hard siege at East New York, Ridgewood and Halsey street. They have endured many hardships and their engagements are such that they are anxious to be excused from further service for the state at present. The members expect an order to break camp to-day. If all is quiet, detachments from Brooklyn regiments will take their places. If more trouble develops the Ninth regiment now doing reserve duty at their armory in New York will be ordered here.

Master Workman Connelly said late last night that all linemen in the city were out on strike, so far as he knew, with the exception of four who were with an emergency crew down at Greenwood. He exhibited a metal badge bearing the words and figures "Lindell (No. 75) Railway—Motorman."

"This," said he, "is one of more than 500 badges representing street railways in Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, Chicago, St. Louis and other large cities from which men have been brought on to take strikers' places, which the men handed in to us when they deserted Lewis, Norton and the other railway directors. The Lindell railway is in St. Louis. We shall hold an auction sale of these trophies later on for the benefit of our treasury."

"Has there been any offer of compromise or arbitration on the part of the companies?"

"No: they say they have nothing to arbitrate, but I think Judge Gaynor's words will make them change their tune."

President Lewis declined to express an opinion on Judge Gaynor's decision. He said it would not be proper for him to do so. In regard to the situation he said that he considered the outlook satisfactory.

Lawyer B. F. Straus, representing the strikers, secured from Judge Gaynor, of the supreme court, a writ of habeas corpus, requiring the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company to produce in court yesterday, twenty-six men who, it was alleged, were illegally detained by the company in the Halsey street stables.

When the matter came up Judge Gaynor said he had discovered a technical error in the papers submitted by Lawrence Straus, and he postponed the case until this morning in order to give the lawyer time to rectify his error.

The men were engaged in Pittsburg on what they call false representations, and have wanted to return, but Mr. Lewis would not let them go. Two of their number, John P. Pappen and Joseph Chaplain, managed to escape and communicated with Master Workman Connelly with the above result.

Wires were cut on Third avenue at Richards and Coffey streets in the Red Hook district near the Erie basin last evening. The men who did the work were pursued by the police but were not captured. A crowd of strikers was driven away from the Fifth, and Third avenue barns shortly before midnight. Other slight disturbances were reported but the cessation of hostilities seem to cease when the cars are stopped for the night.

It was announced late last night that six more lines would be started sometime during to-day.

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Mme. Grandin came as the correspondent of a Paris journal to visit the World's Fair and has recorded her opinion of New York, Chicago, and other things.

Here are some of the curios culled from Madam's always amusing and never dreary volume:

New York is a city of infernal noises.

The streets near the docks are narrow and dirty, and on each side are phenomenally high houses, uniformly red and frightfully ugly.

No sky is to be seen. An immense viaduct runs over head in the streets on which trains rush by every few minutes.

On the streets is an indescribable chaos of carriages, tramways, wagons, and a terrible noise of electric bells, loud gongs and carriage wheels, which, however, does not seem to worry the passers by. How different to the picturesque crowd of our Paris streets, with the little work girls without their hats, and the elegantly dressed women and the gay boulevardiers!

The Americans are all well dressed, but they all look alike. They are are all very tall, very thin, and all in a hurry.

All Americans are shaved. They wear neither beards nor mustaches.

Apparently there are no women in New York. The tramways are full of men, and it would be almost impossible to tell their respective ages, for without beard or mustache they all look very much like boys.

Upon leaving the tramway we climb up on the iron viaduct to take the train. The carriages are very comfortable, with seats running down each side, except in the centre, where seats, placed crosswise, form a sort of private parlor. Through the windows I can look into the houses. How agreeable it must be for the inhabitants to have to submit every three or four minutes to the inspection of all kinds of people, who gaze in curiosity as the train speeds by! And with the black and greasy smoke entering the apartments every time the windows are opened, not to speak of the infernal noise night and day. Is it possible that they have had the idea of building an elevated in Paris? I am sure its Parisian enthusiasts have never seen it.

New York is divided into quarters—there is the Italian quarter, the French quarter, the Chinese quarter, and the Hebrew quarter.

Besides being the dirtiest, the last named quarter is the most populated in New York. Only one religion prevails, but all the different types of the world rub shoulders there.

Very old Hebrew families who have lived in New York since the foundation of the city are to be found there. But, contrary to their usual habit, they have not acquired wealth.

The Chinese quarter is very different. With exception of the houses, one would believe one's self at Pekin on seeing these long, yellow faces and braided tails and Asiatic robes.

The Americans detest the Chinese by pure antagonism of race. The Chinese detest the Americans equally cordially, and they only stay in the country to enrich themselves.

Another curious part of the town is the Bowery, the oldest quarter of New York city. Its population is made up of the lowest kind of people of all races, and it is dangerous to go on the Bowery at night unless well armed. The place is full of theatres, concerts and halls, which are frequented by thieves.

One of the most curious things in New York is to see the people of different color in the streets. You meet ladies well dressed, with yellow faces, red faces, black faces and chocolate faces and bronze faces.

What amused me very much was the unanimous preference given by these black ladies to white dresses. In fact, all the women in New York wear white dresses. In the summer all the women, young and old, wear this virginal costume in the street. It is very becoming to pretty girls, but it is frightful when worn by ladies with yellow or chocolate faces.

Another remarkable thing about the dresses worn in New York is the white apron, which many ladies wear at home and in the street. They are very pretty aprons, ornamented with lace or ribbons, but still the effect is not very becoming when they are worn with gloves and a bonnet.

The first time I saw ladies attired like this I thought they were chambermaids. Of course, I do not suppose that these ladies represent the aristocratic classes in New York, but I met so many of them attired in these aprons that I suppose it is a fashion with the higher middle class.

The bootblack in New York has the rank of a regular tradesman. His place of business is not as in Paris, modest and primitive. At the corner of each street is a kind of platform, on which are arranged a number of comfortable armchairs. The customers sit in these armchairs and read their papers comfortably, while the bootblack kneels at their feet and makes the boots confided to him shine like a mirror. This operation costs five sous. The American, who is very particular how his shoes look, has them polished several times a day, and from morning to evening the armchairs are crowded with customers.

I like the American clam. I don't know what it is, and I never saw one in France. But it is delicious. It seems to be half way between an oyster and a mussel, but it has a very fine and peculiar flavor. They eat enormous quantities of clams in New York—in fact, they even make cakes of them.

I journeyed to Chicago in one of those truly marvellous American palace cars. It was a beautiful trip. We sped along the side of the noble Hudson, a beautiful valley, closed in by high mountains.

We soon arrived at Buffalo. The buffalo in a savage state roams in the forest all through this country, and the city is named after them. We leave the train to get something to eat. But we have scarcely time to take anything before we have to resume our seats. The total cost of the dinner we didn't eat was $4.

We arrived at Niagara an hour later and stop at the Hotel of the Falls. Naturally we pay for a single night an exorbitant price. That would have been all right if we could have slept for our money. But my bedroom was close to the cataract, and the tremendous roar of the falling water kept me awake all night. I was really alarmed, for I did not know what caused the noise.

Leaving Niagara, we started off across the great plains. It was daylight, and I enjoyed the trip across the wonderful prairie. It is a desert, not of sand, but of grass—a sea of grass stretching to the horizon, and the grass blown by the wind, resembling the waves of a sea. Not a tree small or large, nothing but grass, dried and burned. From time to time we catch sight of immense herds of buffalo, and we see sheep and masses of black pigs, who scatter as the train passes. There are no stations among these ranches of the plains.

At night everybody turns into his sleeping section.

I was dreadfully embarrassed when I had to go to bed.

Men and women sleep next to each other, a simple curtain protecting each from indiscreet glances.

Yet this did not seem to worry the Americans. Just as if they were at home in their own bedrooms, the travellers of each sex began to undress, and did not hesitate to take off every garment before slipping into their berths.

I am not a prude, but I was scandalized, and I took care not to imitate my neighbors. I threw myself into my berth with all my clothes on, and as I was very tired I managed to get to sleep, lulled by the delightful snoring of all my neighbors.

WINTER BATHING IN THE SURF.

The Captain Thinks Winter as Good a Time for Bathing as Summer.

Sea bathing as a winter pastime has something of a frosty sound, even in the warm carpeted bath rooms. If a man talks about a cold plunge in the morning, when the thermometer hovers around zero, he is looked upon with awe as a phenomenal shock register and a man of uncommon courage. What, then, must be the thought of the man or woman who, totally disregarding the icy winds of winter on a bleak Jersey coast, will dip pleasantly every day in the briny deep and not shiver at all?

There are several winter bathers in Asbury Park. Two or three take only an occasional dip, but Captain Abram Baker, a wealthy resident of the Park, goes in very often. The captain is a character, with a physique to match. There has never been a time within the past twelve years that Captain Baker was not the most observed man in Asbury Park.

In the summer months his tall, powerful frame looms up like a Leviathan on the board walk. He invariably appears in a light blue outing shirt, a pair of linen trousers, and very seldom—only on extremely cold days—with an overcoat. If perchance he wears an overcoat the under coat is left off. Captain Baker is seventy years of age, and was one of the old forty-niners. He is strong and robust and walks with a soldierly bearing.

The captain believes that only the men who don't smoke or chew are able to stand winter surf bathing. He says he bathes about 25 times in November and about a dozen times in December and regularly from April to the middle of January, and would keep it up all winter but for the fact that Senator Bradley's bathing houses are just a little bit too icy for use. The Captain bathes every day from April 1 to September 15. He goes in twice a day, remaining in the water not over ten minutes at a time. He claims that to bathe longer than that time is injurious.

The captain claims that tobacco destroys animal heat and nerve power. He never overloads his stomach and takes plenty of outdoor exercise. The captain never frets or worries. He takes life easy and never allows any worriment to enter his mind, claiming that no one would fret if in good health. He avoids all the excitements possible, for they always, according to his doctrine, lower the strength.

"If people would do like this," says the captain, "they could bathe as well as I do, and to-day I feel as though I am no more than forty years old in my feelings and reality."

SHE HAD A LOVELY TIME.

The Recreation of a Stout Lady With a Flow of Language.

When the stout lady entered the elevated at 14th street she sat down on the left hand corner seat facing the engine. There were touches of finery about her dress, whose presence was explained when she caught sight of an acquaintance on the other side of the car, and immediately plunged across the aisle and sat down beside her.

"I've just been up calling on Lucy Powers," she began at once. "She used to live over near us you know and I promised as soon as she came back from her tower I'd run across and see her and this morning Mrs. Ebler told me she'd seen her on Broadway over here and so I just ragged out and came over here right away."

She had a large, limp mouth, and when she spoke her lips moved flutteringly like the leaves of a poplar tree in a breeze. Punctuation was a useless arrangement of the grammarian so far as she was concerned, while her idea of conversation evidently was that it was a form of social entertainment in which one person did all the talking.

"I was surprised to find," she ran on, "how cosily Lucy is fixed she has a real sweet little flat with real nice furniture and lots of dainty thing scattered all about you know and though it wasn't her calling day there were quite a number of people nice people too looking at the things she had picked up in their tower curiosities and such things you know and I got a real nice cup of chocolate though I can't say I like chocolate in the afternoon I prefer tea don't you I do."

When she did stop it was for absolute want of breath, her method of re-inflation being to draw in a long, deep draught of breath through the open mouth. Being once more charged she dashed in once more.

"I told William I'd call in for him when I left Lucy's as he wants me too look at some underclothing with him and he never so much as buys a pair of socks now without first consulting me which is very complimentary you know though somewhat trying when you have so many things to look after I declare these cars do make such a row you scarcely hear what any one is saying this is Franklin street isn't it well good by dear I'm so glad to have seen you come over right soon now won't you I've had such a lovely time good by.

And with this she drove her way into the string of incoming passengers, leaving her friend with a feeble, imploring look in her eyes, her mouth partly open, as though gasping for breath, and her hands feebly clutching at the air like one faintly fighting against suffocation.—N. Y. Sun.

MAY BRING A SOLUTION

What Senators Hope To-Day's Caucus Will Do.

The Republicans to Examine Mr. Allison's Views on the Financial Question and Will Probably Endorse Them Silver Men Not Prepared with Any Definite Plan.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Senators generally are inclined to hope that the republican caucus, to be held to-day, will tend to a solution of the financial question.

Summarizing the situation, as it now appears, the views of Senator Allison, of Iowa, a close condensation of which may be considered as only a temporary expedient to make good the deficiency in the government revenues, has thus far met with no pronounced objection. These views will have earnest attention at the caucus. They include the issue of an interest-bearing treasury note to run for a period of two or three years with the express purpose of meeting the deficit caused by the falling off of the revenues. This Mr. Allison thinks would increase the circulation sufficiently to pay current obligations of the treasury.

It is understood that the experts at the treasury department have been compiling statistics for several days to the receipts under the new law for the use of the finance committee. These statistics show, it is claimed, that after the first of April the receipts will equal, if they do not exceed, the expenditures. The department, it is asserted, looks with disfavor upon any proposition to increase tariff duties. If currency revision cannot be had then, it is said, that all Mr. Carlisle wants is sufficient authority to issue bonds or some other evidence of indebtedness to tide him over the period pending that time when the receipts will approximate what he now expects.

The silver men are not prepared to say what they will do in the matter. When asked about the situation they point out another, and to them, a better way, to meet current expenses. This they say should be done by the coinage of seigniorage now in the vaults of the treasury, which would give the treasury about $55,000,000 or five millions more than it is proposed to allow under Mr. Allison's scheme or by the issue of bonds. The silver men will urge the coinage of this silver and if they must take the issue of treasury notes they will insist upon them being non-interest bearing. Several of the more prominent of the silver republicans say that the matter of caring for the deficit in the treasury would be speedily settled by the senate after the committee reported, so long as the measure they may report related to that question exclusively and did not enter the field of currency reform or financial legislation. The republican caucus will probably endorse the idea of Mr. Allison or something similar.

BYNUM ON THE DEPRESSION.

He Speaks at the Merchants' Banquet at Baltimore.

Baltimore, Jan. 25.—The fifteenth annual banquet of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association was given at the Rennert last night. Among the public men present as guests were Governor Frank Brown, Congressmen William M. Springer, of Illinois; Charles A Boutelle, of Maine; William D. Bynum, of Indiana, and James W. Covert, of New York.

The principal speech was delivered by Congressman Bynum. He spoke on the great commercial depression. He gave the views of various business men on the subject, saying that New Yorkers blamed the trouble on too much money.

All the rest of the country claimed there was not enough. Mr. Bynum blamed protection, and said it had resulted in overproduction. As a result the home markets were glutted, with no outlet, as there was no reciprocity with foreign governments.

Another Contest Over Appointments.

Washington, Jan. 25.—There is another contest between the postoffice department and the civil service commission over the making of appointments at postoffices where there is only one name on the eligible list. At several places such cases have happened and the department has appointed an outsider temporarily but the commission objects to this as a violation of the law. The department holds otherwise.

Thieves Loot an Art Gallery.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 25.—The art gallery of Berish Wall, a retired banker, was pillaged by burglars last night. About $2,000 worth of oil paintings and some very choice etchings were selected by the robbers and carried away without detection or the slightest clew being left behind.

Three Indictments Against Quigley.

New York, Jan. 25.—Three indictments are now filed against Forger Quigley. The two additional indictments are for forging bonds on Zanesville, O., and Harrisburg, Pa. It is said that other indictments will follow.

Appointed Temporary Receiver.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 25.—Julius L. Brown has been appointed temporary receiver for the Georgia Mining, Manufacturing & Investment company. The company's assets are $3,000,000 and its liabilities are $800,000.

Married at Seventy.

Setauket, L. I., Jan. 25.—Captain Scudder Jayne, of this town, who has just passed his 70th birthday, has been married to Miss Sarah Sanford, aged 53. The ceremony was performed at the groom's house.

Canadian Pacific Earnings.

Montreal, Jan. 25.—The Canadian Pacific railway earnings for the week ending Jan. 21, were $274,000. For the same period last year the earnings were $313,000. Decrease this year, $39,000.

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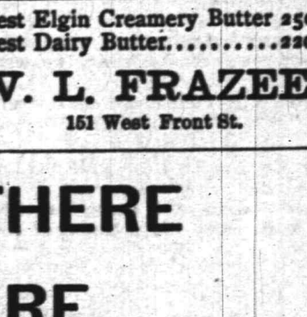

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Buildings mortgaged, insured at	130,600	
Market Value.		
33,000	Union County Bonds	$ 33,540 00
25,000	Hudson "	25 500 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10 600 00
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00
13,000	Loan City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000 00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000 00
4,500	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,500 00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900 00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10 850 00
	Demand Loans	3,300 00
	Interest due and accrued	4,081 11
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400 00
	Cash in Banks	55,542 62
	Cash in Office	702 45
		$328,066 39

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,598 28
Surplus	15,468 11
	$328,066 39

State of New Jersey, } ss
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John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres.
ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.
JAMES O POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

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For Tomorrow: Snow; Northeasterly Winds.

WEAKENING OF THE STRIKE.

Justice Gaynor's court-room in Brooklyn was crowded this morning to listen to the argument whether the mandamus against the Brooklyn Heights Company granted yesterday by Judge Gaynor, should be alternative or peremptory. Counsel on both sides spoke at length. Judge Gaynor said he would give his decision tomorrow morning.

With the beginning of the eleventh day of the strike on the Brooklyn trolley systems this morning the outlook for the men was more gloomy than ever. The roads which had been tied up, had fully one-half of the usual number of cars running. At headquarters it was said that the First Brigade would not be ordered back to New York today, and possibly not for several days. It was the general impression, however, that the order might come at any minute.

Indictments and Presentments.

The Union County Grand Jury came into Court this morning and returned 62 true bills of indictment and 6 presentments.

Charles E. MacDonald and Lucius B. Morgan were presented for permitting their boys to play with firearms. These presentments are the result of the shooting of Harold Greenleaf.

Two indictments are against the Traction Company, and one each against the street committee and the street commissioner of Elizabeth.

—The Master-Plumbers Association meet tonight.

—While skating on Hyde's pond, Wednesday, Clem Morgan of Ninth street broke through the ice. He escaped with a severe wetting.

Miss Eleanor Williams was suddenly taken ill in the Franklin School Thursday morning. She was assisted to her home on West Seventh street by her friend Miss Alice Chandor.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

There is talk of a Winter run of the Bicycling Division when the roads and weather are in condition.

The High School hockey team will surely be a success, as it is under the able management of Volney F. Green.

The old question of a High School paper is being revived, and it seems to be the wish of a number that the Plainfield High School Press Association should assume control.

The Physics class is examining the mechanism of the telegraph, and an electrical soldering iron which was kindly loaned by its inventor, W. M. Miner of East Second street.

The High School Lyceum will have an "Improvement" meeting today. Each member will speak two minutes on recent progress in some certain line. Howard Miller is the committee in charge.

The Senior class is busy with the question of a class pin. A number of designs has been examined, but the one that finds the most favor is an ornamented shield with '95 engraved on it with the motto on a small scroll running diagonally across the pin.

The Kappa Delta Phi will hold a debate this afternoon on the subject "From which does the mind gain the more knowledge: reading, or observation?" Lewis H. Rand, Edgar I. Serrell and Henry Eggerding will speak for Reading; and John V. Beekman, Jr., George A. Horne, and Charles B. Morse, for Observation.

Storing Their Wedding Fortune.

A man from Tiffany's was sent from New York this morning to take charge of the numerous valuable wedding gifts of jewelry and silver belonging to Mrs. Theodore Howard Banks. The precious packages are valued at a surprising sum on the express company's books, and are to be placed in Tiffany's enormous vaults.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

George Terry of Terrill road is ill with the grip.

Mrs. A. C. LaBoyteaux is at home with the grip.

Mrs. Skaden of East Fifth street is ill with the grip.

Mrs. Howard of Carleton avenue is ill with the grip.

Miss Martin of Bound Brook is visiting Plainfield friends.

Rowland M. Stover of East Ninth street is still severely ill.

Mr. E. A. Gross of West Seventh street is in Cincinnati on business.

Miss Ida Demler of Washingtonville is convalescing from a long illness.

Abel Clawson of Hunterdon county is visiting his sons on Brook avenue.

Charles Brinkenhoff, who was shot in the wrist Wednesday, is better today.

Miss Maude VanDyke of East Front street has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Miss Nellie Ware of Second place has gone to the St. Margaret School, Waterbury, Conn.

Mrs. Samuel Q. Lawson of West Seventh street will spend the rest of the Winter in New York city.

Charles B. Morse of Franklin place is confined to the house with a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Marguerite Van Zandt of Madison avenue has fully recovered from a severe attack of the grip.

Morton Pierson of the Junior Class of the High School is confined to his home in Roselle by illness.

Miss Josie Fritz of Somerset street returned yesterday from a visit among friends in New York.

Miss Florence Dodge expects to go to Chicago soon to take a two years course in a missionary school.

Cards are out announcing a reception to be given by the Misses Bush of West Seventh street, Feb. 2.

J. J. Coard, who has been quite ill with the grip in New York during the week, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. and the Misses Williams of Kimberly, South Africa, are visiting W. Rockwell of East Front street.

William VanDeventer of East Fifth street is able to be out again, after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Jeanette Simpson of Craig place has returned from Washingtonville, where she has been visiting relatives.

John W. Kirkner of West Eighth street is seriously ill with pneumonia. He is under the able care of Dr. VanD. Hedges.

Miss Filmer of Central avenue will be present this evening at the reception given by her friend Mrs. Gustav Schaumann of Newark.

Miss Fannie Smalley and Miss Carrie Tomlinson of Bridgeton are the guests of Miss Mineola Tomlinson of LaGrande avenue.

The friends of Miss Jane Schoonmaker of Putnam avenue are glad to see her out again. She has suffered with an attack of the grip.

Jacob Pentz of the Climax Gun Club, Plainfield, participated yesterday in the organization of the trap-shooters association in New York.

Miss Ella Conkey of New York city returned to her home today after a pleasant visit with her aunt, Mrs. N. W. French of West Fourth street.

The children of Mrs. Ulrich, who have been suffering with the dread disease scarlet fever, are much better, and on the road to recovery.

Elwood Seboring of La Grande avenue has returned to his studies at the High School, after several days absence on account of an injured arm.

Mrs. John V. Berkaw of East Second street, who has been confined to her bed with rheumatism and neuralgia, is much improved and is able to sit up.

Rev. Dr. Henry Blodgett will address the Y. M. C. A. men's meeting, Sunday, when the meeting room on the second floor will be used for the first time.

T. C. Loizeaux made quite a large shipment of money to the suffering farmers of Nebraska by express this morning, contributed by philanthropic Plainfielders.

The many anxious friends of Mrs. Charles H. Van Ness of New street will be glad to learn that she is slowly convalescing from her severe attack of pneumonia.

Edward Stewart of West Seventh street, who is spending the Winter in New York City, returned to New York yesterday after spending a few days with friends in town.

Little Donald Bromfield of East Sixth street, while playing about the house fell and struck his head against a chair, causing a severe scalp wound. Dr. Davis was summoned and the wound was dressed.

Little Elsie, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Squires, is slowly recovering from a dangerous attack of bronchitis. Mrs. Squires and her infant son, who have also been sick, are now out of danger.

Fred Loizeaux of Putnam avenue and Warren Church of Craig place did not go to Hoboken Wednesday to attend their studies in the Stevens Preparatory School, on account of the death of Mr. Stevens, son of the Institute founder.

Colonel Eadie, chief secretary of the Salvation Army of America, will visit the Plainfield army accompanied by the National staff brass band, February 7. Interesting addresses will be read by prominent persons and there will be inspiring music by the band.

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Scarlet Fever Epidemic at Halifax.

Halifax, Jan. 25.—Scarlet fever has become epidemic during the past few days and is spreading to an alarming extent in some parts of the city.

May Ask the Legislature for Aid.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 25.—A mass-meeting of the unemployed of this city will be held here this evening. Several thousand people will attend and the legislature will probably be petitioned for aid.

Engine Works Burned.

Carlisle, Pa., Jan. 25.—The loss to the Metcalf Engine works at Shippensburg, which have been destroyed by fire, will reach $10,000; partly insured.

Could Get Rid of the Coin.

"That half dollar's no good; it's lead," said the all-night bartender to the regular customer.

"That so? I didn't know it when I gave it to you, honest I didn't. Here's a good one for it."

"No matter. I can work it off easier than you can," remarked the white-aproned dispenser of drinks, as he dropped the coin into a special compartment in the cash register and handed out thirty-five cents change to the man, whose patronage was worth keeping.—N. Y. Herald.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Bozard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE CONFIDENTIAL PAPER.

The Briton Complains, Praises and Scolds In His Daily Journal.

The newspaper is a member of the family in England and regularly comes to breakfast with the other members. The London Times is a kind of oldest son among newspapers, and Punch the jolly bachelor uncle, who makes occasional visits. Englishmen take their newspapers into their confidence and have a half way of writing to them on all sorts of subjects. If an Englishman rows down the Thames and stops for luncheon at an inn and is overcharged, he writes to his newspaper, just as a little boy runs in to complain to his mamma of the rough treatment of his playmates, and later on the first letter is followed by others, in which the comparative merits and cost of light luncheons on the continent, in Seringapatam, in Kamchatka and everywhere else where Englishmen have eaten and drunk—and where have they not done these?—is discussed au fond. If horses stumble and fall in Rotten row, there are letters on the subject which go into the matter of roadbuilding, modern horsemanship and the like, with quotations from Virgil and anecdotes of accidents that happened half a century ago. Not only the more serious weekly, but also the daily newspapers, give one the impression that they feel themselves to some extent responsible for the contemporary auditing of the accounts of the day of judgment. On the other hand, the better class of English newspapers do not indulge in rash suppositions, hasty generalizations, uncertain guesses at probable future happenings and the daily exploitation of the personal affairs of notorious nobodies. And one may be permitted to say diffidently that perhaps this is preferable. If Mr. Balfour, for example, were to go abroad for a holiday, it would be considered vulgar to chronicle his doings and dinings and absolutely brutal and boorish to write particulars of the dress and behavior of his sister, or his wife, if he had one. The sense of fair play of a nation of sportsmen does not permit an editor to torment even his enemy from behind a woman's petticoats.—Price Collier in Forum.

A Question of Recognition.

Miss Kitty—Mamma, will we know folks in heaven same as we do here?

Mamma—I think there is no doubt of that, my dear.

"Will I know Jane Gopplins?"

"Who is Jane Gopplins?"

"She's the big freckled girl that lives over the grocery store down the street."

"If you are both good enough to go to heaven, my dear, you will certainly know her."

(After some moments of profound cogitation) "I won't have to speak to her, will I, mamma?"—Chicago Tribune.

—A New York taxidermist has received an order to mount little Harvey Fisk's pony, which was recently accidentally killed.

—The Casinos of Finderne defeated the Plainfield Bowling Club at Finderne last night. Score: 1st half—Plainfield 753; Casinos 761; second half—Plainfield 632; Casinos 690.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by all druggists.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by all druggists.

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

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(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Pietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE, Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN, 214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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SPECIAL—Millinery Department—1 lot violets 9c bunch; 1 lot roses at 10c bunch; 1 lot sailor hats at 39c.

SPECIAL—Housefurnishing Department—1 lot white ironstone china plates at 3c; 1 lot scrub brushes 3c; 1 lot japanned bread boxes, all perfect, at 27c.

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

FACTS ABOUT THE GOVERNMENT'S FREE SEED BUSINESS.

Only 940 Out of 1,800,000 Beneficiaries Acknowledged the Gifts. Revolutionary Archives Receiving the Attention They Deserve.

Inquiry among Senators and Representatives fails to develop a sentiment in either House favoring the legislation recommended by the President in his recent message to amend the Hawaiian treaty so that the consent of this Government can be secured for the construction of a cable under English auspices from Vancouver to Australia via Necker Island, with a branch to Honolulu. There has been for a long time a movement in the direction of securing such consent, but the message of the President seems to have upset the plans of those who have it in charge. Any proposition in which the Administration is particularly interested seems to be so unpopular in this Congress that even serious consideration cannot be obtained for it. The President's recommendation has not only brought to the surface all the opposition to a British cable, but has stirred up the friends of the American project, who have not been at all active during the present Congress. Already several members have in preparation bills authorizing the laying of a Hawaiian cable under the patronage of the United States. It is understood that the President and Secretary Gresham have both been very much surprised to learn that there would be any opposition to the recommendation for the amendment of the treaty as suggested.

A provision in the last Sundry Civil bill directed the Secretary of State to cause the Revolutionary archives except military records now deposited in his department to be examined to ascertain what portions are of sufficient importance and historical value to publish and the reasonable cost of their publication. The archives are found chiefly in the records and papers of the Continental Congresses, and the Secretary of State says that the manuscript collections of Washington, Jefferson, Franklin, Madison and Hamilton also contain material of historical value. Secretary Gresham endorses the previous views of Secretary Bayard and urges that the documents be printed in full. The propriety of Mr. Bayard's recommendations has been frequently emphasized by applications for access to the original papers. Secretary Gresham says it would be impracticable for the department, or even an expert, to determine precisely what would or would not be valuable for historical purposes, as it often happens that light is sought with reference to matters of apparently little moment which may be found to have great significance in historical studies. For the publication of these archives the following estimate, upon the basis of volumes of 800 pages each, is submitted: Journals of the Continental Congress, 10 volumes; other records and papers of Congress, 38 volumes; miscellaneous papers, principally from the collections named, 2 volumes, making in all 50 volumes. Of these, the first 1,000 bound in cloth would cost $100,750, and each 1,000 copies additional $22,750. The cost of a single copy of a volume of the first edition of 1,000 would be about $2, and for a single copy of the subsequent editions about 44 cents each.

Secretary Morton is going to grapple with Congress again on the garden seed question and make another attempt to deprive the Representatives of one of their most sacred perquisites. A war of this kind has been going on ever since he entered the Cabinet. He has insisted in all of his reports that the free seed distribution is a humbug and a waste of money, and simply a piece of political demagogery to catch the farmer vote. Last year Congress made the usual appropriation of $160,000 for seed distribution regardless of his protest. But this year he is going to try again to prevent it, or at least limit the practice to what he considers its legitimate usefulness. Mr. Morton has forwarded to the House Committee on Appropriations an amendment which he desires to have inserted in the Agricultural Appropriation bill, providing $25,000 "for the purchase and propagation of rare and valuable seeds, bulbs, trees, shrubs, vines, cuttings, and plants, for distribution through the agricultural experiment stations to such persons only as shall contract to make full tests of the same under the direction of said stations, and to furnish written reports of their tests upon blanks to be furnished by the Agricultural Department." He has also forwarded to the Committee on Agriculture of the House the same proposition in the form of a bill, which he asks Congress to place upon the statute books for the future guidance of the department. But this proposition will not be popular. Last year the Senators and Representatives and Delegates in Congress sent out 8,385,120 packages of seeds to their constituents, and the Secretary says that nine tenths of them were simply to provide the people with seeds to plant in their vegetable gardens and flower beds, and that only one tenth of the money was used to aid the great agricultural interests of the country. As a rule the packages of important varieties were so small that it is doubted whether they offered a fair opportunity to test the merits of the seeds. Under the present method the Secretary is compelled to buy seeds in such quantities that he cannot confine his purchases to new and rare varieties but has to provide ordinary seeds that can be purchased at any grocery store throughout the country. He demonstrates the lack of appreciation of this generosity on the part of Congress by showing that of the 1,800,000 citizens who received seeds in this promiscuous distribution, only 940 thought enough of them to acknowledge their receipt or make a request for more.

ROGER LEWIS.

Time's Changes.

"So you're from Kansas?" said the eastern girl with the supercilious look, to the Senator's daughter.

"Oh, yes, indeed."

"And do you see Indians and buffalo and wigwams and cowboys at your western home?"

"No; the procession of the years has brought many changes to Kansas since you studied geography."—Kansas City Star.

Certainly.

She—And what would you be now if it weren't for my money?

He—A bachelor.

No man ever made an ill figure who understood his own talents, nor a good one, who mistook them.—Swift.

POST-HOLIDAY SHOPPERS.

People Who Try to Set Aright the Mistakes of the Christmas Season.

These are four distinct species. First, there are the people who received presents they didn't expect and who are taking the earliest opportunity to send something in return, no matter if it be the day after the fair. Bargain counters and post-holiday reductions are a great boon to them.

Next come those who received money for Christmas presents and who desire to invest it at once in something that they can taste, see, smell, hear or wear. This species is more common than one might suppose. Then there is the noble army of those who want things marked. From the hordes now haunting every silversmith in the city one might suppose that only unmarked silver was given away at Christmas. There are two obvious reasons for the rush. Either there was too great a demand to have the marking done before Christmas, or else the purchaser was uncertain just what initials or monogram would be most acceptable to the recipient.

Lastly, there are the enterprising individuals who desire to exchange their duplicated or otherwise undesirable gifts. Sometimes this is done with the full knowledge and consent of the donor, but more often it is not. The species is the most numerous of all, and it is also the most interesting.

"I made up my mind to change the thing the minute I undid it," one woman was overheard to say. "She'll never know the difference, and I might just as well have something I really want as not."

"I've changed six presents," crowed another most gleefully. "And just see what lovely things I've got in their places!"

Sometimes the spirit of enterprise goes even further than this.

"Yes, I know this book of Gibson's cost less than the 'Sketch Book,' but I'd rather have it, and I'll be in a dollar besides," a level-headed maiden was heard to remark.

One of the queerest of Christmas experiences was shared by a Baltimore man and a New York girl. The Baltimore man sent the New York girl a note in which he informed her that he had just expressed her the latest edition of Dr. Holmes's "Autocrat." Unfortunately this was not strictly true, and when after posting the note the young man sallied forth to make good the assertion contained therein, not a Baltimore book store could be found that had the "Autocrat" in stock. Frenzied with fear the young man telegraphed right and left for the desired volume, only to find his plans frustrated at every turn. Meanwhile the girl had received the note, and naturally supposing that the book would soon follow, she at once despatched an answer saying how much she had enjoyed so charming a gift. The book, however, never arrived, for the man was unable to get hold of it, and some common friends at length enlightened the girl as to the true state of affairs. And now the respective writers of those two unfortunate if well-meant notes are in a curious state of mind.

SHE EVOLVED A GOWN.

And It Was Very Effective, Though It Cost But $5.

She was a young married woman with more artistic taste than money. What her winter wardrobe needed was a sort of composite tea gown, dinner dress and at home costume. The illustration shows what she evolved, and this story tells how she did it.

Some years ago she owned a black silk street gown, which now hung in her closet much the worse for wear. This she ripped up, brushed thoroughly, sponged with black coffee and pressed between flannel cloths with a moderately hot iron. The silk appeared after this operation almost as good as new. Then a little dressmaker, who came in by the day, made the silk into a graceful Princess gown.

The butter color lace insertion, which so uniquely trimmed it, was brought at a bargain and cost but ten cents a yard. The stock and bow at the waist line, with its long ends, were made of orange colored ribbon, which had once upon a time served as a broad sash.

It took the whole of the black silk coat to make the huge puffs of the sleeves, but they were a great artistic success when finished, with their stripes of lace insertion and their deep lace cuffs, with overhanging frills. Five dollars covered the entire expense of the gown, counting in the dressmaker's bill and yet it was much admired.

Her Advice.

"I suppose," observed the tramp, bitterly, "you would like to have me get off the earth. But I cannot."

"Have you tried the soft soap?" asked the woman in the blue gingham dress dispassionately.—Puck.

What He Thought of Him.

"Do you think Skinner can make a living out there?"

"Make a living? Why, he'd make a living on a rock in the middle of the broad Atlantic ocean—if there was another man on the rock."—Dallas Visitor.

DOES THIS SETTLE IT?

HAS THE SOURCE OF THE MISSISSIPPI BEEN POSITIVELY FIXED?

The Story of the Search For It During Two Centuries—Lake Itasca and the Little Stream That Nicollet Christened the "Cradled Achilles."

"I have stepped across the Mississippi river," said Dr. Coues. "It was easy, for the stream was only about 8 inches wide and 2 inches deep. I have seen the Father of Waters where he rises literally out of the ground and starts as an infant rivulet, destined to cut the United States in twain with the mighty volume of his adult flood.

"The story of the search for the source of the Mississippi reads like a romance. After the discovery of the upper river in 1673 by Joliet and Marquette, and the discovery of the falls of St. Anthony in 1680, by Hennepin, little more was known of the Father of Waters for nearly a century. In 1766 Captain Jonathan Carver ascended the stream as far as the mouth of Rum river. In 1798 the famous English astronomer and surveyor, David Thompson, in the service of the Northwest company, reached Turtle lake. This lake, which sends a tributary to the Mississippi, was for some time supposed to be the source.

"The first white man known to have visited the neighborhood of the actual source of the Mississippi was William Morrison, a fur trader, who was certainly at Lake Itasca in 1803 or 1804. He never published anything on the subject, and it is only very recently that his priority of discovery has been known. The next explorer of the sources of the river was Lieutenant Zebulon Montgomery Pike. He was the first American citizen to carry the flag of the United States into northern Minnesota. He was sent by the government to treat with the Indians and stop the sale of liquor in that region. Incidentally he purchased for $250 and some whisky a tract of land nine miles square, which included the present site of Minneapolis. Congress subsequently voted an additional payment to the Indians for this tract of $2,000.

"Lieutenant Pike proceeded by boat to the vicinity of the present Little Falls in Morrison county, Minn. He got no farther with boats, and so continued his journey through the winter of 1805-6 on snowshoes and with sledges northward. He finally reached Leech lake. This lake he mistook for the source of the Mississippi, and his report on this subject was held to be correct for some years afterward.

"In 1820 the Hon. Lewis Cass, accompanied by Henry R. Schoolcraft, the historian, went on an exploring expedition up the Mississippi as far as Cass lake, so named at the time by Schoolcraft. In 1823 an Italian traveler, J. C. Beltrami, went over David Thompson's route to Turtle lake and reported that lake to be the true source. Evidently, however, he heard from the Indians about Lake Itasca, for he mapped it with approximate accuracy, though he was never there and did not imagine that the Father of Waters sprang thence.

"Lake Itasca was rediscovered in 1832, when Schoolcraft, accompanied by Lieutenant Allen, United States army; the Rev. Mr. Boutwell and others, was guided to the lake by a Chippewa Indian, known as Yellow Head. On this occasion Lake Itasca received its present name, which was made up of parts of the words Veritas Caput, signifying the 'true head' of the river. The Latin was bad, for it ought to have been Verum Caput. The lake had previously been known by the French name of Lac a la Biches, meaning Elk Lake. This was a translation of the Chippewa Omoshkos Sogiagon.

"Schoolcraft's party made an examination of Lake Itasca, being satisfied that they had found the true source of the Mississippi. Not again until 1836 did any scientific man visit the spot. This was a Frenchman, J. N. Nicollet, who tried to ascertain the source of the feeders of Lake Itasca. Exploring southward, he reached the springs from which the infant river takes its rise. It should be understood that the Mississippi runs from its source directly northward for a distance of 50 miles before turning about in a sort of fishhook bend and starting southward. To the baby stream, before it enters Lake Itasca, Nicollet gave the poetic name of 'Cradled Achilles.' He established its course in connection with three small lakes, since named Upper, Middle and Lower Nicollet lakes—that is to say, he found that the little river ran through two of these small lakes and connected with the third. This explorer mapped the whole of the Itascan basin and determined the latitude, longitude and altitude with such accuracy that subsequent surveys have only confirmed and amplified his observations.

"The whole subject of which I have been speaking was befogged and thrown into dispute recently by a certain Captain Glazier, who, apparently for no other purpose than to advertise himself, published his alleged discovery of a new and true source of the Mississippi. By reducing the size of Lake Itasca, ignoring Nicollet's Cradled Achilles, magnifying a small side lake which he called Lake Glazier, and by stretching out one of the feeders of the latter, he produced a distorted map which actually imposed on the Royal Geographical society of Great Britain. Many of the errors thus originated have crept into the standard maps of the United States.

"It may be said that there is nothing further to be learned about the true source of the Father of Waters. As a matter of essential fact, the true Upper Mississippi is the river called the Missouri. The stream that flows from Lake Itasca is merely a tributary. I ought not to forget to mention that I walked along the bed of the stream termed by Captain Glazier the infant Mississippi for a considerable distance dry shod. The little brook was dried up. Late measurements have reduced the length of the Mississippi from 3,184 miles to 2,555 miles."

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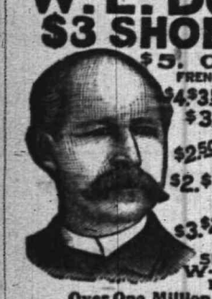
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HE AND SHE.

He lived at No. 12 Woodman street, Chelsea. She lived at No. 13. For ten years they had been opposite neighbors, each occupying the drawing room apartments. She had taken up her abode there six weeks after he was installed, and in a dull, uninterested way he had watched for the unloading of the cab, the taking in of the luggage, the bustling to and fro of the slim woman, who face he got a very imperfect glance at. She looked about 30, not that he cared whether she was more or less. His heart just then was heavy and sore; he had lost the one relative he had left, the only being in the world he cared for—his old mother—and in place of home and her he was simply now "the drawing room lodger."

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And thus ten years stole by, each reflecting the other so exactly, that, excepting the Christmas visit and the summer holiday, there were no landmarks to point the course of time to Nos. 12 and 13, and then fate, fortune, or whatever name we give to the good providence who disposes of those trivial circumstances that lead to great events in our lives arranged that on a certain afternoon in May there was few letters to write that the typist clerk could leave her Bedford street office at a much earlier hour, and, full of anticipation that she would be able to put the finishing touches to a gown she was renovating, she tripped into the Strand, hailed the first omnibus she saw, clambered to the top, and took the only vacant seat. In her anxiety to secure this she did not notice more than that it was a man next to her, but that man was he, and he, having watched her from the time she hailed the 'bus, was now in a flutter for she only just settled when they were at Charing Cross, where he always got down, which he hardly could do now, as, without an explanation which he could not give, it would seem so very peculiar—somewhat offensive, indeed. By the time his hesitation was over they were on their way again, and the conductor was collecting the money. She paid her fare. He silently held out the extra two pence, which the man taking with a nod of surprise, she turned her head, and instantly there mounted to her cheeks a rosy color. He, being of the old school, looked on a blush as one of the most becoming features of a woman.

It was the signal of the weakness of her sex to be answered on the part of the man by the desire to protest, and without hesitation, he said:

"I think you and I are going the same way."

"Yes," and her color deepened, "we live opposite each other on the same street."

"Quite two of the oldest inhabitants, I should say."

"It is ten years since I came," and she gave a sigh.

"Yes, but I was there before you. I remember your coming."

"Do you? Oh, I am accustomed to it now, but at first to have nothing but houses before me seemed dreadful. I used to stand at the window, and—well I won't say what, only I did not see the opposite houses very clearly."

"Perhaps I can enter into your feeling better than you think," he said, kindly, "for to me, then, my surroundings were hateful."

"I had always lived in the country, and I supposed I thought things would go on the same as ever, but in four years I lost every one belonging to me; home and means were swept away, and I had to begin life alone."

"Terrible, hard upon a woman," he said, sympathetically.

"Well, and yet I think sometimes it is harder on a man. Of course, I don't mean one who finds pleasure in clubs and company. I know you stay at home, because every evening I see your lamp alight."

"And your lamp keeps mine company."

"Yes, I've never been away but once—to spend Christmas with a school friend, who has since gone to India. That was an excitement for me! I looked up and saw you and very nearly nodded, and then I was so frightened that I jumped into the cab and told the man to drive as fast as he could."

"And I thought you were late, and it quite fidgeted me, and I gave you a mental scolding, just like I often do on Sundays when you will go out without an umbrella."

"Well, but last Sunday you went out without yours, and, more than that, you left the window open on your bird, and I said to Tottie—my cat—'Now, that is very thoughtless, for if the sun goes in, Dickey will catch cold.'"

"And I fear he did catch cold, for he has sat with all his feathers roughed up, looking very reproachfully at me. You know he is six years old."

"My cat is ten; I can never bear to think of her age, for when she dies—well, people will think her mistress a very foolish woman."

"Not those who live alone."

His tone of sympathy brought a pleasant expression into her eyes.

"You find your bird company, don't you?" she said, looking at him. "That summer when you went away I was quite anxious, fearing the landlady might not look after him properly. You know we missed you dreadfully, Tottie and I."

"I can quite believe it. I felt very dull when you were absent."

They both laughed heartily.

"You gone," she said, "and I had nothing to go by, because you are my timepiece in the morning. Mr. Punctual I call you to Tottie; we established that name almost directly after we settled there."

And he had called her Miss Pry! Ah, well, he would give her that name no longer! Should he ask what was her real name? He thought he—. Suddenly the horses stopped.

"Why, here we are!" he said, looking at her amazed.

It was the corner leading to the street in which they lived.

"The way has seemed very short," she said, preparing to get down. "Usually I think our omnibuses go so slowly."

"Do they? I always walk from Charing Cross. I was just going to get down to-day when you got up and sat down next me."

"Yes. I felt my face quite red when I saw it was you. I wondered would you speak, and I was so glad when you did."

"I hope, now, whenever we meet you will allow me to speak to you."

"I shall be very glad," she said, cordially; "it seems so much nicer to have exchanged a few words with one another."

"Well, we were not like strangers to each other, were we?"

"Certainly not; I have felt as if you were almost a friend for nearly ten years."

And they shook hands and both a little agitated at this unlooked for adventure, turned towards their respective dwellings.

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On the very evening of the day week on which they had met, drawing aside his blind to look at the opposite window—why, there was no light there. How very odd! Thinking he might get from Miss Bates whether she had noticed any departure, he said, as she was setting the teapot down: "Lovely weather for this time of year."

Miss Bates was in a lugubrious frame of mind. "Plenty o' sickness about, I hear. They say," she added, with a sniff and a sigh, "the children's dying like sheep with measles, and in some parts whole houses is down with influenza. I'm sure I trust we shall be spared, but I doubt it, for there's one of 'em ill opposite—I saw the doctor to-day going in there."

The sudden change in his face assured her that she had thoroughly drenched his vivacity, and following the axiom that having made an impression you should go, Miss Bates left the room. He buttered his toast and poured out his tea, and some minutes later, finding plate and cup empty, he reasonably surmised that he had eaten and drank, but he had done so mechanically, while his thoughts were occupied by the words of his landlady. Poor little woman! Now he knew why the window was dark, and the blind remained down. She was ill. Sickness, that despair of the bread winner, had lain its dread hand on her. Poor thing, poor thing!

He walked about the room, he looked out of the window; in short, for over an hour he fidgeted over a score of things, and then that inward tormentor refusing him any peace, he suddenly put on his hat, crossed the road and knocked at the door, determined to ask what was the matter with the lady on the drawing-room floor. He had arranged his words, and, the door open, was about to utter them, when, why—no—yes—it was she, she herself, who had answered the door and was standing before him. "I am so glad," he said, taking her hand and giving it a hearty shake. "I thought you were ill."

"And you came over to see? Oh, how good and kind! That anybody should care cheers me more than I can say."

"There was no light in your window last night, and this morning the blind was down, and while I was wondering what had become of you my landlady told me she had seen the doctor here."

"Yes, but, happily, not me. But you must come in and hear the story. It is poor Kezlah, the servant here. She tripped on the stairs and fell down, and has broken some tendon in her leg. And Mrs. Jenkins is away, and the lodgers were out, so that when I came home I found her lying, groaning, helpless, on the mat."

"But why did you not come over for me?"

"I wish I had now. I did think of doing so, but fortunately I was able to help her. I managed to get her to bed, but I had to sit up all night with her, and this morning I got the milk boy to go for the doctor, and take a telegram telling them I could not go to Bedford street. It was impossible for me to leave her alone, but now her sister has come, and Mrs. Jenkins will soon be here, so I am free again. Won't you come upstairs to my room?"

She did not wait for reply, but led the way, saying as she ushered him in:

"What a pity it is not light; then you could see my view of your window."

"Oh, but what a cosy room!"

He had halted just inside the door and was looking round.

"Does it look so? I tried as much as I could to make it look like my old home. A few friends brought in some of the furniture for me, and when I was really settled it was sent up. Lodging house rooms are so dreary."

His answer was a half stifled sigh. In that moment he had compared the black horsehair covered chairs and sofa of Miss Bates's drawing room—the rigid back of each one protected by a wool antimacassar—with the homely snugness which reigned there.

"As you see," she said, pointing to the table, "I was just making myself a cup of tea. Now, won't you sit down and join me? That would be showing yourself neighborly."

"I think I have had my tea."

"Think only?"

"Well, I know my landlady brought it to me, because it was then she spoke of having seen the doctor here, and I at once jumped to the conclusion that you were ill, because for a week past I have never caught sight of you at the window."

"And I have never seen you."

"No; we don't see unless we look."

"But I have looked."

"Not from where you usually stand, or I must have seen you. I began to feel a little huffy. I thought, she never fancies I mean to presume on that chat we had together."

"Why, of course not. How could I? I was only afraid I might have let my tongue run too quickly."

"Come, come," he said, smiling. "It has taken us ten years to break the ice. It must not take us ten more before we thaw."

While he spoke his eyes were following her—watching her measure out the tea, pour the water from the kettle. He did not offer to help her; the sight of a woman doing these trifling acts brought to him a pleasurable sense of home.

"You are looking very tired," he said, as she sat down waiting for the tea to draw.

"That is partly because I was up all night, and then during the day I have felt rather anxious about being away from the office."

"Oh, don't worry about that. They'll get on all right without you."

"Yes, I know they will. But I don't want them to find that out. There are so many women wanting employment, and some know French and German, which I don't, and others have a home with their parents, and could take a smaller salary. Oh, it does not do to stop away. When I found that poor thing lying on the mat I thought, supposing this was my case, what would become of me? It isn't death I fear—sooner or later that comes to all—but old age, sickness, sends a shiver through me."

"Then have you nothing put by?"

"A few pounds only. How could I? I get thirty shillings a week. That is not quite £80 a year."

"And you manage to live here on that?"

"I pay my way. Why? Does that sound to you very little?"

"Very little."

"I suppose they do pay men better, and it's well they do, for you want more than we do, and you are not able to manage as well."

"I am in a fire insurance society," he said. "The salaries there vary from one hundred to three. When I had £100 it did not matter to me. My mother was living then, and in addition to a pension she had a little put away, which at her death came to me."

"I am glad you need not be troubled with any anxiety."

"No, and yet I have as great a dread of sickness and of old age. Each year I live the sense of my loneliness oppresses me more."

"I know. Why, I can't tell you the pleasure it gives me to have somebody drinking tea with me, to be able to speak of things we feel—things that give one sorrow or joy. The men at the office are all good fellows and very kind to me, but I should never dream of talking to them as I have to you. They would not understand. I might as well speak in Chinese."

He did not answer in words, but he gave her a nod of sympathy, and stooped down to stroke the cat.

"Now, Tottie, get up and be friendly to Mr. ——"

She stopped.

"That reminds," he said, "we have not exchanged names, yet. My name is Robert Morley."

"And mine, Elizabeth Davidson."

"Elizabeth!" he repeated softly. "My mother was called Elizabeth."

"And my father Robert—Robert is a very dear name to me. He had such a generous, dear nature. When I think of his trust, I am not despondent long. My disposition is to be buoyant. I am very like a cork—if I go under water one minute, the next up I bob again."

"You always struck me as being very cheerful."

"What! Did I seem cheerful from over the way? Dear me! How little I dreamed that any one was taking the tiniest bit of interest to me. I am so glad I know now—so glad that we have spoken to each other, and that were friendly!"

He had risen from his chair and seemed suddenly about to go. She, somewhat embarrassed that he had not responded, added: "At least that is my feeling towards you."

"Is it?" he said, stiffly. "I forgot it was so late. I really must go. Good-by."

And before she had recovered from her surprise he was gone.

A wave of hot color went over her. What did it mean? What did he think? Surely at her age no one could misunderstand her: The tears sprang to her eyes and fell in a quick shower, * * * The door being opened made her look up. It was he back again.

"When I got into the street I found I had left my hat behind," he was saying; and she making an effort at regaining her self-possession, answered: "Oh, what a pity. Did you? Where?"

This brought him into the room, and nearer to her. "Why are you crying!" he exclaimed.

"I! No, no"—and she forced herself to smile.

"But you are. Your face is wet; your eyes are full of tears. What is the matter? Have I offended you?"

"No, but I thought perhaps I had offended you—you seemed to go so suddenly; please take no notice. Women's tears come very readily. It must be feeling so tired that makes me so silly."

He stood for a moment irresolute, turned towards the door, came back, and standing in front of her said: "Silly! If you think yourself silly what will you say of me? You were surprised to see me go. It was because I feared you would think I had taken leave of my senses if I stayed."

"Why?"

"Why? Because all at once the truth flashed upon me. Suddenly I knew why I had felt so angry, because I had not seen you at your window; why I was so anxious when I thought you were ill; what made me come over and find out the truth about you; the reason that seeing you here made me rejoice and feel happy. It is that I love you. Oh, it has not come now; for years it has been growing upon me, only I did not know. How should I? No other woman but you has ever had the slightest interest for me. For ten years I had blamed you, pitied you. What more could I do? And now it has come to this, will you marry me? I must know."

"But I feel sure you are making a mistake. I have been talking to you, and you feel sorry for me. No, no; forget what you have said. In the morning everything will look different to you. Pity is not love."

"But it is akin to it. If I give you love can you not give me pity?"

"I pity you! Why, you have brought all the sunlight I have known for years to me. When you spoke to me on the top of that omnibus I could have hugged you."

Hug me now," he said—for the temerity of quiet men is remarkable—and he took her hands and placed them on his shoulders, and looking at her continued, "We are two very lonely beings; a kindly Providence, as it seems to me, has brought us together. Can you trust yourself to me? I would strive to make you happy."

She tried to speak, tried to force back her tears, but the happy flow would come.

"It is because I am so happy," she said, "for I must tell you that often and often, years ago, when I felt so solitary, I have drawn aside my blind and looked over at your window, and, picturing you sitting there alone, I have said: 'Why couldn't it be that we took a fancy to each other; he looks so nice and kind, but if he married it would be to a young girl, not to me.'"

"But you are young."

"I—I am thirty-eight."

"And I am forty-five. We have no time to spare, you see. I shall put up the banns immediately. You must give notice that you are going to leave at your office, and I will tell them at mine that I want my holiday."

"It must be a dream," and she put up her hands and pushed back her hair. "It cannot be reality. Of late I have felt quite frightened thinking how sad it would be if you went away."

"A similar dread has haunted me, especially to-day, when I saw the blind down. But now we shall leave together, and we will go down to Putney. The old house I lived in from a boy is there, and it is vacant, too, and we will make it our home, and, as before, the dear name of its mistress will be Elizabeth Morley."
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For Freehold—7 39, 11 43 a. m., 4 36, 5 06 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.
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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.
5 46 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.
7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.
9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.
12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.
2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.
5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch
5 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.
6 19 P. M. for Flemington.
6 36 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.
9 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
5 46 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 5.05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.
For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.
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Leave Plainfield 9 27, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 9 30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 58, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 9 30 p. m.
For Freehold, 8 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.
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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, 9 46 9 46, 10 46, a. m., 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 46 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—5 46, 9 46, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 46 p. m., 1 12, night.
For Trenton 5 46, 9 46, 9 40*, 10 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 32*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 46, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 32 p. m., 1 12 night.
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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 58, 9 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 15* 2 10, 4 29*, 5 54, 9 03 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m., 1 15*, 4 29 6 59*, 9 03 p. m.
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NICARAGUA CANAL BILL

Mr. Morgan Confident His Measure Will Pass.

Vote To Be Taken This Afternoon, Unless Parliamentary Obstruction Is Interposed—The Hawaiian Question Kept Alive by a Speech from Senator George.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The vote on the Nicaragua canal bill will be taken in the senate this afternoon, unless some unexpected parliamentary obstruction is interposed. In view of the speedy culmination of the long debate there was added interest yesterday in the speeches and much speculation on the outcome of the long struggle.

Mr. White spoke in advocacy of the bill. Mr. Morgan, in charge of the measure, will close the debate to-day. Mr. Morgan is confident he has a majority in favor of the bill. There has been no test vote, however, to indicate with certainty what the result will be.

Another displacement of a senator occurred yesterday when Mr. Jarvis, of North Carolina, a democrat who had held an appointment from the governor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Vance introduced and made way for his successor, Mr. Pritchard, who has been recently elected by the legislature to fill Senator Vance's unexpired term. Mr. Pritchard is a republican and after being sworn in he took a seat next to Mr. Chandler, who subsequently offered a resolution to pay Mr. Jarvis $24.00 for his last two days services, which resolution was immediately agreed to.

The state of North Carolina has not been represented by a republican in the senate since the reconstruction period, Senator John Pool's term having expired twenty-two years ago. On the fourth of March next Mr. Pritchard will have a populist for his colleague in the person of Mr. Butler, who was elected at the same time as himself to succeed Senator Ransom, democrat. The Hawaiian question was kept alive by a speech from Senator George (dem., Miss.)—against the Lodge resolution, proposing annexation, and by another resolution offered by Mr. Allen (pop., Neb.), declaring in favor of immediate steps for annexation. Mr. Allen's resolution went over till to-day when Senator Mills (dem., Tex.) will address the senate in opposition.

A speech from Mr. White (dem., Cal.) in favor of the Nicaragua canal bill closed the speechmaking for the day, and after it, some twenty pension bills were taken from the calendar and passed.

Besides passing a resolution authorizing an investigation of the management of the office of architect of the capitol, the house did nothing but consider in committee of the whole the sundry civil appropriation bill, which came over from the day before. The reading of the bill for amendments was completed, but owing to the fact that several matters which have been antagonized remained undisposed of, the bill will be the order of business to-day. The policy of the war department in abandoning outlying military posts and concentrating the army in and near large cities, and the Mississippi river improvement afforded themes for the principal discussion of the day, but no change was made in the bill in regard to either of them.

DIPLOMATIC CORPS DINNER.

Decorations of Flowers Unusually Profuse at the White House.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The annual dinner to the diplomatic corps at the white house last evening was a brilliant official function, the decorations of flowers being unusually profuse.

A huge table to seat the sixty-six invited guests was arranged in the main corridor, seperated by a mosaic glass screen from the Marine band, which furnished the music. The guests assembled on the second floor of the mansion and descended the grand stairway directly into the banquet room.

Only the chief officials of the legations were present to represent their countries, and a number of prominent Americans were invited to meet them.

Biggest Steel Plant on Earth.

Youngstown, O., Jan. 25.—Beginning next week, this city will be known all over the civilized earth as the home of one of the largest steel plants in existence. The Ohio Steel company has spent nearly $2,000,000 in putting up a works that would bring fame to any city. It is owned and will be controlled by Youngstown men. Roughly estimated, the pay roll will amount to about $40,000 a month.

Widow and Child Frozen to Death.

Warsaw, Ind., Jan. 25.—Mrs. Mary Hoop, a widow, and her three-year-old child, were found frozen to death yesterday by a committee of the Ladies' Charity society, which had gone to them with a quantity of provisions and clothing. They lived in a single room and when found were without fuel or food.

Fire at the Hotel Vendome.

New York, Jan. 25.—Fire at the Hotel Vendome early yesterday morning caused a damage to the property of $25,000.

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FLOUR—Uchanged. Superfine spring, 2.00@2.20; winter patents, 2.50@2.85.

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EGGS—Dull. Western, 21½c.

SUGAR—Unchanged. Granulated, 3 13-16@4c.

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SHEEP—Steady. Medium to prime, 2.75@3.75; dressed mutton, 4½@6½c.

LAMBS—Weak. Common to choice, 4.25@4.87; dressed lambs, 6@8c.

WILL PROTECT ALL.

What New York's Mayor Says in Regard to Sunday Saloon Closing.

New York, Jan. 25.—Ten Methodist ministers, a committee from the Chickering hall mass meeting, and one from the Women's Christian Temperance union, called on Mayor Strong. They preached to him, pleaded and demanded for more than an hour that the mayor close the saloons on Sunday and use all his influence to prevent the passage of a law to legalize Sunday opening. They told the mayor, as so many other have, that they elected him with their work and their prayers and had a right to make demands of him.

Mayor Strong heard them through and then he talked to them. He said that no minister in the city wanted the saloons closed on Sunday more than he did, but that it was well nigh impossible to close them. "I don't know that I can do anything," he said. "Our election last fall wiped out bosses in this city and put me here as the representative of the people. I am the representative of grog shops as well as the churches. You must allow me to talk to the liquor dealers just the same as I talk to you. I don't want to open the saloons on Sunday. I want the legislature to see if something can't be done, and I can stand all the abuse you can give me."

The mayor told the committee in conclusion that to enforce the law would fill all the station houses, jails and all the houses the city could rent. He could not be won over from his original purpose, and was going on in the way he had started to see if he could not get a law, that could be enforced and lessen crime in the city.

MUST HAVE MORE MONEY.

The Stock of Gold Coin Down Lower Than Ever.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The stock of gold coin in the treasury is now only about $15,000,000. The rest of the gold, which amounts in all to about $63,000,000, is in gold bars.

Prior to the appointment of Mr. Leach as director of the mint, during Mr. Harrison's administration, it was the custom of the treasury to furnish gold bars for exportation, but this was regarded as practically offering a premium upon gold exports, and an order was made by Secretary Windom requiring only gold coin to be paid out in redemption of legal tenders. Now the stock of gold is being depleted so rapidly that the administration would be glad to supply gold bars instead of coin, but wishes to put a small premium on the bars.

In view of the great demand for gold it is not probable that a new bond issue can be delayed much beyond the first week in February, and the secretary of the treasury is very solicitious about the response which the moneyed men of the country will make to the call for subscriptions to a third issue if fifty millions of bonds.

The hope of legislation by this congress has not been abandoned, but the chances that anything will be done which would be acceptable to the president are admitted to be precarious.

SNOW TWENTY FEET DEEP.

Reports of the Heavy Storm in the Western Mountain Regions.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 25.—The snow storm which has prevailed in the mountainous regions for the last eight days, has stopped, and the railroads are being cleared of the great masses of snow which are continually breaking off high banks that line the tracks for miles. Drifts are constantly forming in the narrow cuts through the hills, and the rotary plows have to be kept in constant operation. At Summit the snow depth is twenty feet.

The levee near Clarksburg, on the Yolo side of the Sacramento river, has been damaged and the residents are compelled to pass from place to place in boats. The levees near Rio Vista have also overflowed and a large area of country is inundated.

LOWER'S WELCOME HOME.

After Years of Absence He Returns To Find His Wife Married Again.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Oliver Lower enlisted in the Ninety-second regiment at the beginning of the war. After two years' service he visited his family on a furlough, and then returned to the front. Since that time his wife heard nothing of him until yesterday, when he arrived in the city.

Ten years after his disappearance she married Charles Santaus and has five children by her second husband.

Lower refused to molest the family and has left the city. He has been in Washington territory and state since the war.

The Debs' Trial Begun.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—The trial of Eugene V. Debs and his associates of the American Railway union on a charge of conspiracy, has begun before Judge Grosscup, in the United States circuit court here. The trial is on the indictment found against the strikers Oct. 21, and which is known as the omnibus indictment.

Crew Blown to Atoms.

London, Jan. 25.—The barge Petrel, leoaded with government stores, consisting chiefly of ammunition for Nordenfeldt and gatling guns, blew up near Gravesend yesterday. She had a crew of five men, and not a trace of a single one of them is to be found.

Col. Cockerill Off for Japan.

San Francisco, Jan. 25.—John A. Cockerill, the New York journalist, was a passenger on the steamer Belgie, which sailed for the Orient yesterday. Col. Cockerill goes to Japan as resident correspondent for the New York Herald.

Noted Temperance Worker Gone.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 25.—John Adt, one of the best known manufacturers of machine specialities in New England, is dead. Mr. Adt was 66 years of age, and was greatly noted for his temperance work.

Wealthy Farmer Commits Suicide.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Howard McClay, aged 45 years, a wealthy farmer of Buffalo township, committed suicide by shooting himself with a shot gun. No cause for the deed is known.

Hon. Frank S. Johnson Dead.

Bradford, Pa., Jan. 25.—Hon. Frank S. Johnson, one of the most prominent citizens of this city, and a pioneer in the McKean county oil developments, died here yesterday.

A FIREMAN'S STRUGGLE.

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When they were gone, doubtless to tell Henry how I had taken it, I sat down to supper with La Font, Boisrueil, and two or three gentlemen of my suite; and, without appearing too cheerful, contrived to eat with my usual appetite. Afterwards I withdrew in the ordinary course to my chamber, and, being now at liberty to look the situation in the face, found it as serious as I had feared. The falling man has few friends; he must act quickly if he would retain any. I was not slow in deciding that my sole chance of an honorable escape lay in discovering, and that within a few hours—who stole the cipher and conveyed it to Mme. de Verneuil; and in placing before the queen such evidence of this as must convince her.

By way of beginning I summoned Maignan and put him through a severe examination. Later, I sent for the rest of my household—such, I mean, as had accompanied me—and, ranging them against the walls of my chamber, took a flambeau in my hand and went the round of them, questioning each, and marking his air and aspect as he answered. But with no result; so that after following some clews to no purpose, and suspecting several persons who cleared themselves on the spot, I became assured that the chain must be taken up at the other end, and the first link found among Mme. de Verneuil's following.

By this time it was nearly midnight, and my people were dropping with fatigue. Nevertheless, a sense of the desperate nature of the case animating them, they formed themselves voluntarily into a kind of council, all feeling their probity attacked, in which various modes of forcing the secret from those who held it were proposed—Maignan's suggestions being especially violent. Doubting, however, whether madame had more than one confidante, I secretly made up my mind to a course which none dared to suggest; and then, dismissing all to bed, kept only Maignan to lie in my chamber, that if any points occurred to me in the night I might question him on them.

At four o'clock I called him, and bade him go out and quietly saddle two horses. This done, I slipped out myself without arousing anyone, and, mounting at the stables, took the Orleans road through the forest. My plan was to strike at the head, and, surprising Mme. de Verneuil while the event still hung uncertain, to wrest the secret from her by trick or threat. The enterprise was desperate, for I knew the stubbornness and arrogance of the woman, and the inveterate enmity which she entertained towards me, more particularly since the king's marriage. But in a dangerous case any remedy is welcome.

I reached Malesherbes, where madame was residing with her parents, a little before seven o'clock, and riding without disguise to the chateau demanded to see her. She was not yet risen, and the servants, whom my appearance threw into the utmost confusion, ob-

HE CAME FROM THE KING.

jected this to me; but I knew that the excuse was no real one, and answered roughly that I came from the king, and must see her. This opened all doors, and in a moment I found myself in her chamber. She was sitting up in bed, clothed in an elegant nighttrail, and seemed in no wise surprised to see me. On the contrary, she greeted me with a smile and a taunting word, and omitted nothing that might evince her disdain or hurt my dignity. She let me advance without offering me a chair; and when, after saluting her, I looked about for one, I found that all the seats except one very low stool had been removed from the room.

This was so like her that it did not astonish me, and I baffled her malice by leaning against the wall. "This is no ordinary honor—from M. de Rosny!" she said, flouting me with her eyes.

"I come on no ordinary mission, madame," I said, as gravely as I could.

"Mercy!" she exclaimed in a mocking tone. "I should have put on new ribbons, I suppose!"

"From the king, madame," I continued, not allowing myself to be moved, "to inquire how you obtained possession of his cipher."

She laughed loudly. "Good, simple king," she said, "to ask what he knows already!"

"He does not know, madame," I answered, severely.

"What?" she cried, in affected surprise. "When he gave it to me himself!"

"He did not, madame."

"He did, sir!" she retorted, firing up. "Or if he did not, prove it—prove it. And, by the way," she continued, lowering her voice again and reverting to her former tone of spiteful badinage, "how is the dear queen? I heard that she was indisposed yesterday and kept the king in attendance all day. So unfortunate, you know, just at this time." And her eyes twinkled with malicious amusement.

"Madame," I said, "may I speak plainly to you?"

"I never heard that you could speak otherwise," she answered, quickly. "Even his friends never called M. de Rosny a wit; but only a plain, rough man who served our royal turn well enough in rough times, but is now growing—"

"Madam!"

"A trifle exigeant and superfluous."

After that I saw that it was war to the knife between us; and I asked her in very plain terms if she were not afraid of the queen's enmity, that she dared thus to flaunt the king's favors before her.

"No more than I am afraid of yours," she answered, hardily.

"But if the king is disappointed in his hopes?"

"You may suffer; very probably will," she answered, slowly and smil-

"MERCY!" SHE EXCLAIMED.

ing; "not I. Besides, sir—my child was born dead. He bore that very well."

"Yet, believe me, madame, you run some risk."

"In keeping what the king has given me?" she answered, raising her eyebrows.

"No! In keeping what the king has not given you!" I answered, sternly. "Whereas, what do you gain?"

"Well," she replied, raising herself in bed, while her eyes sparkled and her color rose. "if you like, I will tell you. This pleasure, for one thing—the pleasure of seeing you there, awkward, booted, stained, and standing, waiting my will. That—which perhaps you call a pretty thing—I gain first of all. Then I gain your ruin, M. de Rosny; I plant a sting in that woman's breast; and for his majesty, he has made his bed and may lie on it."

"Have a care, madame!" I cried, bursting with indignation at a speech so shameless and disloyal. "You are playing a dangerous game, I warn you!"

"And what game have you played?" she replied, transported on a sudden with equal passion. "Who was it tore up the promise of marriage which the king gave me? Who was it prevented me being queen of France? Who was it hurried on the match with this tradeswoman, so that the king found himself wedded before he knew it? Who was it—but enough; enough!" she cried, interrupting herself with a gesture full of rage. "You have ruined me, you and your queen between you, and I will ruin you!"

"On the contrary, madame," I answered, collecting myself for a last effort, and speaking with all the severity which a just indignation inspired, "I have not ruined you. But if you do not tell me that which I am here to learn—I will!"

She laughed out loud. "Oh, you simpleton!" she said. "And you call yourself a statesman! Do you not see that if I do not tell it, you are disgraced yourself and powerless, and can do me no harm? Tell it you? When I have you all on the hip—you, the king, the

"YOU HAVE GOT IT."

queen! Not for a million crowns, M. de Rosny!"

"And that is your answer, madame?" I said, choking with rage. It had been long since any had dared so to beard me.

"Yes," she replied stoutly; "it is! Or, stay; you shall not go empty handed." And thrusting her arm under the pillow she drew out, after a moment's search, a small packet which she held out towards me. "Take it!" she said, with a taunting laugh. "It has served my turn. What the king gave me, I give you."

Seeing that it was the missing key to the cipher, I swallowed my rage and took it; and being assured by this time that I could effect nothing by staying longer, but should only expose myself to fresh insults, I turned on my heel, with rudeness equal to her own, and, without taking leave of her, flung the door open and went out. I heard her throw herself back with a shrill laugh of triumph. But as, the moment the door fell to behind me, my thoughts began to cast about for another way of escape—this failing—I took little heed of her, and less of the derisive looks to which the household, quickly taking the cue, treated me as I passed. I flung myself into the saddle and galloped off, followed by Maignan, who presently, to my surprise, blurted out a clumsy word of congratulation.

I turned on him in amazement, and, swearing at him, asked him what he meant.

"You have got it," he said, timidly, pointing to the packet which I mechanically held in my hand.

"And to what purpose?" I cried, glad of this opportunity of unloading some of my wrath. "I want, not the paper, but the secret, fool! You may have the paper for yourself if you will tell me how madame got it."

Nevertheless, his words led me to look at the packet. I opened it, and, having satisfied myself that it contained the original and not a copy, was putting it up again when my eyes fell on a small spot of blood which marked one corner of the cover. It was not larger than a grain of corn, but it awoke, first, a vague association and then a memory, which as I rode grew stronger and more definite, until, on a sudden, discovery flashed upon me—and the truth.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

HER ONE REGRET.

It Was That She Had Missed Hearing a Hand-Organ Play.

Nantucket people delight to tell the story of an old resident of that quaint island who confessed to a single regret—no more. Her family had lived for generations in the same house, and beside its old-fashioned hospitable fireplace she spent the greater part of her life, except in warm weather, knitting famous stockings and telling old time stories to anyone who cared to listen.

She was such a picture of peace and contentment, and her stories were so full of happy reminiscence untouched by any sense of what many people would have called the narrowness and bareness of her life, that a chance visitor was one day moved to ask: "Haven't you a single regret in your life? Is there nothing you would have liked that has not come to you?"

"Yes, my dear," replied the old lady, dropping her work for a moment, "there is one thing. Fifteen years ago, before my sister died, a man with a hand-organ came here one day, by the steamer. Folks say he played just beautifully; and my sister tried to persuade me to go down to the corner and see him and his instrument.

"Well, I didn't feel just like going, some way or other, and I didn't go. But she went, and she said it was just splendid.

"I try not to think about it any more than I can help," said the old lady, "and there are days when I almost forget about it. But I suppose really, if I were to tell the truth," she added, after a moment, with a little smile, "I do suppose that I shall regret not hearing that hand-organ, off and on, as long as I live!"—Youth's Companion.

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TWO FATHERS PRESENTED.

Grand Jury Censures the Carelessness of Parents in Permitting Children to Play with Firearms.

Following is the full text of the two Plainfield presentments reported briefly in The Daily Press yesterday:

The grand inquest for the State of New Jersey, and for the body of the County of Union, upon their respective oath and affirmation,

Present, that during our investigation touching the death of Harold Greenleaf, we ascertained that the rifle from which the fatal shot was fired was owned by a fourteen-year-old boy named William Morgan; that his father, Lucius D. Morgan, was fully cognizant of the fact that his son had and was using the gun; that other small boys were in the habit of playing with the Morgan boy when this gun was in his presence.

We present Lucius D. Morgan as derelict in his duty as a parent in permitting this child to own and use so dangerous a weapon; indirectly he is as much to blame for the death of the boy as was the Rocap lad who fired the shot, for had he forbidden its use by his own son, the Rocap boy could not have had it on that fatal day.

The grand inquest for the State of New Jersey and for the body of the county of Union, upon their respective oath and affirmation,

Present, That we discovered, during our investigation touching the death of Harold Greenleaf, that Charles E. McDonald of Plainfield had purchased for and was allowing his son, Samuel McDonald, (a child of but eight years of age), to use a rifle in and about his neighborhood; we further found that the said McDonald entertained and freely expressed the opinion that this child was fit to be allowed to use this weapon.

We, therefore, present said Charles E. McDonald for carelessness in the premises, and, likewise, for violating the laws of this State in that he sold to one William Morgan, (another child), the very rifle with which the Greenleaf boy was killed.

We cannot too strongly condemn his action in thus placing in the hands of two children these deadly weapons.

Thigh Fractured at 75.

An exceedingly unfortunate accident happened to Isaac Smalley of 333 East Front street yesterday morning about 11:30. He was busily engaged in the rear of his yard, gathering up the limb of a tree which he had cut down the day previous, and, stepping on a piece of ice, he fell heavily to the ground. He was carried into the house, a piece of carpet being used as a stretcher, and Drs. Hedges and Tomlinson were called. On examination they found that his right leg about three inches below the upper joint was broken completely. They set the bone, and Mr. Smalley passed a fairly comfortable. It is hoped that he will soon be able to get around again, though he is 75 years old, and the bone is not likely to knit very rapidly.

Snarls of the Discontented.

(From The Bound Brook Chronicle.)

The brilliant editor of the Plainfield Press is highly complimentary to about one hundred newspaper men in New Jersey. Several journalists having secured positions at Trenton, the Press takes occasion to say that "all the bright Republican editors have now been rewarded by an appreciative Legislature". Thanks, awfully!

[From The Plainfield Courier-News.]

A writer in the Atlantic Monthly gravely asserts that "ten minutes is time enough to devote to the reading of any newspaper". This is a recklessly prodigal estimate so far as it may refer to our North avenue contemporary. Ten seconds is a liberal allowance there.

At So Much Per Tap.

[From The Elizabeth Journal.]

The city of Plainfield seems to be Frost bitten, and Frank Bergen is doing his best to thaw it out with liberal doses of pure water, the old time hydropathic remedy.

Still Tied with Plainfield.

The Y. M. C. L. A defeated the Alcyones in the Journal Bowling League last night. Score, 1638 to 1388. This leaves the Y. M. C. L. A's still tied with the Plainfield Crescents.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

AMERICAN TALKS.

Gives His Authorities for Desertion Statistics.

CALLS THEM ROMAN CATHOLIC.

Imagines Mr. Finn Questioning Scholars on the Line of Christian Doctrine, and Makes Sensational Suggestions of Propositions for Finn to Disprove.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—American is again accused, this time by P. J. Finn, in choice catholic epithet, of having originated the desertion statistics. The following editorial, from The Citizen, of Boston, throws an electric light on the whole matter:

THOSE DESERTION STATISTICS.

A friend writes from Auburn, Me., in regard to those statistics of Irish desertions from the Union army. He says a half-witted individual in that city accuses The Citizen of originating them.

We would inform our friend that we took them from the (Roman Catholic Irish) New York Sun of August 30, 1891, and from the (Roman Catholic Irish) Boston Globe of September 27, 1891. They can be seen in the files of those papers indicated.

We have also stated how the figures were compiled—not by the War Department, nor by any other department, but by well known employees of the Government at Washington, for their own use. We have also stated that they have never been disputed in the Pension Department, nor by pension agents in Washington, until the present administration, and copies have been sent out direct from pension officials in Washington. The statistics of desertions from regiments in which there were any number of Irishmen, will corroborate the figures of the Sun and Globe. We gave those desertions from the Massachusetts regiments in a recent issue. American gladly concedes that there were exceptional cases of splendid Irish bravery—all honor to the brave, but "drat" Wilbere's "buncombe." American said in the "reply to Tettemer," that all the official war records are not at Washington. There are official State records, from which the personnel of any regiment may be had, as in Massachusetts. Now Col. Ainsworth knew all these facts, or he didn't know them. If he knew them then he falsified in the letter he sent to The Press. If he didn't know them, then the Ainsworth letter is not worth the paper it is written on. Furthermore, it is the motto of the New York paper, "If you see it in the Sun, it's so." Even little Paddy Finn in his epistle, quotes the Sun as an authority. Suppose Ainsworth, Tettemer and Finn, tell the editor of the New York Sun, "that he is a sneaking cur and liar for originating," and printing first, that table of desertions. Suppose Ainsworth and Tettemer tell Mr. Dana that "he is a cur-dog to stir up strife in a peaceful community." Go on, gentlemen, wrestle with the New York Sun for printing "malicious, damnable falsehoods, about a most respectable portion of the community." Is it like Mr. Dana, or the Sun, under Catholic control, to originate, or print such a tale? or the Boston Globe, also under Catholic control, to reprint such a table of comparisons, if it were not true? American prefers to believe the Sun, rather than Ainsworth, U. S. A. American puts the Sun, Globe and The Citizen, against the Ainsworth-Tettemer combination, while he still affirms, "facts count."

Now for little Paddy Finn. American read his sublimely absurd argument against the utility of the Public School; and Paddy says it 's documentary too! After such an array of colossal facts against the Public School, American gravely calls upon the Mayor, and Plainfield Board of Education, to immediately transform our schools into parochial institutions. Enough said on this point.

Mr. Finn also stated that "It would be interesting to have the answers of those bright graduates to a few questions in Christian doctrine." As nothing outside of Catholicity is Christian, of course Mr. Finn meant the kind of doctrines taught in the church and parochial school. ("The following questions and answers in catechetical form, are a concise digest of Catholic principles. Neither Romish priest, nor layman, can dispute their authenticity, for they are indisputable. Let it be understood, that the questions proposed catechetically are our own, while the answers are correct translations from the standard works, text-books, and canon law of the Romish Church".—Editor, Detroit American). And these are a few of the alleged Christian doctrines, which Mr. Finn would have taught in the public schools, which are now so inferior to the parochial schools where these doctrines maintain. Imagine Paddy Finn questioning one of his bright scholars: "Is a Roman Catholic bound in honor to bear truthful witness in a court of law?" Answer: "Not unless the interests of the church demand it. The same rule applies to the witness as to the judge, and for the same reasons."

Mr. Finn: "Have you any authorities to substantiate your assertion?" Answer: "Lessius, Bonar and Trall assert, that, 'if anyone has sworn before a Judge to keep the truth, he is not obliged to say secret things; it is certain, and the opinion of all theologians, that for good reasons one may be permitted to use equivocations, and to maintain them by oath; and by good reasons 'we mean all that can do good to the body or soul.'" (Liguori, Sal., No. 109, and vol. Sauch) "Where is killing not murder?" Answer: "He who kills one that is excommunicated, is no murderer in a legal sense." (Canon Law, Article XV. See Canon Law part 2) "How are you to receive the teachings of the church?" Answer: "That we may in all things attain the truth, that we may not err in anything, we ought ever to hold, as a fixed principle, that what I see white I believe to be black, if the spiritual authorities define it to be so." (spiritual exercise by Loyola) "Is stealing ever permissible?" Answer: "Stealing is always a sin when the theft tends to bring the church into disrepute; it is not sinful to steal in order that the church may be benefited thereby, or to steal from necessity; neither is it a sin to steal from one whom the act does not impoverish. Thus: He, who in taking what is another's doth him no injury, is not obliged to make restitution" (St. Aphoris, Furtum, cap 6, page 292) "What are the church's relations toward a Protestant government?" Answer: "Every heretic and Protestant is condemned to death, and every oath of allegiance to a government which is Protestant or heretic is abrogated." (Council of Lateran held A. D. 1215) Again: A man who has been excommunicated by the Pope, may be killed anywhere, as Escober and Deaux teach, because the Pope has an indirect jurisdiction over the whole world, even in temporal things". (Busenbaum, Lacroi, Theologia, Moralis, 1757) "Name one sin that is not mortal' Answer, "It is not a mortal sin for parents to wish the death of their children, nor to desire the death of anyone who troubles the church, because considerable good is the direct and immediate object" (Xavier, Fegeli, Quest-prac. pass 4, cap 1, quest 7, num 8, p 285). "But may it not be inferred, that the authorities quoted, being in some cases of old date, have become obsolete like Protestant writings?" Answer: "Not under any circumstances. The Roman church is infallible, and cannot err. What was sound doctrine 300 years ago is sound doctrine today. The authors quoted are still text-books in Catholic theological colleges. Besides Pope St. Agatho, and Gregory 16th in his encyclical letter to the bishops and clergy in the U. S. and elsewhere (1832) says: "From what has been regularly defined (doctrine and discipline of the church) nothing can be taken away, no innovation introduced there, no addition made; but it must be preserved untouched, both as to words and meaning." Now, for lack of space, Mr. Finn will dismiss his bright parochial class in "Catholic Christian doctrine" until our next letter. But as Mr. Finn has succeeded to the estate left him by Wilbere & Tettemer, I will ask him, because he claims to be familiar with documentary evidence, to produce documentary rebuttal, that the Pope did not hold secret correspondence with Jefferson Davis; that the man who fired the first gun of the war on the flag was not a Romanist; that the assassin of Lincoln was not a Romanist; that Chiniquy does not tell the truth about that plot. While waiting for the long-coming rebuttals, I am, AMERICAN.

"Whippin' the Cat."

An old resident in speaking of ye olden times with a Daily Press reporter last evening said he distinctly remembered when his father sheared the wool from the sheep and brought the same to Boonton, Morris County, where it was woven into cloth. The cloth was then taken home and the peripatetic tailor, who usually called once a year, would make the cloth into clothes, remaining meanwhile with the farmer's family. The clothes did not fit as snugly as Harry Werner makes them, but they did fit a trifle better than a shirt does a bean pole. That was called "Whippin' the cat". Shoemakers did their business likewise.

All Necessities of Life and Death, in One Borough Block.

There is a business block in North Plainfield where you can buy a farm and all the necessary appliances thereto, and in said block you may also purchase flour, feed, and in fact everything to sustain life, while you await the prospective crop. If it proves a failure, and illness overtakes you, you can also secure the services of a doctor; and should death claim you as a victim there is near at hand, a friendly grave digger, and an undertaker.

—J. V. A. Craighead will tonight meet all interested in the English branches, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FELICITOUS INSTALLATION.

Grand Army Men, Women, and Sons Have a Happy Night.

Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., and John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., were guests of the Women's Relief Corps, No. 10, last evening, when the president-elect, Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, was installed. Past President Mrs. Mary Morse performed the interesting ceremony in a very creditable manner, after which Mrs. Andrew Cox as chairman of the entertainment committee presided and furnished an evening of pleasure to all.

The first selection was entitled "A Millionaire", and was admirably sung by Mrs. George Pope, Mrs. A. E. Dawe, Eli Odam and George Pope, Jr. Mr. Hyman was accompanist.

A recitation by Try Mattox was heartily received, and she responded with a very amusing selection. An enjoyable vocal solo by Eli Odam preceded one of W. C. Smith's select solos, which brought down the house.

W. R. Mattox was called on for a recitation, and he responded in his usual happy style, and Mrs. Morse, after earnest solicitation, recited "Romeo and Juliet" much to everyone's enjoyment.

Then came speeches from Commander Coriell, Past Commanders W. C. Smith and M. C. Dobbins, and V. W. Nash, H. C. McVoy, Edward Morse, Willard Sutton and President Mrs. Dobbins, all of which were given in a happy manner and brought forth much enthusiasm. Past Department Chaplain Mrs. Lacy of Rahway was present and stirred the hearts of all as she recited deeds of patriotism with which the veterans were acquainted.

Miss Pound of Aaron Wilkes Corps of Trenton was also a guest. After all had contributed their share towards the evening's entertainment, the company was invited to the room below, where excellent refreshments were served and a jolly good time was indulged in.

In Honor of Their Poet.

The anniversary of Burns, the poet, was made a very enjoyable affair last night, celebrated at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsay of West Front street. A most bountiful supper was spread for the guests, prominent on the table being the Haggis, Scotland's national dish, and suitable for the occasion. After the inner-man had been amply seen to, the evening was spent in song and recitations, the host opening with "There was a lad was born in Kyle"; others contributed to the evening's enjoyment, which made another of those annual entertainments pass with so much pleasure, as to live green in the memory of their guests, who came from New York, New Market and this city to the number of eighteen, and broke up in "the wee sma' hours" with "Auld Lang Syne", and a merry toast to the generous host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay.

Wanted—More Philips.

The largest audience yet attending Grace M. E. Church during the revival service, gathered last night and listened to an excellent sermon by the pastor, Mr. Randolph, who set forth forcibly the necessity of personal service. The subject was the conversion of Nathaniel. Here was a man whose heart was right. Christ pronounced him guileless. But he needed to know the truth about the Messiah. When that was presented to him, he accepted it. More Philips are wanted to go out and seek men and show them the Christ. In the after-service, both men and women gathered at the altar, and sang, prayed, and testified.

No meeting will be held tonight, but evangelistic services will be held Sunday.

Hatter Laing's Surprise Party.

Last evening shortly after 9 a friend called on E. M. Laing, the Park avenue furnisher and men's outfitter, and offered him a large case of valuables if he would step to the door and assist in carrying them into the store. Somewhat surprised, Mr. Laing stepped to the door, expecting of course some practical joke, but found that there was a case of valuables too large for one man to handle, so, lending a hand, he assisted in lifting it into the store. Not waiting to hear the profuse thanks of the merchant at being so kindly remembered, Policeman Cooney continued on his beat. The case belonged to Jeweler Collier, whose store had been closed for the night.

Plainfield Warming Nebraskans.

Rev. Mr. Fisher of the Northwestern District of the American Sunday-school Union, that no further supplies would be forwarded free, but half express rates would be charged on all boxes. Our boxes will be held in the United States Express office in New York until money can be raised to pay the express charges, which will be between forty and fifty dollars. Will kind friends send contributions to Mrs. J. K. Myers, 139 East Seventh street, so that the boxes may be sent?. "He gives twice, who gives quickly."

Avert Trouble.

Troubles come upon us unawares, but we may prevent their growth by timely action; at the first symptom of waning sight, for instance, you may avert a permanent weakness of the eyes by prompt consultation of a skilled optician such as you will find at Collier's, 103 Park avenue, where examinations are free, and reliable advice given that will insure you against the evil consequences of neglect.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. S. R. Hope of Richmond street is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Sherman of Astor place is ill in the house with the grip.

Mrs. Thomas Neely is able to sit up today after a severe illness.

James Hallock of Lyman place is confined to the house with the grip.

S. W. Kerr and family of Scotch Plains have moved to 21 Somerset place.

Miss Rose of Short Hills is the guest of Mrs. P. M. French of Somerset street.

Mrs. Charles Leller is suffering with a severe cold at her home in LaGrande avenue.

Jed. M. Smalley of Craig place who has been suffering with pneumonia will be out in a few days.

Henry Lyman Spencer is studying law in George DeMeza's office, and will be heard from in the near future.

Dr. J. H. Carman was taken ill with the grip yesterday afternoon, and was obliged to remain in the house.

Mrs. Charles Matthews has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. I. Greenough, and is now ill at her home.

Rev. Father Smyth of St. Mary's Church was suddenly called away today to the bedside of his dying sister.

Chas. Chance of West Front street goes to Brooklyn tomorrow to visit his sister, whom he has not seen for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hegeman of Myrtle avenue, their two children, and Mr. Hegeman's sister, are all ill with the grip.

Harry, the younger son of Joel D Hedden of Somerset street, who was seriously ill with bronchitis is rapidly improving.

Lawyer C. B. VanWinkle, whose shingle used to hang out in this city, is still confined in St. Michael's Hospital, Newark, where he has been for some weeks. He is slowly recovering.

Theodore Smith, who has been confined to to his home for over a week with rheumatism, is obliged to have watchers during the night, insomnia having added itself to his afflictions.

Herman Keller is not rapidly recovering from his recent severe attack of pneumonia, yet the crisis has passed, and the prospect for ultimate complete restoration to health is good.

Mrs. L. McElroy of Somerset street left today for New York city, for a ten-days visit with friends. Before her return to Plainfield she will spend a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Steinhauser of Jersey City.

The tea given by the Women's Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed Church was concluded last night. The attendance was not as large as it should have been. Delightful solos were given by Miss Krymer, Mr. Bond and Mr. Clark, all of whom were encored. The King's Daughters succeeded in selling all their home-made candies, but large quantities of cake, pies, canned goods, lemons, sugar, etc., were left and had to be sold to the highest bidders by Street Commissioner Meeker.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Whitenack of Duer street entertained a number of their friends at their home last evening. A few pleasant hours were spent playing whist. P. A. Emmons succeeded in carrying off the first prize. Those present were: Mr and Mrs R T Tolles, Mr and Mrs P A Emmons, Mr and Mrs William Messerschmidt, Mr and Mrs L B Woolston, Mr and Mrs James Buckle, Mr and Mrs F M Slater, Mr and Mrs John P Emmons. The next meeting of the whist party will be held Feb. 8, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Messerschmidt on Jackson avenue, when a name for the club will be decided on.

Trolley Road Building.

The trolley road company has begun work in a preliminary way between Bound Brook and Somerville. Poles are being placed in position, and some filling in is being done preparatory to building bridges. The right of way has now been obtained from Raritan to Dunellen and from Bound Brook to Trenton, with the single exception of the borough of Princeton.

The citizens of Somerville have voted to extend the corporation limits, thereby taking in all the territory east to the boundary lines of Finderne. The desire on the part of Somerville to embrace more territory within the corporation limits is good evidence of the rapid growth of the town.

—W. S. Chase has completed the elegant interior decorations in the Woodland avenue house of Alfred Cocks.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; your price 45c and 90c

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The women of the Scotch Plains Public Library held an afternoon tea in the rooms of the library yesterday afternoon from 2 to 5, for the purpose of enriching the library fund. Mrs. Charles Thomas of Bound Brook read an interesting and instructive paper, entitled "In a little corner with a little book". Mrs. F. W. Westcott presided at the tea table, assisted by Miss McCready, Miss Florence Kyte, Miss Lillian Fancher and Miss Mary Westcott. An experience social was planned to be held April 1, all present pledging themselves to earn a dollar for the library fund before that date and to relate their experience in earning it at the social. It was also proposed to hold afternoon teas in the rooms twice a month. The women of the library will be glad to welcome any one attending. Among those present were Mrs. Charles Sykes, Mrs. DeForest Thomas, Mrs. F. W. Westcott, Mrs. T. J. Nichols, Mrs. Thomas Paff, Jr., Mrs. H. Robison, Mrs. L. W. Miller, Mrs. I. G. Walker, Miss J. E. Kyte, Miss Wright, Miss Florence Kyte, Miss Florence Kyte, Misses McCready, Miss Lillian Nichols, Misses Johnston and others.

Twilight Council, J. O. U. A. M., held no meeting last evening owing to the absence of several officers.

The union service in the M. E. Church tomorrow evening has been postponed owing to the illness of Rev. Mr. Marriat.

John Flannery is around again after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Susie L. Parse of Front street spent Friday with friends in Newark.

Mrs. Conant, who has been spending several weeks with her granddaughter, Mrs. J. S. Braker, has returned to her home in Lewisburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Billings who is confined to her bed with a severe attack of the grip is reported as much improved.

Charles Fields and Ed. Erickson started for Avon Park, Florida, Friday morning.

Fanwood Council, R. A., intend holding an entertainment in the near future. Hugh J. Emmett, who delighted so many at the public installation, has been engaged to take part.

The Board of Directors of the Choral Union met Thursday evening to decide on what the Union should render at their next entertainment. The matter was laid over for one week when the professor will present to the directors several selections to choose from.

Joseph Eiler is confined to the house with the grip.

Knight of Pythias met at their rooms in Castle Hall, Thursday evening.

Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company will celebrate their twenty-sixth anniversary, Feb. 21, with an entertainment.

Choral Union met in the chapel Thursday evening.

Surveyors have been surveying the property of Robert Murphy on Park avenue. There being a claim made that the house projects over the line.

The Junior League of the M. E. Church will give an entertainment in the hall, Monday evening, Jan. 27.

Miss Jane Ryan, a domestic, employed by Mrs. William Stanbury, of Mountain avenue, while walking from the house to the barn Tuesday morning slipped and fell on the ice dislocating her shoulder.

Master Francis Fulton, of Johnstown, N. Y., is spending a week with Ernest Keib of Fanwood.

David White has given up his position with Mr. Emery and returned to Plainfield.

Death of Mrs. Fields.

After a very painful illness of about a year, which commenced with a paralytic stroke, Mrs. Mary Fields died at her home, last evening, corner of Liberty and Third streets, from pneumonia. During her illness she has been entirely helpless and through the faithfulness of her daughter, Julia, life was made as comfortable as possible. She was the widow of the late James C. Fields, who was one of the oldest hatters in Plainfield. Two sons, Michael and Cyrus, and two daughters, Julia, and one married, living in New York, survive her.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning at 9, from her late home, and from St. Mary's Church at 9:30.

Minature Washout.

Boehm, the Front street dry goods merchant, met with misfortune this morning by being flooded with snow water from his one story flat roof in the rear of the building. Last night's snow stopped the tube hole of the roof drain pipes and when the heavy rain came the water rose on the roof until it had gone over the six inch "counter flushing" which is against the brick wall of the main building and so leaked down to the floor below, covering it in some places with three or four inches of water.

The damage would have been much worse had the storm occured earlier in the evening.

THE BROOKLYN STRIKE.

The strike situation in Brooklyn is quiet today. The lines are greatly crippled by the wholesale cutting of wires.

—Dr. H. H. Lowrie has put in a 'phone, 121 F.

—Packer's Block was cooled today as a result of boiler leakage.

—Cars No. 1 and 5 were disabled by burning of their apparatus today, and travel on the Somerset street line was stopped several hours. The excess of water between the tracks caused the trouble.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE STATE OF TRADE

No Marked Improvement in the Situation.

Small Volume of Business, Low Prices and a Conservative Outlook for the Future—Little More Activity in Bar and Pig Iron and Steel Rails.

New York, Jan. 26.—Reports to Bradstreet from the more important distributing centres fail to reveal any marked improvement in the movement of merchandise and products, and the conclusion is forced that the general trade situation remains as previously characterized—by small volume, low prices, hand-to-mouth sales, and the outlook favoring a very conservative trade for some time to come.

Gains in demand have been noteworthy only at eastern woolen mills for men's-wear fabrics, among Providence manufacturing jewelers, wholesale dealers in staples at Augusta, Memphis and New Orleans, and, in the west and northwest, at St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Paul and Minneapolis only, improvement being rather by contrast with recent dullness than with the volume of trade ordinarily transacted at this season. An exception is in wool sales, which have increased sharply, though prices are no higher.

None of the larger eastern cities report a likelihood of demand to anticipate wants; on the contrary, all indications are for a continuance of orders for nearby wants only. Philadelphia textile mills are dissatisfied with the situation and the outlook, but Baltimore jobbers say trade is fairly satisfactory.

At the south collections are slow in South Carolina, Georgia and Virginia. More interest is manifested by patrons of Richmond jobbers, and Charleston and Savannah respectively report fertilizers and naval stores more active.

There is a little more activity in bar and pig iron and steel rails at Chicago and St. Louis, but general trade at the former is otherwise as quiet as heretofore. At the latter city orders for millinery, dry goods and shoes are larger, and it is stated American tinplates are preferred to Welsh, as the latter are being cheapened at the expense of quality. Omaha's reduced volume of business is due in part to unfavorable weather, but at St. Paul the volume of orders received for January is declared larger than in 1894. At most cities reported the situation is marked by quiet.

Bank clearings' totals aggregate $917,000,000 for the past six business days, a moderate decrease as compared with the previous week, about one-tenth heavier than in the like week one year ago. Prices of staple articles support a tendency toward improvement. Wool, leather, hides, lumber, sugar, rosin, hogs, Bessemer pig and steel billets and rails are reported firmly held, although the Philadelphia iron market shows signs of weakness. The falling off in ginghams has been recovered, but declines remain in quotations for pork, cotton, corn and oats.

Business failures in the United States this week continue heavy in number, 312 against 378 last week, 338 in the week one year ago, 302 two years ago and 249 three years ago. Exports of wheat (flour included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States this week amount to 2,840,000 bushels.

The dull resistance which prices in the New York speculative stock market offer to the heavy gold shipments and rapid shrinking of the treasury gold reserve would indicate a belief that if matters come to a crisis relief is more likely to be obtained. There has been some liquidation in the stocks of properties subject to reorganization and on which heavy assessments are anticipated. Apart from this, however, the bears still find a great difficulty in dislodging stocks. Some selling of investment securities is reported for European account.

General trade in the Dominion of Canada continues of moderate proportions. Toronto professes to find the outlook for business fairly satisfactory, but at Montreal no such prospect is in view at this time, while collections are slow and spring goods are being ordered more slowly than one year ago. Halifax announces some little encouragement in trade circles, with a moderate sorting-up business.

British Steamer Lost.

London, Jan. 26.—Severe storms prevailed over all the coasts of Great Britain, France and Holland. In Scotland the fall of snow has been particularly heavy. A fishing boat belonging to Dunbar, with a crew of seven men on board, has been lost, and off Port Heath, Cornwall, the British steamship Escurial, owned at Glasgow, with a crew of fourteen men, has gone down.

A Jury for Debs.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—The Debs jury has been secured and the trial will formally open to-day. The jury consists of eight farmers, one insurance agent, one real estate agent, one dealer in agricultural implements and one painter and decorator. Not a single juryman is from Chicago or Cook county.

The Encyclical in Trouble.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Pope Leo's long expected encyclical, extending the power and dignity of Mgr. Satolli and defining the status of the American church, is now suspended between New York and Washington by the formalities of the customs office. It is expected, however, that it will reach here to-day.

EYES ON WASHINGTON

More Heavy Withdrawals on the Gold Reserve.

Over Thirteen Million Dollars Taken from the Treasury During the Past Week, Making the Gold Balance $56,724,000—Another Bond Issue Expected Next Week.

New York, Jan. 26.—The gold withdrawn from the sub-treasury and assay office yesterday aggregated $6,900,000, including $1,500,000 in bullion taken from the assay office, $1,000,000 of which was deposited in the Mercantile Safe Deposit company for shipment next week and $500,000 of which went to Merchants' National bank. The premium paid for the bars was one-eighth of 1 per cent. There will be shipped on the English and French steamships sailing to-day $7,200,000 gold, making a total of $7,700,000 exports for the week. The total amount of gold withdrawn during the week was $13,965,000, making the gold balance $56,724,000. A considerable amount was withdrawn to be sorted for export next week as the high rate of exchange only makes profitable the shipment of the heavy weight coins.

Gold shipping houses say that more gold will be shipped next week than was taken this year. They point to the fact that notwithstanding the tremendous amount of bills of exchange which came upon the market against gold shipments this week, the market advanced yesterday and sight sterling closed at 4.89¼, an advance of 1-32 per cent for the day. A member of the firm of Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co., a leading gold shipping house, says:

"This gold export movement, from present indications, will go on each week with increasing magnitude."

It is generally conceded that the gold movement can now be stopped by only one remedy—a large enough issue of bonds to cause a higher money market. With the bank surplus reserves now down to $45,465,075, the issue of only $50,000,000 bonds would withdraw sufficient money from circulation to advance money to 2½ to 3 per cent. A permanent 2½ per cent. money market would stop the gold exports, as the foreign bankers would quickly take advantage to make sterling loans, and the outward flow of money would be immediately checked.

Despite rumors of bond issues, bankers who are usually well-informed say that they have received no information, directly or indirectly, of any impending call for bond subscriptions. One authority, however, believes that the administration cannot afford to wait any longer for action on the part of congress, and will issue a bond call next week, perhaps not later than Monday. There was also some belief that the secretary of the treasury might choose to issue 4 per cent bonds, as the premium would be less than in the case of the 5 per cents.

The rapid depletion of the gold reserve has excited alarm abroad and foreigners have been pouring securities into this country during the last six weeks, selling many high class railroad bonds payable in currency, which were tenaciously held all during the panic. For the first time since the panic there was developed this week a weak tendency in gilt-edged securities. It is believed that unless the situation changes very radically the whole treasury reserve will melt away in about three weeks unless there is a bond issue in the meantime.

There was no other subject discussed in financial centres. The clearing house committee met and were joined by National Bank Presidents Simmons, Cannon and Tappen. The situation was dicussed, but no action can be taken now by the banks, so that an exchange of views was the only result of the conference.

Houses with foreign connections say that the foreigners are exceedingly puzzled by the inaction of congress and cannot understand why the simple remedy at least of the issue of low-rate gold bonds should not be authorizer by congress. Understanding nothing of the complication of politics in this country, they fear that there is something radically wrong in our financial system or that the sentiment of the people really favors a silver currency basis, and consequently are liquidating their holdings of American securities.

This feeling is intensified by some of the foreign houses which have become wearied by the situation and have advised their foreign correspondents that a silver currency basis appears to be inevitable.

Ohio Combine.

Akron, O., Jan. 26.—There have been rumors for some months of a combine among the manufacturers of oil cloth in this country. Dr. A. M. Cole, president of the Western Linoleum company of this city confirmed the reports and stated that the combination would be consummated within three weeks. The capital stock of the new company will be $3,000,000 and it will include practically all the manufacturers in the country.

Long Term in Jail.

New York, Jan. 26.—Sarah Silbermeister, convicted of arson, was sentenced yesterday by Recorder Goff to twenty-five years' imprisonment.

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GUATEMALA'S REPLY.

Rumors That She Seeks To Evade Mexico's Demand.

City of Mexico, Jan. 26.—The arrival of Guatemala's reply to Mexico's final demands has caused a considerable war fever throughout this district. As yet, however, nobody outside the foreign office has seen the reply. Rumors of every sort are afloat, most of them to the effect that the Guatemalan government covers once more the old ground, seeking at once to evade the issue and secure delay.

Ignacio Mariscal, minister of foreign affairs, would say nothing about the documents, except that it was enormously long and would be laid before the cabinet meeting to-day. A statement is expected from the government soon after this meeting, although Senor Mariscal declined to say that it would be made.

The war scare has taken possession of almost everybody, foreign and native. Most of the foreign ministers here are said to have informed their governments that war is almost inevitable. The government is buying horses and is working its small-arms factory night and day with double the usual number of men. The manufacture of ammunition is pressed forward with equal haste.

The governor of one federal district has offered President Diaz two battalions to go to the front the moment war shall be declared. It is understood, however, that the government does not intend to begin the war on land. The first hostile step, if Guatemala still refuse to yield, will be to blockade her ports.

Foreigners here express some doubt as to the effectiveness of such a blockade, since the Mexican navy has but half a dozen small craft, manned by hardly 500 seamen and officers.

STILL STICKS TO HIS STORY.

Storzkinzie, the Suspected Wife Murderer, Pleads Not Guilty.

Thompson Conn., Jan. 26.—Storzkinzie, the suspected wife murderer, was again submitted to a trying ordeal from the reporters, but did not change his assertions.

He accounts for the bloody clothes by saying that he had thrown his coat and blanket over the dead horse in the yard. He was nonplussed when asked why hairs like his wifes were with the blood, but repeated his denials. The missing stones in the wall and the holes in the mire in the swamp he did not explain, but claimed to be unable to understand English when anything was asked about them.

He persisted that the rooms in which the blood was found were not the living rooms, hence he could not be accountable for all that might be found in them. He said his wife had said that the farm was not a good place at which to live and she would go away to stay. To this he avers he said nothing. He would not even admit ever having quarrelled with her.

Upon being arraigned before Justice Tourtellotte and the warrant charging him with murder having been read to him, and explained by an interpreter, Storzkinzie said that he did not understand and would not plead. He finally said that he would make a statement before the Polish Catholic priest at Webster.

The clergyman was sent for and Storzkinzie repeated his original statement and reiterated his innocence. He then pleaded not guilty.

WERE NEARLY STARVED.

Pitiable Condition of a Family on Wilkesbarre Mountain.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 26.—It was reported to Captain Dewitt, of the Humane association, that the family of Sam Nichols, living on the Wilkesbarre mountain near this city, were in danger of starvation. A visit was made to the house and an awful condition of affairs was revealed. Five young children, the oldest 12 and the youngest 2 years of age, were found in the house without any clothing.

They were making a meal of some frozen turnips, and were huddled around a wood fire in a stove in an attempt to keep warm. In the stable a horse and cow were found nearly dead, having had nothing to eat for five days. When the humane officer called the father and mother were both absent looking for employment and food for the children.

Captain Dewitt at once came to this city and going to stores purchased a sleigh load of provisions and clothing for the destitute family. Nichols has been out of employment for eight months and tells a pitiable tale of his hardships.

Anti-Parnellites Finances.

London, Jan. 26.—According to a statement published by Justice McCarthy, the anti-Parnellite party have received during the year 1894 contributions of £3,000 from Canada, £2,700 from the United States, £490 from Australia, New Zealand and Newfoundland, £5,250 from Ireland, and £980 from Great Britain.

Home for Neglected Children.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 26.—W. H. Rowe, of this city, has made an offer, which has been accepted, to the directors of the Mohawk & Hudson River Humane society to erect a building at a cost of not less than $25,000 for use as shelter house for children, whom the society may rescue from cruel or negligent parents.

Suit for Alleged Libel.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 26.—P. C. Trusler, city comtroller, has sued the German Telegraph for $10,000, alleging libel. The paper printed an article in which reflections were made on Trusler in connection with a bond deal with New York brokers.

Discharged for Lack of Proof.

New York, Jan. 26.—Charles Coyle, who was arrested on Sunday last with five others, on a charge of making counterfeit coin, has been discharged by United States Commissioner Shields for lack of proof.

Will Appoint Several Women.

New York, Jan. 26.—Mayor Strong has officially announced that he would appoint several women as school commissioners and to other positions in the city government.

Librarian of the Vatican Dead.

Rome, Jan. 26.—Mgr. Carini, librarian of the vatican, died suddenly yesterday during service in St. Peter's. The pope was shocked greatly by the news of his death.

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MRS. S. BATES TELLS THE STORY OF HER SUFFERINGS.

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That sinister force of mentality which Lady Macbeth exerted on her lord, bringing his soul and conscience from its heights of purity and enslaving him, has been evidenced in real life in Sumner county, Kansas.

A jury there acquitted the actual murderer and convicted a man who had subjected the murderer to hypnotic "suggestion of murder."

No case in Western courts has excited the interest of the public and the professions—legal and medical—as the State vs Tom MacDonald. MacDonald shot Tom Patton down in cold blood. On the witness stand he confessed the deed, but not the guilt. His defense was that his employer, Anderson Gray, a farmer used him as the hypnotic instrument to put an enemy out of the way. The jury, comprising twelve as sensible men as can be found in the State of Kansas, acquitted the murderer in deed, and convicted Anderson Gray, the hypnotist, the murderer in fact.

The story of the crime with its mysterious and unusual circumstances is this:

Tom MacDonald was a cook in a restaurant in the city of Wichita, Kan., for some months previous to last April. He was known as a man of ordinary capacity of mind, endowed with no special or distinctive traits other than an even, workaday temperament, and lacking in any attribute that might be spurred into viciousness.

Anderson Gray is a wealthy farmer in Sumner county. His farms and his ranches reach from horizon to horizon in the dead level of a Kansas landscape. He is tall and powerful. His 57 years have not bent his form or touched his hair with silver. His portliness is in marked contrast with the appearance of his agricultural neighbors, and his hair still retains the lustrous black quality of youth.

Cousins and neighbors, in Sumner county, near the little town of Conway Springs, lived Dave and Tom Patton, dwelling in peace and amity.

About a year ago, the wife of one of Anderson Gray's neighbors began to get "cranky." Her husband expecting a divorce, in order to avoid a division of property transferred his property to Anderson Gray. There was one witness to the transaction. This was Thomas Patton.

The divorce came and the sharp farmer prepared to ask Gray to transfer the property back to him.

Gray had been conniving and conspiring. He had a settled conviction that his divorced neighbor should never get his property back. There was one stone in the otherwise smooth path—the witness, Tom Patton.

Last fall Gray met Tom Patton, the witness to the transfer of the property. It was on a quarter section road. He tried his theories on the new fangled hypnotism and found them practicable. So far as the evidence goes there is no indication that he touched Tom Patton at all. But he gave him the suggestion that his cousin, Dave Patton, was his enemy and would kill him on sight.

In some manner Dave overcame the insane animosity of his cousin, and the two lived in peace.

Then hypnotist Gray, baffled in his first trial, tried a second time.

He came to Wichita in search of a fresh subject. He found him in the person of Tom MacDonald, the cook in the Wichita restaurant.

MacDonald and his recently wedded wife, a girl of nineteen years, left Wichita for Gray's farm, near Conway Springs, November last. MacDonald was twenty-one years old. In two weeks from that time MacDonald was completely under the control of his employer, Gray.

The subject went into pistol practice at the suggestion of Gray and the result was the murder of Patton.

When MacDonald was arrested he was in the best of spirits. On the Saturday following Mrs. MacDonald and Gray was arrested, and while all of them were in jail, but in separate cells, MacDonald overjoyed at being the informer, confessed all, telling the officers how he had killed Patton, but insisting that he was not the murderer. He insisted that he knew what murder was, but when he fired that shot he did not know it was murder.

On this peculiar confession Gray was held, and tried in Wellington, the county seat, and convicted of murder in the first degree on the first poll of the jury.

The latter part of the week MacDonald was tried. He repeated his confession and former testimony, which is substantially the same as in the narrative, and was acquitted, the jury holding that he was under the hypnotic influence of Gray and was not responsible.

That is the story of a trial—the first perhaps wherein the murderer in deed was acquitted and the murderer in fact sentenced to death, which in Kansas amounts to a life sentence, as the Governor's prerogative of ordering an execution has never been used in this State.

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"I don't. She has ceased to be a lady, and has not yet succeeded in becoming a gentleman."—Life.

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Deering—Just as much as I did; though possibly not quite as much as I said I did.

Break It Gently.

"Have you read that article on how to tell a bad egg?"

"No, but my advice would be, if you have anything important to tell a bad egg, why break it gently."—American Review.

WHEN THE QUEEN TRAVELS.

Red Tape By the Mile to Insure the Safety of England's Ruler.

The importance of the Queen's life to the nation renders it necessary that every precaution should be taken to avert any possibility of a collision when she is travelling on the railway. The question has been most thoroughly gone into by her trusted private secretary, Sir Henry Ponsonby, with the assistance of the responsible managers of the various lines over which her Majesty travels in the course of her journeys, and an elaborate system has been evolved which practically precludes any possibility of an accident, provided the orders issued to the subordinates on the railway are properly carried out and no gross error is committed.

That the companies are fully conscious of the responsibility placed upon them may be gathered from their scheme of precautions. All traffic is stopped on the line and the points are locked in front of the royal train for a certain period before its actual arrival at any one spot, and this period is regulated by telegraphic advices from various stations announcing the approach of the train. The result is that the line is entirely free, all traffic being stopped at certain stations ahead and run into sidings until the royal train has actually passed.

Moreover, a pilot engine runs in front of the royal train to clear the way, so that if by any extraordinary accident any traffic should have escaped on to the line or any obstacle should have been placed there by malicious design, the pilot engine will act as a scout, either to stop and turn back the vagrant engine or to bring the royal procession behind to an immediate standstill by timely signals. An additional precaution for the security of the line itself is found in the guard of pointsmen and signalmen who are posted within signalling distance of one another, and whose duty it is to notify from hand to hand on one side that the line is free within their control, and on the other that the royal train is approaching. Supposing, therefore, that some runaway engine escape the embargo laid at the junctions and the pilot engine was rendered helpless by running off the line, the safety of the Queen would still be secured by the rule that no signalman is to allow the royal train to pass the box unless it has been signalled from the box immediately ahead of him that the line is clear.

PARSLEY AFTER ONIONS.

The Herb Will Remove the Bad Odor of This Vegetable.

At this season of the year, when the digestive system is apt to become overloaded with rich, greasy or sweet foods, plenty of onions should be eaten as a counterbalance.

They are good for the stomach, the complexion and the nerves when eaten either boiled or raw, but of course the unpleasant odor left on the breath after indulgence in them is a barrier to their use to many people who would otherwise be able to take advantage of the good there is in them.

To overcome all this and give every one a chance, an old remedy is suggested—parsley. To entirely destroy the odor of bad onions eat a small sprig of this pretty green herb after partaking of them. There will be nothing in the breath or about the person at all suggestive of the odoriferous bulb five minutes after the parsley is eaten. Any one can have parsley, for if he does not have access to that convenience known as a "soup bunch," it may be readily grown in any warm, sunny window. Soak the seeds about twenty-four hours before planting in water that has the chill removed, and, after planting, water plentifully.

The little green heads will peep up over the earth in about fifteen days, and when the plants are well grown your window has a pretty ornament in it.

ALL IN ONE.

Advantages of Matrimony as Demonstrated by the Married Man.

The married man was talking to the bachelor.

"Why don't you marry?" inquired the benedict.

"I don't want to be a married man, I suppose," replied the bachelor.

"What kind of a man do you want to be?"

"Not any kind for any length of time. For instance, I'd like to be a boy part of the time; then a lover sighing out his heart; then a husband and father for a month or so; then an old man for another month, and so on, changing about as the mood might take me. That sort of thing beats these everlasting youth snaps all to pieces."

"Then marry," said the benedict, with supreme confidence.

"That would knock my plan all to pieces."

"On the contrary, my dear fellow," said the married man, settling down to his work, "it would make you all of these. When you wanted to be a boy you could join your children in their pleasures and plans, in their sports and sorrows; when you wanted to be a lover you would always find your wife ready to listen to the same sweet words you told her in the June nights of long ago; when you wanted to be a married man you could take off your coat and put up stoves and get out and do the marketing and study up new ways of how not to forget what your wife told you to get downtown; when you wanted to be an old man you could sit down in your office and wonder where you were to get money enough to keep things going and think over the grave cares and responsibilities of a man in your position. There it all is, old fellow," concluded the married man, "and you have selected it yourself. Now marry."

And the bachelor didn't.—Detroit Free Press.

A Young Philosopher.

He is only six, and he has been quoted in print before. His humor is natural and unconscious, and in addition he has a faculty of reasoning by analogy that would be valuable to many an adult head. His little sister was visiting a neighboring girl, and his mamma requested him to go and escort her home.

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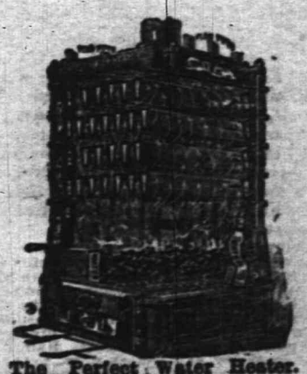

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OF THE

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Of Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1895

ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage, (first liens)		$124,300 00
Value of property mortgaged, $220,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured at	120,000	

Market Value.

22,000	Union County Bonds	$ 22,540.00
25,000	Hudson "	25 500 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10 600.00
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00
13,000	Loan City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000 00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000.00
4,700	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,570.00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900.00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10 850.00
	Demand Loans	8,300.00
	Interest due and accrued	4,081 12
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400.00
	Cash in Banks	56,542.82
	Cash in Office	102 45
		$328,006 39

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,506 28
Surplus	15,468 11
	$328,006.39

State of New Jersey, County of Union, } ss

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres.

ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.

JAMES C. POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

J. FRANK HUBBARD,
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Plainfield, January 14, 1895. 1 19 10

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January 21, 1895.

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Barry Edward	Jefferson Mrs Jos Jr
Brown Emma	Johnson Mrs M
Browne Miss M M	Lindsey John
Cogger	Miller Augustus C
Cain Delia 2	Munroe Alexander
Clawson Geo	Mass Ida M
Craddock Lizzie	Miller Mrs Jno J
Chapman Wm	Miller Louis A
Dewitt Mrs Mattie	McGuire Mrs M
DeLamontanye Bert	McKeo P
Davis Edith P	Martin Mrs Bell
Drake Mrs Albert	Miller Mr & Mrs T S
Erving Al	Mulligan Miss Ellen 2
Excelsior M'f'g Co	O'Donovan Miss J
Fashey Miss Addie	Pearson Olaf
Gathright Lee J	Sheliff Chas
Gartland John	Society Decorative Art
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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., JAN. 26, 1895

A Hand to Hand Saber Fight.

Jan. 27 is the anniversary of a desperate cavalry encounter between Burnside's and Longstreet's men in east Tennessee, 1864. The dashing sabreur, Colonel Edward M. McCook, the Hotspur of that fighting family, rode at the head of a cavalry division to attack two divisions of Martin's cavalry corps led by Morgan and Armstrong, both valorous captains. The Confederate advance, having been driven back two miles step by step, united with the reserves and made a stand at the intersection of roads near Fair Garden. McCook led in his whole division on both sides of Fair Garden road, ending up with a galloping charge. La Grange's demibrigade ran upon a superior force of Morgan's troopers around a battery which raked the Fair Garden road. Calling up detachments of the Second and Fourth Indiana, La Grange headed a magnificent and gallant dash along the road and into the battery, sabering the gunners and their cavalry supporters.

Two cannon and many prisoners were captured in the rush.

At the same time Major J. P. Lesslie and a handful of men of the Fourth regiment, with drawn swords, charged from the highway into the field on the left, McCook and his staff, yielding to the fury of the hour, at their head. The opposing lines met on open ground with a fair field for a hand to hand combat The struggle was brief. Morgan's line was routed, his battleflag and escort captured, and Morgan himself barely escaped. In the height of the melee the gallant Lesslie was shot dead by a bullet which pierced his left breast.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—"Very good taste you have, Mr. Peck, in the selection of your embroideries."

—The Queen City Double Quartette will meet at C. J. Ackerman's house next Tuesday evening.

—The afternoon free delivery has been restored to Norwood avenue, and extended out East Front street.

—The North Plainfield Sewer Committee held a private meeting in Engineer Dunham's office last evening.

—Among those negotiating for Hotel Netherwood in Dr. J. H. Cooley, who would transform the hotel into a sanitarium.

—While skating on Hyde's mill race Wednesday a lad named Blatz broke through the ice and received a thorough wetting.

—Wm. Kirk has received the contract for building a bell tower at New Rochelle. It will be similar to that erected by him at Westfield.

—Harry Bogert while skating on Hyde's meadows, Thursday afternoon, broke through the ice and received a rather chilly reception.

—A well-known North avenue shoemaker is making the medal which is to be shot for next Thursday by Messrs. Jones and Randolph.

—Many Plainfielders have received invitations to attend the dance soon to be given by Cranford's society set in the opera-house of that thrifty town.

—The famous new treatment for diphtheria, Antitoxine, has been introduced in Plainfield by H. P. Reynolds, who makes an important announcement concerning it today.

—Last evening at 6:30 as Joseph Yerkes was bidding a friend goodbye at Park avenue and Sixth street, the shaft of a passing cab struck him and knocked him down. Luckily, Mr. Yerkes escaped serious injury, though badly shaken up.

—A special sale of hosiery is in progress at U. B. Crane's hat and furnishing store tonight. Among the bargains will be Hermadorf fast black hose at ten cents a pair. Regular twenty-five cent goods. Only two pair to a customer and tonight only.

—Jacob Goldstein, who appeared before Judge Coddington yesterday afternoon charged by Captain Grant with violating a city ordinance in placing signs on trees, telegraph and telephone poles and in other public places, was ordered to remove all the signs immediately Sentence was suspended.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Sr., is indisposed.

George F. White of 41 Willow avenue is ill with the grip.

Miss Edith Burt of West Seventh street is ill with the grip.

G. S. Clay of LaGrande avenue is recovering from the grip.

D. S. Ginna of Broadway is confined to his home with the grip.

Miss Lulu Perrin of Grant avenue has recovered from the grip.

Linden Adams of Washington street is recovering from the grip.

Mrs. T. S. Wheeler of Park avenue has about recovered from the grip.

W. E. MacClymont will give an organ recital in Westfield February 7.

William A. Wheeler of LaGrande avenue has recovered from the influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murray left Thursday evening for Florida, to be gone several weeks.

Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman of West Seventh street is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Doud of Duer street, who has been confined with the grip for a week, is much improved.

Mrs. Harold Armstrong of LaGrande avenue is slowly getting over the effects of the grip.

Mrs. Bogert and her son of New York are guests of Mrs. Disborough on East Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldstein of 126 Park avenue are rejoicing over the advent of a bouncing boy.

Wm. Johnston of East Fifth street has returned to his home from his studies at Columbia College.

Mrs. C. B. Corwin of East Ninth street entertained a number of friends at luncheon yesterday.

Mrs. A. E. Bushnell has improved very much in health, and is visiting her friends in Plainfield today.

Mr. Griffin, the Front street artist, has been absent from his studio several days on account of the grip.

Miss Charlotte Messersmith of Washington street is slowly recovering from an attack of sore throat.

Lewis Dunavan of East Third street, who has been ill the past few days, was able to go to work today.

Mrs. Arthur G. Kerr and family of College place recently returned from a visit with friends on Long Island.

Harry Baglin of Newark is the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith of Grandview avenue.

Frank Clarkson of East Second street, who has been suffering from a severe attack of the grip, has recovered.

Harry Messersmith of Washington street, who has been ill with the grip, is able to be about the house again.

Charles Howard of Plainfield has been elected W. J. G. S. of the Grand Lodge of Masons of the State of New Jersey.

Percy Wheeler has accepted a situation with Conrow Bros., wholesale paper dealers, Beekman street, New York.

William H Brower of Watchung avenue, after having been confined to his bed for a week with the grip, is able to be about the house again.

Miss Grace Miller of LaGrande avenue has recovered from the grip. Her sister Miss Emma, and brother Raymond, are on the road to recovery.

John F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Murphy of 140 North avenue, died today of diphtheria. The afflicted parents have the sympthy of a wide circle of friends.

J. C. Ackerman of the Freight Department at the North Avenue station has rented the house 523 West Sixth street, and will make that his home Feb. 1.

J. W. Lupton, a prominent marble dealer of Perth Amboy, has returned home after a short visit with his brother-in-law, J. T. Vail of Franklin place.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Saidie E., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Addis of Orange street, to Clarence Nathan Mundy Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 5 p. m. in Grace P. E. Church.

Herbert Moore of Grove street a member of the Class of '95 in the North Plainfield field Public School, leaves Monday for Mount Herman, Mass., where he will attend the boarding-school in that town.

Charles C. Lister is completely refurnishing and refitting his North avenue bicycle store, and will devote the entire first floor to wheels and have his shooting gallery and repair shop in the basement.

Harry Brewster of New York held a card party Thursday evening at his home, to which W. J. Roome, J. W. Sandford, Miss Pauline May Sandford, and Miss Emily Sandford, received invitation. Handsome prizes were awarded, and a banquet followed.

Rev. Henry Blodgett, D. D., who probably knows more about China than any other man in the United States, having spent forty-eight years in that country as a Congregational missionary, will speak on his work there at a special service in the Congregational Church tomorrow evening.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

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LARGE JUDGMENTS FILED.

A. D. Shepard of Scotch Plains Loaned $38,000.

Judgments aggregating $100,522,63 were entered today in the county clerk's office by default against the Fifth Avenue Transportation Company, Limited, in favor of the following creditors:

Mrs. Margaret L. V. Shepard, $32,662.77 for rent due; Mrs. Margaret L. V. Shepard, executrix of Elliott F. Shepard, $40,043.18, for rent of buildings 55 to 65 East 88th street, and for money advanced; Augustus D. Shepard, $27,816.68 for money lent.

—Mrs. Daly of West Sixth street fractured an ankle by a fall on the ice last night. Drs. Hedges and Boone set the limb.

—Last evening at the regular weekly dancing class for beginners held Gesang and Turn Verein hall the pupils waited in vain for their teacher. After a while they began teaching themselves, with good effect.

Mrs. Dudley S. Miller and son came home today from a visit to a cousin Miss Hildebrandt of Elizabeth.

Mrs. L. Penfield of 624 Park avenue, and Mrs. Smock, her mother, went today to spend Sunday with Mrs. Penfield's uncles, the Brokaw Brothers of New York. Isaac B. Brokaw and family sail Tuesday by steamship Howard for Egypt, to be gone three months.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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Colonel Eadie,

Chief Secretary of the Salvation Army in America, will visit Plainfield accompanied by the National Staff Brass Band, on

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Meeting will be held at the Armory Hall

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield will be held in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall on West Front street, in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, on Monday, the 18th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon the following resolution of the Board of Directors of said Association, which said resolution was adopted by unanimous vote of the Directors at their meeting held January 14, 1895.

"RESOLVED that in the judgment of this Board it is advisable and most for the benefit of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield that the same should be forthwith dissolved, and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders be held on Monday, the eighteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall, Plainfield, New Jersey, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon this resolution; and further, that the secretary forthwith give notice of said meeting, and of the adoption of this resolution within ten days from this date, by publishing the said resolution with a notice of its adoption, in The Daily Press, a newspaper published in Plainfield, New Jersey, for at least four weeks once a week, successively, and by mailing a written or printed copy of the same to each and every stockholder of this Association in the United States."

Dated Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1895.
CRAIG A. MARSH, Secretary.

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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

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Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

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The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

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A CARDINAL'S VIEW.

THE CHURCH REGARDS THE NEW WOMAN AS AN EVIL INFLUENCE.

Cardinal Gibbons Finds Much to Criticise and Nothing to Praise in the Nineteenth Century Idea. He Says Strong Minded Women Are of Ancient Origin.

Cardinal Gibbons, of the Roman Catholic Church of Baltimore, has recently made some very pointed remarks about the advanced woman. He says:

"The new woman is the woman suffragist and her daughter. Personally I know nothing of that woman except that recently she strove to prove my knowledge of ancient history incorrect. However, I bear her no ill will for that. But as a Catholic I am bound to disprove any so-called woman movement. The Church of Rome exalts womanhood in the veneration it accords the mother of Jesus Christ, but in exalting woman it still has regard for the special nature of her mission in the world, which is equal to man's, though not identical with it. Advocates of woman's rights, though I would be very sorry to impugn their motives, are very far from contributing to the real progress and happiness of woman.

"Woman suffrage is doubtless the logical outcome of the higher education of women. That, however, is not to establish the right of woman suffrage. For the higher education of woman that takes her from gentle influences—from the influence of maternal solicitude and religion—to place her among men in universities that prescribe education without reference to the heart and soul, debases womanhood through developing woman's intellect. There is a saying of a German writer very appropos of this—that the modern educated woman whose head has been enlarged at the expense of her heart is like the Strasburg geese whose livers have been fattened—very fine livers, but very sick geese.

"God has given us a heart to be formed to virtue as well as a head to be enlightened. Taking no more sentimental or religious authority than Webster, his definition of to educate is 'to instill into the mind principles of art, science, morals, religion and behavior.'

"Also Guizot, an eminent Protestant writer, declares that education to be truly good must be fundamentally religious. Now, fatal as is the indifference to eternal truths resulting among men from a rejection of this principle, if the women, the mothers of our country, are to divorce religion from their reason, and gauge their excellence by the standard of a secular education, what can we expect of their children?

"Wrong, wrong, all wrong, and the greatest menace to our American liberty is the growing disregard of this country for the little child. Religion reveres and glorifies the little child. It is as a little child that the second person of the Sacred Trinity was born into the world. It was the little children that without reserve Christ bade come unto Him, and it was them he set up as a type of spiritual excellence by which men attain the Kingdom of Heaven.

"Yet, as a people, we neglect the American child in our system of public education that excludes all religious training. We further disregard the young child in lax laws that make possible the divorce of parents and the disruption of homes. And if now the standards of the woman movement are carrying us still further from the assurance of all good that inheres in the young child, our future is a sorry one indeed.

"The Catholic Church has one law fixed forever on this point—that human life is sacred, and any means whatsoever employed to extinguish life, though it be but an instant's duration, is murder, for which the offender's soul must one day answer before a God.

"There can be no doubt that as the woman usurps the man's rightful place in the home—becomes the law maker and the bread winner of the family—the man must become correspondingly effeminate. But the woman suffragist of the present century flatters herself in denominating herself the New Woman. She is a very old woman—old as Eve, prompted by curiosity and lawlessness to gain information of the devil, and her effect on man will probably be no more than a warrant for old Adam's feeble excuse for his enjoyment of forbidden fruit. The bachelor girl you describe who indulges in many sports is not a novelty in history. She and the present craze for physical culture among women mark a return to the moral standard of the Lacedemonian women, who were taught when maidens to engage in exercises that strengthened their bodies and imparted grace to their movements, but at the sacrifice of female modesty. Then the bachelorhood of the modern woman is not new. It but stamps our civilization with the character of the domestic life of ancient Greece. This counted women of elementary education proper material for wives, while clever women of higher education enjoy the license men accord their mistresses. Also the Malthusian doctrine by which the modern marriage is regulated is after all no more an indication of advancing civilization than the practice in India that regulates the number of offspring by drowning nearly all female infants. Men may even be obliged to return to this method if the advancing New Woman goes to much greater lengths in enforcing her theories on society."

POLICEMEN MUST GIVE BONDS.

An Illinois Scheme for Making Peace Officers Responsible to Citizens.

Senator Dwyer of Chicago, has a police reform bill which he will introduce soon after he goes to Springfield. It provides that no person having the authority of a peace officer shall be vested with the powers of his office until he shall file a $5,000 bond.

The bill makes all offices vested with the power of arresting citizens subservient to this law. It also will provide for an examination for candidates for police positions as to their thorough knowledge of the laws under which warrants are served, sight arrests made, and the rights of all persons so arrested under the statutes.

Briefly, policemen are to be made pecuniarily responsible to citizens for false, malicious and hasty arrests, and citizens are to have redress for all damages, bodily or otherwise, suffered at the hands of incompetent, brutal and drunken policemen.

Fooling the Youngsters.

Citizen (excitedly)—Good heavens! See those children skating around that danger sign.

Owner of pond—The ice there is perfectly safe. They think it's dangerous and stay on it. The thin ice is at the other end of the pond.—Judge.

HETTY GREEN'S QUIET HUSBAND.

A Retiring Man Who is Brought in Notoriety by an Eccentric Wife.

Many men who seek notoriety fail to attain it, and some who have no such desire find it thrust upon them. To this latter class belongs Edward Henry Green, a quiet spoken and extremely modest gentleman, who, on account of being the husband of the most wealthy and one of the most eccentric women in the country, finds himself brought into public notice.

Though Mr. Green has not lived with his wife for some years, he is evidently not out of her mind, for he receives occasional visits from her and at times, when he is not well, she shows solicitude and makes him frequent visits. Then, for reasons and to accomplish purposes best known to herself, she makes frequent inquiry about her husband in unexpected quarters.

Such episodes are evidently annoying to Mr. Green, and cause him to more closely keep to himself and shut the door against all who may wish to refer to his peculiar marriage relations.

For this reason he is under the guardianship of the attendants at the Cumberland and the Union League Club, to protective him from representatives of the press. For this protection he pays liberal fees, and feels secure, for, if a persistent reporter desires to have a chat with Mr. Green, and insists on his card being presented, the attendant will take it, disappear, be gone the conventional length of time, and return with the message that "Mr. Green wishes to be excused." Mr. Green has not seen the card or heard of the visitor, but the programme has been carried out according to his instructions.

Mr. Green may have had his troubles, but suffering for the need of money has not been one of them, for he started with the proverbial silver spoon, and though it has more than once dropped from his lips it has always been again placed within his reach, and it is there now, held by his wife. For he is regularly pensioned by her, and provided with the means of living according to the demands of his gentlemanly tastes.

When he married Miss Harriet H. Robinson he was the fortunate possessor of a million dollars, but he soon learned that riches frequently take to themselves wings. This lesson was taught to him in the overcrowded school of Wall street, where he speculated with more daring than judgement. One morning, eleven years ago, when the Stock Exchange opened and he was called on to make good his obligation, he found himself bankrupt. During his career as a speculator he spent money with a lavish hand and was know as "Spendthrift" Green.

After Mr. Green's failure in Wall street his debts were all paid, he retired from "'Change" and settled down as a club man of very simple and regular habits. Since then he has nothing to do with business, living as a gentleman of leisure and resisting all temptations to again enter speculation. His acquaintances are confined almost exclusively to members of the Union League Club.

His time is about evenly divided between his apartments at the Cumberland and the rooms of the Union League, where he is a conspicuous figure and an enjoyable companion. From the rising hour until one o'clock he is to be found in his sitting room with his books. The daily papers he reads with care, and though he scowls when he sees his wife's name, he carefully clips and preserves all the articles referring to her. Here he receives only his most intimate friends, leaving his acquaintances to be met in the club room.

At one o'clock he walks leisurely to his club and usually stays there until quite late at night, enjoying his cigar, a game of cards and social conversation. Now and then, though not frequently, the evening is broken by a visit to the theatre.

Such is the quiet life of the husband of the woman who is able to lend millions of dollars, and who, through her eccentricity of life and careful management of her fortune, has gained for herself world wide notoriety, and brought him into public notice because he is her husband.—N. Y. World.

ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS SMOKE.

The Machine Cuts Off the End and Lights the Cigar.

It's a wonderful labor saving device for smokers that an employe of a Broadway hotel has had patented. It leaves nothing to be desired.

It is a machine that cuts a cigar neatly, lights it, draws a few puffs on it and deposits it on a tray all ready for instant use.

"Some persons think there is a little too much of the machine," the inventor said to me recently, "but I believe in having things complete and up to date in every way, manner and form.

"You drop your cigar in a slot. It falls on a small platform. A spring knife cuts off the tip. Then it drops down and one end fits into a tiny hole, which communicates with a cylinder of compressed air. At the same time the other end comes in contact with a small gas jet.

"The air draws on the cigar, puffs it two or three times, until it gets a good start. Then your lighted cigar rolls down this inclined plane and drops on the tray all ready for business.

"Will I have a slot arrangement so a man by dropping a coin can get a five or ten-cent cigar already lighted? Really I hadn't thought of it. Do you think it would be a good scheme?"—N. Y. Herald.

Mrs. Barnes's Story.

Mrs. Barnes, one of Chicago's society leaders, is telling an entertaining little story to her friends. The other day she wanted to go for a drive, but when her coachman appeared he proved to be lamentably intoxicated. Mrs. Barnes upbraided him indignantly:

"John," she said, "you're drunk."

"Yes'm," he responded, with effusive meekness. "I am."

"Well," continued his mistress, "you can't drive me out in that condition!"

"No'm," was the reply, "but if you'll go hire a carriage, I'll pay for it, mum."—Boston Globe.

Highly Practicable.

Mrs. Maryatt—I always manage to get my husband furiously mad at me if I want to get a favor out of him.

Mrs. Nuweed—That's queer. What for?

Mrs. Maryatt—Then he always scolds me frightfully, and afterward, when he's repentant, has to make it up by granting my request.—Chicago Record.

People who are willing to work for the Lord are never kept waiting long for an opportunity.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Official Announcements for Worship in Plainfield Tomorrow.

[Matter intended for this department must be supplied fresh every week, not later than 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion.]

Washingtonville Chapel—Meeting as usual.

Mt. Pleasant School-house—Meeting as usual.

Reform Hall—4 p. m. Gospel temperance meeting conducted by Rev. George Angleman.

St. Joseph's Church—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3, and Vespers at 5 p. m.

St. Mary's Church—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; Vespers, 8 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Morning prayer and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.

Swedish Meeting—Grace Church, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Scandinavians welcome. Rev. M. Ahlberg, pastor.

Y. M. C. A. Building—4:15 p. m. meeting will be addressed by Rev. Henry Blodgett, D. D. The male choir will sing.

St. Peter's German Lutheran Church—Services, 9 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday-school, 10 a. m. Rev. Ed Kionka, pastor.

All Souls Church—Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. with preaching by the pastor. Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m.

Church of the Redeemer, Protestant Episcopal—Rev. Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, rector. Morning service, 11:15; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening service, 4:30.

Park Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. William Humpstone, evangelist. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Grace Church—Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector. Early Celebration of Holy Communion, 7:30; morning prayer and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening service, 7:45.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor. Preaching by the pastor, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school, 2:30. Prayer-meetings at 10 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Subject, "The Ethics of the Strike" morning, "Anarchism"; evening, "Socialism".

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service, 10:30; Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m.; special evening service, 7:30, address by Rev. Henry Blodgett, D. D., of Pekin, China.

First M. E. Church—Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes, pastor. 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching by the pastor; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League prayer meeting. Subject of evening sermon, "The Greatest Loser".

Grace M. E. Church—Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. Morning subject, "A Wrath to Come, What shall we do?" Sunday-school, 2:45; Epworth League, 7 p. m. Special evangelistic meeting in the evening. Singing by chorus choir.

First Presbyterian Church—Morning: Prelude—Adagio from Sextet, Beethoven; Anthem—"O Lord my God". Wesley; Offertory—"Largo", Handel; Postlude—In D minor, Calkill. Evening: Prelude—Pastorale in F, Parker; Anthem—"Lead kindly light", Buck; Anthem—"Sweet is thy mercy", Barnby; Offertory; Postlude—Offertoire in D, Wely.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11; evening prayer, 4:30. The Rt. Rev. John Scarborough, Bishop of New Jersey, will be present and administer the Sacramental Rite of Confirmation, at the 4:30 service. Free stages from station at 10:30 a. m. and 4 p. m.

From Prominent People.

A great many persons to our knowledge have voluntarily pronounced Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy successful in curing them of disease. Here are a number of statements that again demonstrate the value of this medicine.

Commander James S. Dean, of Gen. Grant Post, G. A. R., Rondout, N. Y., contracted an aggravated stomach trouble, which resulted in chronic dyspepsia. He suffered misery until he used Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. "After using it a week," says Commander Dean, "I felt better, and in a short while was entirely cured, that terrible distress and food breaking up sour in my throat had all gone."

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The worst cases of eczema, salt rheum and scrofula yield to its curative power, nervousness, sleeplessness, liver and kidney complaints and all urinary troubles are cured by its use.

Three Suspicious Characters.

Special Officer Stewart, who is employed by J. E. Stewart, of West Seventh street, to take care of his property while he is in the city, watched Tuesday night for over two hours three very suspicious men who kept patrolling Seventh street, from Plainfield avenue to Spooner avenue. Stewart says "The cooler is wide open for such men".

A Barn in Danger.

The high winds of last night came very near causing the destruction of Pliny Fisk's barn about 2:30 this morning. Officer Robinson while passing the barn at that hour noticed the stove was red hot and notified the hostler who opened the barn and found the woodwork around the stove very much scorched from the heat. The stove was promptly opened and the draughts shut off.

At about the same hour some saggy electric wires on Park avenue were blown together by the wind, and for several minutes there was a fine display of lightning flashes.

—The transparency of the Trinity Church tea was burned last night.

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How doth the little busy ad
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DEATHS.

VANDENBERGH—In this city, Friday, January 25, 1895, Alice A., eldest of the late Samuel D. Vandenbergh, in her 31st year.

Funeral services at her late residence No. 225 East Fifth street, Monday, January 28, at 10 a. m. Interment in Greenwood. 2

MURPHY—In this city of diphtheria, Friday, Jan. 25, 1895, John F. Murphy, son of Wm. and Mary Murphy.

Funeral strictly private from the residence of his parents, 140 North ave., Saturday, Jan. 26, at 2:30 p. m.

FIELDS—In this city Saturday, Jan. 26, 1895, Mrs. Mary Fields, aged 55 years, 9 months.

Funeral from her late residence, 503 West 3d st., Monday, Jan. 28, at 9 a. m. from the house and at St. Mary's Church at 9:30 a. m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

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The economical buyer will take advantage of the sale of Granite ware in our basement this week. These are

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Tea Pots, 2 quart,	52c.,	regular price,	69c.
" 1 "	45c.,	" "	53c.
Tea Kettles, 9ic.,	regular price		99c.
Lipp Sauce Pan, 19cts.	"	"	25c.
" " 29cts.	"	"	35c.
" " 31cts.	"	"	37c.
" " 43cts.	"	"	49c
Wash Basin, 23cts.	regular price,	27cts.	
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Cedar Tubs, 50c., 60c., 75c.

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Laundry Soap 3c. cake, Washing Powder, 3c. cake. Silexo, 4c. cake. Pearline ½lb. 4c package.

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100 piece Dinner set $6.75, $7.89, $7.99., regular price, $9, $10, $11. For other articles necessary in your kitchen or dining room call and price our goods,

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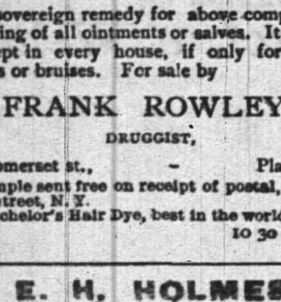

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Jan. 27. Prayer For Colleges the Topic.

SCRIPTURE READINGS.—I Tim. iv, 12, 16; II Tim. i, 6, 7; I Tim. i, 18, 19.

Maturity of judgment, experience and discretion are not to be expected of those young in life in such large measure as of those more advanced in years. But love, faith, hopefulness, purity of intention and action are easier of growth in early life than if neglected till later. It is not only a custom worthy of observance among us to set aside a special day each year when the young people in our schools are to be specially remembered, but it is entirely Scriptural and reasonable to expect the most talented and able of them to early be directed into godly habits and experiences.

The highest attainments in scholarship, the broadest culture of mind, with all wise athletic exercises, are compatible with and helpful to genuine piety.

The world's highest prizes are for those who shall achieve highest service.

The time has come when smartness is at a discount and the demand is for well rounded manhood and womanhood. Moral excellence is indispensable to real success. The men prominent in the world of science, letters, politics and church, who hold the power of the nations in their grasp, are more than ever before men of sterling integrity. In our colleges it is now recognized that ethical culture is a prime requisite of all adequate education. Religion is no longer sneered at in college halls, but has come to the place of honor. Temptations still surround the young of both sexes in our schools, who, away from accustomed restraints and influences of home, are with undisciplined powers largely thrown upon their own responsibility. They need wise counsel of parents, teachers, pastors and friends. They need prayers and helpful words. More liberal financial aid is also needed in all our higher institutions of learning. We need to pray that the Holy Spirit will lead our people to consecrate their wealth to the advancement of the kingdom of God.

League, Endeavor, Union.

Much useless regret, some lamentation, if not denunciation, have been expended because all the young people of the Protestant churches have not seen *fit to unite under one organic head.* A single society, with an immense membership, monster conventions, one pledge and many other equally attractive features, does seem desirable on many accounts. Some false sentiment has been aroused in quarters where it was taken for granted that the denominational societies were copies from if not rivals of an older undenominational one. The facts in regard to the Epworth League are simply that it was organized as a consolidation of the many scattered societies in the Methodist Episcopal church, many of which had been doing efficient service for years. The discipline of the church had long made it the duty of every preacher in charge to organize wherever possible a local lyceum. Many of these were banded together under various titles. Five large societies in different parts of the country were pursuing similar ends. The Oxford league had received official recognition from the church and was regarded with special favor by some of the bishops. The desirability of having one organization for the whole denomination and enlarging the scope of its operations led to a convention of delegates from the five general societies in Cleveland.

After long, careful and prayerful consultation the Epworth League was formed. It received at once the favor of the church, and at the succeeding general conference became an organic part of the Methodist Episcopal church. Its position is similar to that of the class meeting in our work.

In the peculiar connectional polity of our church no other form of organization could meet the requirements of the case. An undenominational or interdenominational or union society may be all right for those churches where each local body is practically independent. Our own needs could not be best served nor the cause of Christ in the world best advanced by us through such a society. Our consolidation is a family affair and shows no discourtesy or lack of good fellowship.

Inductive Bible Study.

In no previous age has the Bible been so extensively and so closely studied as at the present time. The discoveries of the past ten years in the east have thrown wonderful light upon many points of history, geography, manners and customs. The most recent methods of study have greatly assisted in popularizing Scripture study and made it much more profitable.

Many chapters pursue systematic work in this line under the oversight of the literary department. Among the best aids in this matter are the "Lessons In Inductive Bible Study," prepared by General Secretary Dr. E. A. Schell. These will be found extremely helpful in individual reading of the Scriptures. Their use in the devotional meetings of the Epworth League and prayer meetings of the church would in many cases infuse new life and devotion into the service.

The Divine In Man.

It was Wessel who said: "Every generous soul has something divine in itself which it loves to communicate. The more excellent it is the more it strives to imitate the Divine Being. Accordingly that holy and divinely beloved soul (Christ), resembling God more than any other creature, gave itself wholly up to the brethren, inasmuch as it saw God doing the same with regard to itself."

The measure of action is the sentiment from which it proceeds.—Emerson.

The most abandoned own that others if abandoned are undone.—Young.

The highest reward of love to God is the love of God.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 27. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Accepting Christ.—Rev. xxii, 1-17. (A meeting for the associate members suggested. It may be held by the lookout committee.)

The book of Revelation is for the most part a book of mysteries. Undoubtedly it teaches the one great lesson that the time will come when Christ and His kingdom shall win a great triumph and shall rule all things. The figures and illustrations by which this is set forth may not always be understood, yet this one central truth stands out as plain as it can be. It is therefore a book of blessed comfort and consolation to the church. But another feature that has made it precious in all times is the wonderful invitation it contains in almost its last words. What a fitting close to God's word! "The Spirit and the bride say come. Let him that heareth say come." These comes refer to the second coming of Christ, and the particular invitation to come to Christ follows: "Let him that is athirst come, and whosoever will let him take of the water of life freely." This is perhaps the most precious invitation to accept Christ found in all the Bible.

1. Who may accept Christ? All may accept Him. This is set forth in two ways in this invitation. "Let him that is athirst come." This opens the way for all to come, for who is there that does not thirst for eternal salvation? But as if this was not definite enough to include all it is made all comprehensive by the use of "whosoever." "Whosoever will" may come. Will we accept Christ? then, is the question.

2. Why should we accept Christ? Because we all want to be saved, and we can be saved in no other way. All men want to be saved. All expect in some way to be saved, but there is only one way to be saved, and that is through Jesus Christ. This is the plain teaching of the Bible. "I am the way," says Christ, not "a way," or "one of the ways," but "the way." And, again, "No man cometh to the Father but by Me." "There is no other name under heaven given among men," says the apostle, "whereby we must be saved." "Lord, to whom shall we go but unto Thee? Thou hast the words of eternal life." There is no place where we can go except to Christ.

3. *How should we accept faith?* By simple faith and trust in Him. The water of life is free. We can not earn our salvation. It is a gift of God to whomsoever will have it. The method of salvation may seem too simple and easy, but God says it is effectual, and we should trust God and in that trust accept Christ.

Bible Readings.—Isa. lv, 1-3; Eccl. xii, 1; Math. ix, 9; xi, 28; Luke xxiv; 47; John xii, 20; xiv, 6; Acts ii, 38-41; xvi, 30, 31; Rom. viii, 1; I Cor. viii, 5; Eph. ii, 8, 9; I Pet. ii; 20; iii, 18; II Pet. iv, 6; I John v, 10.

Associates, Take the Next Step.

Let us ask God to help us encourage our associate members to take the next step. How I wish we might have a genuine revival of evangelistic work throughout the societies everywhere! Pardon the abruptness of the statement, but the results of our soul winning have not been equal to our opportunities. I know thousands have come into the churches from our societies, and we praise God for that. Indeed as we look back over the past five years' work we can sing the doxology with fervor. Last year 183,550 of our numbers joined churches; the year before, 158,000; the year before that, 120,000; the year before that, 82,500; the year before that, 70,000. In other words, 614,510 have passed from our membership into their churches in the past five years. What a ransomed host! How much or how little our individual work has had to do with bringing about this blessed result we know not. Sufficiently thankful are we to know that Christian Endeavor may have had something to do with the victory under God's guidance. But again I say the results, blessed as they are, have not equaled our great opportunities.—John Willis Baer.

The German Endeavorers.

A recent number of Der Mitarbeiter, the organ of the German Christian Endeavorers in this country, contains more than three pages of communications from Germany, which show the progress of Christian Endeavor work in the fatherland. German pastors are minded to take the Christian Endeavor society just as it is and intend to organize genuine Endeavor societies, like the first one. An officer of high standing in the German army earnestly asks for the prayers of American Endeavorers that the Lord may make way for the society in Germany. Shall not his request meet with an instant and ready response?—Selected.

Loving Kindness.

We delight to gaze down a long avenue of trees. It is delightful to gaze from end to end of the long vista, a sort of verdant temple, with its branching pillars and its arches of leaves. Even so look down the long line of your years, at the green boughs of mercy overhead and the strong pillars of loving kindness and faithfulness which bear up your joys.—Spurgeon.

Nature's Touch.

Nature looked out on the woodlands
As summer was closing her eyes
And said, "When the autumn awakens,
I'll give her a brilliant surprise."

Then, dipping her brush in the flame tints,
She scattered them broadcast around
Till the shrubs, and the vines, and the tree tops
With brightness and glory abound.

But the glory was transient and faded.
The leaves withered up, being dead,
And losing their hold from the branches
Dropped down on their cold, wintry bed.

While the trees their poor, bare arms extended,
As if in a silent appeal,
That they might again have their own covering,
For they seemed to think Nature must feel.

When spring, joyous spring, is returning,
Melting ice, both with sunshine and rain,
The heart of Dame Nature relenting,
She'll clothe them with verdure again.
—Christian Intelligencer.

PASSED BY THE SENATE

The Nicaragua Canal Bill Ready for the House.

Important Amendments Agreed to Before the Final Vote Is Taken—Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill Disposed of in the House Private Pensions Considered.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The long parliamentary struggle over the Nicaraguan canal bill came to a close in the senate, as predicted, and the bill was passed by a vote of 21 yeas to 21 nays. Most of the afternoon was consumed in a discussion in which the speeches were limited to five minutes. It was some times carried on in a pretty angry fashion, but nothing very important or interesting was said on either side of the question.

At 5 o'clock the talk ceased and the voting began—the result of the first vote indicating a safe majority for the bill. Several amendments were accepted by Mr. Morgan (dem., Ala.), who had charge of the bill and were agreed to as a matter of course. The most important amendment was one which was offered by Mr. Frye (rep., Me.), and which was amended on the motion of Mr. Wolcott (rep., Col.) This dual amendment required the work of canal construction to be divided into sections and to be given out on contract to the lowest responsible bidders after advertised, the aggregate awards not to exceed the amount of seventy million dollars.

The substitute offered by Mr. Turpie (dem., Ind.), requiring a preliminary survey and estimate and a report on the practicability of the Menocal route was defeated—yeas 23, nays 29—and finally, the bill was passed by a majority of ten, and will now be sent to the house of representatives for the action of that body.

The morning hour had been spent in a debate over the Hawaiian question—Mr. Mills (dem., Tex.) making a fiery speech in condemnation of the means by which the provisional government was established and in defense of the course of the administration. The subject will come up again to-day.

The sundry civil appropriation bill for the year ending June 30, 1896, has been finally disposed of by the house. The total amount carried by the bill as it passed was $39,037,721.50, a net increase of $497,000 over the amount as reported. The bulk of the increase was due to the requirements of the new printing bill.

Two important changes in legislation were made by the bill. One was to restore to the secretary of the treasury the discretion that formerly was vested in him to issue notes restricted to the re-issue of such denominations as may be cancelled and retired. The other was an amendment offered by Mr. Coombs (dem., N. Y.) to amend the law authorizing the issue of gold certificates so as to make such certificates non-receivable for customs dues after July 1, 1895, and forbidding their use by national banks in their reserves. The amendments, it was stated, was considered by Secretary Carlisle to be of the utmost importance to the treasury.

Mr. Wilson, chairman of the committee on ways and means, gave notice that he would ask the house after the sundry civil bill had been disposed of to consider the bill to repeal the provision of the tariff law imposing an additional duty of 1-10 of a cent a pound on sugars imported from countries paying an export bounty on that article.

The house took a recess until 8 o'clock in the evening at which time they met and considered private pension bills.

WANT $25,000 DAMAGES.

Conlon Bros. Bring Suits Against Two Connecticut Towns.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 26.—In view of the decision in favor of Conlon Bros., of this city, declaring unconstitutional the state law by which cities and towns have required transient merchants to pay a license and fine the same for non-payment, the firm is bringing suits for $25,000 each against Norwich and Rockville.

In the Norwich case the allegations will be that William Conlon was arrested three times; that four of the firm's clerks were locked up two hours and its store closed.

In the Rockville suit it will be alleged that Mr. Conlon was arrested fourteen times and the firm forced out of business. The firm also intend to sue merchants, who, it is claimed, conspired to injure it and its business.

One Killed; Two Seriously Injured.

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 26.—A terrible explosion occurred in the Westmoreland Firebrick mines at Hunker's station which resulted in the death of a young man named Albright and perhaps another named Elmer Kauffman, and the serious injury of Frank Kauffman, an elder brother.

Kohl Convicted of Murder.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 26.—Henry Kohl has been convicted of murder in the first degree for the killing of his cousin, Joseph Preinel, before Judge Depue in the court of oyer and terminer here.

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EGGS—Firm. Western, 22c.

SUGAR—Unchanged. Granulated, 3 13-16@4c.

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Leave Somerville, 6, 8 30, 7 00, 9 25, 7 00, 7 45, 8 25, 8 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 25, 6 25, 6 55, 8 17, 9 45, 11 05, P. M. Sundays 8 25, 9 05, 9 25, 9 55, 10 45, 11 05, P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 8 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 2 30, 3 30, 4 45, 5, 6 15, except Saturday, 6 30 6 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 5, 8 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 55, 6 30, 6 55, 7 20, 7 50, 8, 8 40 9 25, 10 05, 10 57, A. M., 12 05 1 15, 2 07, 3 05, 3 13, 5 01, 6 00, 6 54, 7 05, 8 30, 10 17 11 30 P. M. Sunday—3 01, 5 02, 10 05, 11 20, A. M. 12 58, 1 45, 3 20, 5 26, 7 11, 8 32, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 12, 7 55, 8 35, 9 05, 10 05, 11 05 A.M., 1 15, 1 55, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 05, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 54, 6 30, 7 15, 7 55, 8 45, 10 05, 11 55 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 45, 9 25, 11 25 A. M., 1 10, 2 30, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 15, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 45 2 05, 3 25, 5 45, 6 05, 8 15, 9 55, 6 05, 8 15, 9 55, 10 54, 11 54 P.M. Sunday—8 45, 9 30 A. M., 3 05, 6 05, P. M.

Leave Boston 6 00, 7 00, 8 30, A.M., 12 30, 4 00, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 00, A. M. 6 40, 7 20, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m, 5 05 p.m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Manch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua,

7 10 a. m., for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 18 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.*

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Manch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Manch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 9.25 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 26 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 8 26, 8, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 9 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 26, 5 26, 8 10 27 a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 09 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 26, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54 p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 9 46, 9 40*, 10 55, a. m., 12 46, 2 09*, 5 54*, 6 26*, 8 21, 9 27* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 46, a. m., 2 09*, 5 14* 6 26 p. m., 1 12 night.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 55, 9 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 15*, 2 10, 4 29*, 5 54, 9 05 p.m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 9 06, 10 27 a. m., 1 16*, 4 32 6 45*, 9 05 p. m.

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R. C. Pease, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter. 2 6 tf

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8096, Ancient Order of Foresters of America, meets in K. of P. Hall, No. 108 West 2d st., first and third Tuesday evenings in each month.

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Samuel H. Lunger, Fin. Sec. 9 25 y

Anchor Lodge, No. 148, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front stree

C. C. Howard, W. M.
T. A. Rogers, Secretary.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 28, F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, East Front street.

Chas. Yeager, Secretary.
Dr. D. C. Adams, W. M.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.

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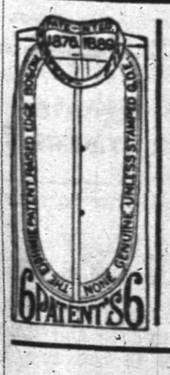

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STRIKERS STILL FIRM

Few of the 7,000 Men Have Returned To Work.

An Attempt To Run Cars in Greenpoint Yesterday—Companies Expect To Operate All the Lines To-Day—Rioting in Queens County—Other Incidents.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 26.—No troops have been withdrawn from this city, and though they had a comparatively quiet day of it yesterday, there are signs that they will make up for it to-day. The quiet is thought to be the calm before a storm. Disturbances requiring cavalry charges and quick details of infantry occurred during the day and evening, but the troops did not find it necessary to fire upon the crowds. Since the battle of Hicks street, orders have been issued to the militia not to fire upon people who fail to obey commands, but to arrest them and only to fire under dire necessity.

The strikers will stand firm. The presidents have notified them that they will be taken back as individuals on the company's terms and given places so long as vacancies exist. But of the 6,000 to 7,000 men on strike, very few have gone back.

The riotous proceedings which have marred the quiet and peace of Kings county overflowed into Queens county, and the sheriff of that county was obliged to call for troops. This was due to the attempt to operate cars in Greenpoint, from which place a committee of citizens, led by Rev. Father O'Hara appeared two days ago to demand that steps be taken to forfeit the charters of the lines.

At Maspeth, in Queens county, a mob captured a gang of twenty non-union men, driving away the deputy sheriffs, and made prisoners of the men who were sent to take strikers' places. Troop A. was sent to the rescue.

Justice Gaynor, of the supreme court, figured prominently in the day's proceedings. He listened to arguments in the mandamus proceedings and a fair inference from the observances he made from the bench warrants the conclusion that he will grant a peremptory writ compelling the officials of the company to operate their roads, when he hands down his decision to-day.

Mayor Schieren drove to police headquarters last night and held a secret conference with Commissioner Welles and Supt. Campbell. They were informed by the presidents of the three systems affected by the strike that presumably in anticipation of the writ of mandamus all lines are to be operated to-day. They knew that such an attempt would mean plenty of trouble. The mayor declined to discuss the nature of the conference. When it was over, all police captains were summoned to headquarters. It is supposed they expected concerted action in the wire-cutting line between midnight and morning, and were ordered to prevent it if possible. They were also instructed as to their duties in case attempts were made by the companies to open all the lines.

A portion of the Seventh regiment is under marching orders and it is supposed that they are to be moved to Greenpoint, Erie Basin, and other danger points.

The cars were moved on several new lines and, barring numerous accidents, the companies made a good showing. But the end is not yet.

One of the incidents of the day was the forcing of a non-union man from a Fulton street car, near Brooklyn avenue. They chased him along the street, hurling imprecations and missiles at him. They thoroughly frightened him. He sought refuge from them in a saloon at 1,425 Fulton street, but the strikers followed him there and were vigorously belaboring him when five members of Troop A, whose headquarters are near, went to his rescue. The strikers fled upon seeing the cavalrymen, but were chased through the saloon and out into the rear premises, where two men were captured. As the non-union man was either afraid or unable to identify the captives as his assailants, the cavalrymen released them with a stern admonition to cease man-hunting, or the consequences would be serious. Captain Roe said that the statement that one of his men rode his horse into the saloon after the strikers was entirely erroneous, as none of the rescuing party was mounted, at the time.

The presence of a force of linemen at Bedford and Greenpoint avenues, between 4 and 5 p. m., intending to repair broken trolley wires at that and contiguous points, was the occasion for the gathering of a mob, said to have numbered fully 2,000 persons—men, women and boys. Stones were thrown at the linemen, and all the vile epithets that could be conjured up, were flung at them. The linemen were upon the point of abandoning their task when a detachment of Troop A, consisting of Sergeant E. N Nichols and five privates appeared. But the arrival of the cavalrymen did not scare the mob, and the soldiers, as well as the linemen, received such treatment as the rioters thought best expressed their contempt for them. An occasional volley of stones showed its vicious temper and then the cavalrymen were instructed to use the flat sides of their sabres. In speaking of the affray Captain Roe said that the little detachment had a very lively experience and if the soldiers had not acted with determination and some degree of roughness it might have been very serious for his men. "They were obliged to knock down several fellows," Capt. Roe said, "and one man received a severe sabre cut in the face. Our men carried their point keeping the mob at bay until the linemen had repaired wires for nearly three blocks. Sergeant Nichols told me that the coolness and discretion exercised by the troopers alone averted what might have been a very nasty affair."

The companies began shutting down their lines at dark. On some lines one or two cars were run an hour or two after dark. On Butler street a car was stoned; one on Flatbush avenue had a window smashed. There were other interferences and at 9 o'clock no more cars were sent out. As on other nights, when the cars ceased to run disturbances came to an end and quiet settled over the city.

FATAL SLEIGHING ACCIDENT.

Two Persons Killed and Seven Injured at a Railway Crossing.

Middleburg, Pa., Jan. 26.—While a sleigh containing fifteen people was crossing the railroad track at Kreamer, a railroad station five miles east of here, yesterday, it was run into by a freight train and two of its occupants were killed and seven were injured.

The killed are Isaac D. Romig and his son Charles. The injured are A. W. Potter, a lawyer, of Selins Grove, both arms crushed, one of which was amputated and he will probably lose the other; Miss Mollie Burns, aged 21, left leg cut off and right arm broken; Miss Annie M. Potter, cut in leg close to ankle; Mrs. Charles P. Ulrich, severe bruises on back and hands; E. M. Hummel, severe scalp wounds; Mrs. E. M. Hummel, bruised on back, and Miss Eby, slightly cut about the face.

The party was returning to their homes at Selins Grove from a dance. Young Romig was driving the sleigh and his father was seated beside him upon the box. As they approached the railroad crossing at Kreamer the young people of the party were singing and the sleigh bells were jingling merrily. The road to the crossing is lined with buildings and the approach of a train is concealed.

Without a thought of danger Romig drove upon the track and the first intimation that the party had of the impending destruction was the headlight of a freight locomotive that bathed them in its rays. The songs were changed to shrieks of terror, but before anything could be done to avert the disaster the locomotive struck the sleigh directly behind the driver's box.

Crushed and shattered beneath the force of the blow, the sleigh was hurled to one side and its human freight was tossed beside the railroad track. Isaac Romig and his son were ground under the wheels of the engine and instantly killed and Mr. Potter and Miss Burns met a fate hardly less horrible.

STILL ANOTHER VICTORY.

The Japanese Forces Defeat the Chinese at Hai-Ching.

London, Jan. 26.—The correspondent of the Central News at Tokio telegraphs as follows:

"General Nodzu, in command of the Japanese forces at Hai-Ching, sends a dispatch that upon the night of the 22d, expecting to be re-attacked by the Chinese armies at Lao-Yang, he arranged his defense in such a manner as to draw the enemy within six hundred metres of his battle line.

His ruse proved successful and the Fifth Infantry brigade with three batteries suddenly attacked the enemy's right flank. The surprise was complete, taking the Chinese forces completely by surprise, scattering them in great confusion. The reserve Japanese infantry attacked the left flank of the retreating Chinese, who in scattering detachments, fled towards the northeast. Their panic increased as they fled, and there were many prisoners captured.

From the statements of the prisoners it is learned that the Tartar General Chang Sung was in command of the Chinese forces and that their force consisted of twelve thousand infantry.

THE KUCHAN EARTHQUAKE.

Terrible Loss of Life, and Not a Building Left Standing.

London, Jan. 26.—A dispatch from Teheran gives further details of the destructive earthquake at Kuchan. The first shock occurred at noon Thursday, Jan. 17. This was followed by another and in three minutes the town was in ruins.

There was enormous loss of life, and most of the victims were crushed to death by falling buildings, but many were burned, the ruins in which they were entangled having caught fire. Six hundred persons were entombed in a mosque while engaged in prayer. Six hundred other persons perished in the various baths. Not a single building remains standing in the town.

MRS. DRAYTON'S ANSWER.

One Hearing Postponed, the Other Will Be Held on Tuesday.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 26.—The hearing in the Drayton divorce case, which was set down for argument before Special Master Knight at Bernardsville, N. J., on Monday next, was indefinitely postponed yesterday on motion of Mrs. Coleman Drayton's counsel, Lawyer Vredenberg, and by the mutual consent of all the attorneys in the case.

Lawyer Vredenberg said that Mrs. Drayton wished to amend her answer, and hence the desire for postponement next in this city will be held on that day.

New York State Baseball League.

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 26.—It has been definitely settled that Binghamton will have a baseball team next season, this city having been admitted to membership in the New York State league of baseball clubs at a conference held in Albany yesterday. The circuit agreed upon is as follows: Albany, Troy, Amsterdam, Johnstown, Gloversville, Schenectady, Elmira and Binghamton.

Five Years for His Embezzlement.

Hudson, N. Y., Jan. 26.—William F. Rossman jr., who embezzled $10,000 from the National Hudson River bank of this city, has been sentenced by Justice Fursman, in the circuit court here, to five years at hard labor in Dannemora prison. Rossman pleaded guilty.

Tom Kinslow Traded to Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Jan. 26.—The Pittsburg Baseball club has traded Pitcher Ad Gumbert to the Brooklyn Ball club in exchange for Catcher Tom Kinslow. There was no money consideration in the deal.

The McNeill Train Robbery.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Jan. 26.—The robbers of the Cotton Belt train at McNeil secured $25,000 from the express company.

Forger Quigley Sentenced.

New York, Jan. 26.—Broker Quigley, the forger, was sentenced yesterday to fifteen years and six months in state prison.

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I remembered where I had seen spots of blood before—on the papers I had handed to Ferret—and remembered, too, where that blood had come from. I looked at the cut now, and, finding it nearly healed, sprang in my saddle. Of a certainty this paper had gone through my hands that day! It had been among the others—therefore it must have been passed to Ferret inside another when I first opened the bag! The rogue, getting it and seeing his opportunity, and that I did not suspect, had doubtless secreted it, probably while I was attending to my hand.

I had not suspected him before, because I had ticked off the earlier papers as I handed them to him; and had searched only among the rest and in the bag for the missing one. Now I wondered that I had not done so, and seen the truth from the beginning; and in my impatience I found the leagues through the forest, though the sun was not yet high and the trees sheltered us, the longest I had ridden in my life. When the roofs of the chateau at length appeared before us, I could scarcely keep my pace within bounds. Reflecting how Mme. de Verneuil had overreached herself, and how, by indulging in that last stroke of arrogance, she had placed the secret in my hands, I had much ado to refrain from going to the king booted and unwashed as I was, and though I had not eaten since the previous evening.

However, the habit of propriety, which no man may lightly neglect, came to my aid. I made my toilet, and having broken my fast standing, hastened to the court. On the way I learned that the king was in the queen's garden, and, directing my steps thither, found him walking with my colleagues, Villeroy and Sillery, in the little avenue which leads to the garden of the Conciergerie. A number of the courtiers were standing on the low terrace watching them, while a second group lounged about the queen's staircase. Full of the news which I had for the king, I crossed the terrace, taking no particular heed of anyone, but greeting such as came in my way in my usual fashion. At the edge of the terrace I paused a moment before descending the three steps; and at the same moment, as it happened, Henry looked up and our eyes met. On the instant he averted his gaze, and, turning on his heel in a marked way, retired slowly to the farther end of the walk.

The action was so deliberate that I could not doubt he meant to slight me; and I paused where I was, divided between grief and indignation, a mark for all those glances and whispered gibes in which courtiers indulge on such occasions. The slight was not rendered less serious by the fact that the king was walking with my two colleagues; so that I alone seemed to be out of his confidence, as one soon to be out of his councils also.

I perceived all this, and was not blind to the sneering smiles which were exchanged behind my back; but I affected to see nothing, and to be absorbed in sudden thought. In a minute or two the king turned and came back towards me; again, as if he could not restrain his curiosity, looked up so that our eyes met. This time I thought that he would beckon me to him, satisfied with the lengths to which he had already carried his displeasure. But he turned again, with a light laugh.

OUR EYES MET.

At this a courtier, one of Sillery's creatures, who had presumed on the occasion so far as to come to my elbow, thought that he might safely amuse himself with me. "I am afraid that the king grows older, M. de Rosny," he said, smirking at his companions. "His sight seems to be failing."

"It should not be neglected, then," I said, grimly. "I will tell him presently what you say."

He fell back, looking foolish at that, at the very moment that Henry, having taken another turn, dismissed Villeroy, who, wiser than the puppy at my elbow, greeted me with particular civility as he passed. Freed from him, Henry stood a moment hesitating. He told me afterwards that he had not turned from me a yard before his heart smote him; and that but for a mischievous curiosity to see how I should take it, he would not have carried the matter so far. Be that as it may—and I do not doubt this any more than I ever doubted the reality of the affection in which he held me—on a sudden he raised his hand and beckoned to me.

I went down to him gravely, and not hurriedly. He looked at me with some signs of confusion in his face. "You are late this morning," he said.

"I have been on your majesty's business," I answered.

"I do not doubt that," he replied, querulously, his eyes wandering. "I am not—I am troubled this morning." And after a fashion he had when he was not at his ease, he ground his heel into the soil and looked down at the mark. "The queen is not well. Sillery has seen her and will tell you so."

M. de Sillery, whose constant opposition to me at the council board I have elsewhere described, began to affirm it. I let him go on for a little time and then interrupted him brusquely. "I think it was you," I said, "who nominated Ferret to be one of the king's clerks."

"Ferret?" he exclaimed, reddening at my tone, while the king, who knew me well, pricked up his ears.

"Yes," I said: "Ferret."

"And if so?" Sillery asked, haughtily. "What do you mean?"

"Only this," I said. "That if his majesty will summon him to the queen's closet, without warning or delay, and ask him in her presence how much Mme. de Verneuil gave him for the king's cipher, her majesty, I think, will learn something which she wishes to know."

"What?" the king cried. "You have discovered it? But he gave you a receipt for the papers he took."

"For the papers he took with my knowledge—yes, sire."

"The rogue!" Sillery exclaimed viciously. "I will go and fetch him."

"Not so—with your majesty's leave," I said, interposing quickly. "M. de Sillery may say too much or too little.

"WHAT!" THE KING CRIED, "YOU HAVE DISCOVERED IT."

Let a lackey take a message, bidding him to go to the queen's closet, and he will suspect nothing."

The king assented and bade me go and give the order. When I returned, he asked me anxiously if I felt sure that the man would confess.

"Yes, if you pretend to know all, sire," I answered. "He will think that madame has betrayed him."

"Very well," Henry said. "Then let us go."

But I declined to be present; partly on the ground that if I were there the queen might suspect me of inspiring the man, and partly because I thought that the rogue would entertain a more confident hope of pardon, and be more likely to confess, if he saw the king alone. I contrived to keep Sillery also; and Henry giving the word, as he mounted the steps, that he should be back presently, the whole court remained in a state of suspense, aware that something was in progress but in doubt what, and unable to decide whether I were again in favor or now on trial.

Sillery remained talking to me, principally on English matters, until the dinner hour; which came and went, neglected by all. At length, when the curiosity of the mass of couriers, who did not dare to interrupt us, had been raised by delay to an almost intolerable pitch, the king returned, with signs of disorder in his bearing; and, crossing the terrace in half a dozen strides, drew me hastily, along with Sillery, into the grove of white mulberry trees. There we were no sooner hidden in part, though not completely, then he threw his arms about me and embraced me with the warmest expressions. "Ah, my friend," he said, putting me from him at last, "what shall I say to you?"

"The queen is satisfied, sire?"

"Perfectly; and desires to be commended to you."

"He confessed, then?"

Henry nodded, with a look in his face that I did not understand. "Yes," he said, "fully. It was as you thought, my friend. God have mercy upon him!"

I started. "What?" I said. "Has he—"

The king nodded, and could not repress a shudder. "Yes," he said; "but not, thank Heaven, until he had left the closet. He had something about him."

Sillery began anxiously to clear himself; but the king, with his usual good nature, stopped him, and bade us all go and dine, saying that we must be famished. He ended by directing me to be back in an hour, since his own appetite was spoiled. "And bring with you all your patience," he added, "for I have a hundred questions to ask you. We will walk toward Avon, and I will show you the surprise which I am preparing for the queen."

Alas, I would I could say that all ended there. But the rancour of which Mme. de Verneuil had given token in her interview with me was rather aggravated than lessened by the failure of her plot and the death of her tool. It proved to be impenetrable by all the kindnesses which the king lavished upon her; neither the legitimation of the child which she soon afterwards bore, nor the clemency which the king—against the advice of his wisest ministers—extended to her brother Auvergne, availing to expel it from her breast. How far she or that ill-omened family were privy to the accursed crime which, nine years later, palsied France on the threshold of undreamed-of glories, I will not take on myself to say; for suspicion is not proof. But history, of which my beloved master must ever form so great a part, will lay the blame where it should rest.

[THE END.]

—D. D. Smalley has hung out a sign on Somerset street telling the public that he is in the real estate and insurance business.

—The Aid Society of Reform Hall report urgent need of clothing for men and boys. Any persons who have such to give can leave it at Mrs. King's, 226 West Second street, or at the hall.

—Anything in dress goods, linen, blankets, or notions, may be bought at bargain prices, at the great inventory sale of Heath & Drake, the celebrated Newark house. The sale continues till next Saturday night.

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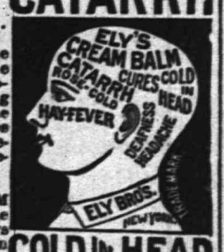

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Such a little thing hides the sun,
A sudden cloud or a wall of mist,
And we moan "The day is done!"
Such a little thing hides the sun, sweetheart,
The top of waving tree,
A summer shower, of the sunshine born,
A mist that dips in the sea.

Such a little thing hides the sun, sweetheart,
But isn't it joy to know
That the sun still shines behind the clouds;
That the soft, warm winds will blow
Till the wall of mist shall be blown aside
And the shadows flee away,
And the sun behind the western hills
Gives pledge of a brighter day!
—Florence A. Jones in Minneapolis Housekeeper.

KID GLOVES.

Interesting Facts About the Skins Which Cover or Adorn the Hands.

Barefooted boys and hens form a curious partnership in the making of a pair of fine gloves.

They work together in preparing the skins for the hands of the fashionable woman who rushes to the stores every time a new shade of glove is announced.

Thousands of dozens of hens' eggs are used in curing the hides, and thousands of boys are employed to work the skins in clear water by treading on them for several hours.

When a woman buys a pair of gloves, she speaks of her purchase as "kids." If the clerk who sold her the "kid" gloves knew the secrets of the glove-making business, he might surprise his fair customer by telling her that those beautiful, soft, smooth fitting "kid" gloves came from the shoulders and belly of a 3-weeks-old colt whose neck was slit on the plains of Russia, and whose tender hide was shipped with huge bundles of other colts' hides to France, where they were made up into "kid" gloves, or he might with equal regard to the truth tell her that those gloves in the other compartment once darted from tree to tree in South America on the back of a ring tailed monkey. And if he made the rounds of the store and could distinguish one skin from another he could point out "kid" gloves made from the skins of kangaroos from Australia; lambs or sheep from Ohio or Spain or England; calves from India, muskrats from anywhere, musk oxen from China and other parts of Asia; rats, cats and Newfoundland puppies.

But the little Russian colt, the four footed baby from the plains where the Cossacks live, the colt from the steppes of Siberia, where horses are raised by the thousand, supply the skins which are the favorites at present with the glovemakers. Experts say that the colt-skin makes a better, stronger, finer glove than real kidskin, and as the colt is a little fellow only 3 weeks old when he is killed but a small amount of skin can be made into gloves, so that the price is about as high.

But, after all, the real kid, the lively infant of the goats which live in France, Switzerland, Spain and Italy, furnishes the best, finest and most expensive gloves, and nearly 10,000,000 kids are sacrificed every year in order that women and men may cramp their hands in wrinkleless, delicate hued gloves.—Chicago Record.

The Old Time Singing School.

In the old colonial days when the great and the great-great-grandmothers were young the singing school was a well established institution, writes Mary E. Estes in a very accurate article telling exactly how "the old time concert" may be reproduced at a church entertainment in Ladies' Home Journal. It was usually held in the village schoolhouse, the schoolmaster often figuring as the singing master. Thither at regular intervals through the long winter months tripped the grandmas with their escorts. Little did they imagine as they lifted up their sweet voices in unison with the strong tenors and bassos that those same airs, even the very gowns they wore, would at some distant day be reproduced for the benefit of an appreciative audience. Yet it may be safely asserted that with the exception of the colonial tea the old folks' concert is the most popular of the old time entertainments.

The success of an undertaking of this sort depends largely upon the adaptability for her office of the person having the affair in hand. She must of necessity have an accurate conception of the manner in which these entertainments were conducted in our grandmothers' day. She must also become thoroughly imbued with the spirit of bat olden time.

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CLUBS OF EVE'S DAUGHTERS.

How the Woman's Club Movement Has Grown in the State, With Plainfield As Its Centre.

(Florence Howe Hall of Plainfield in The New Cycle.)

Now that State Federation in New Jersey is an accomplished fact, and while we are all congratulating ourselves upon the formation of a new association which will, we believe, prove a blessing and power in the land, it seems a fitting moment for the chairman of correspondence to say somethings about the clubs of the State and about the origin of the movement for State Federation.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, who visited the Monday Afternoon Club of Plainfield about the time when the General Federation of Women's Clubs was formed, told us of the plan to form a State Association in Massachusetts, a plan the execution of which was deferred for some time, in order not to interfere with the G. F. W. C. movement. The chairman of correspondence for New Jersey, at an early period of her work, came to the conclusion that a State federation, auxiliary to the National, would be a very desirable thing in a compact little State like ours, and the luncheon given by the Monday Afternoon Club of Plainfield, at which delegates from the various New Jersey clubs were present, may be said to have been the first step toward State federation (the president of the club being at that time the chairman of correspondence also).

The Monday Afternoon Club of Plainfield shares with the Orange Club the honor of being a charter member of the G. F. W. C. It was organized in 1868, being the outgrowth of mothers' meetings, at which educational subjects were discussed. The founder was Miss Eliza Elvira Kenyon. In imitation of the Orange Club (who placed the name of Mrs. Louisa L. Riley as that of their founder in their club Manual), the Monday Afternoon Club inscribed her name and title in their Year Book, a custom which it might be well for other clubs to follow. The result of the "rotation in office" theory sometimes reminds one of the ingratitude of Republics The Monday Afternoon Club is extremely popular in Plainfield, and though its membership has increased from 75 to 125, there is still a formidable waiting list. The yearly fee, $5, is rather large for a suburban club; but it enables the club to engage the services of the best lecturers, and to pay them the prices they ask. The club depends largely upon home talent, however, which furnish our bill of fare for about ten out of our fifteen meetings for study. A peculiar feature of our club was its "shadow", a club of gentlemen who discussed the subjects upon our programme.

A course of three lectures by John Fiske, to which our fellow-townspeople were invited without charge, was a feature of last year's work. "The Silent Classes of the Nation", proved full of interest, the Indians, the Chinese, and the women being the three classes considered. Contrary to all expectation the debate on the Chinese was more animated than on woman suffrage.

The Club of Current Events has a cosey membership of twenty-five, all residents of Washington Park, Plainfield. It is generous and hospitable, however, in inviting guests to be present at its social meetings and lectures, and we are glad to avail ourselves of this very agreeable privilege. The club was founded in 1891. Every member must serve on a standing committee (of which there are seven this year, numbered from A to G) and take her part in providing the club's programme. In addition to current events, which are presented at every meeting, some special subject is studied. For the present year architecture was the main topic during several weeks. Political economy is now occupying the attention of the club, and on March 6 an interesting programme of "British Essayists" will begin.

Two Great Stars in "Two Orphans".

In "The Two Orphans" in Music Hall tonight, Mme. Janauschek will be seen for the first time in Plainfield in the role of Countess de Linieres. She invests the part with an unwonted dignity and impressiveness, and in the great climax at the end of the fifth act she rises to the heights of emotional power to which she has accustomed us. The spiritual meaning of those cries of anguish, that rigidity of the strong countenance, are beyond praise, and thrilling. Miss Claxton's impersonation needs scarce a word. It has the same aerie charm and soft appealingness as ever, and shows the actress in a part that is perfectly adapted to her.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

MANY CASES IN COURT.

Plainfield Attorneys Bring Various Suits for Damages.

Reed & Coddington have brought important suits in various courts as stated below:

Suit in Supreme Court today of August Bloom against Plainfield Street Railroad Company for personal injuries sustained about one year ago by a car striking plaintiff's wagon, dragging him on the ground and inflicting injuries which caused rupture and other complications. Suit brought for $2,000.

Also in Supreme Court, the suit of Henry L. Kline against Plainfield Street Railroad Company for personal injuries received by plaintiff on Somerset street last August by which arm and shoulder were so bruised as to render him unable to work. Suit brought for $1,000.

For Messrs. Tilden & Co., of Albany, N. Y., a suit on contract against Edward J. Richards, and for George T. Gambrill of Baltimore, Md., a suit on contract against Daniel Crowley.

In Justice Court the suit of Mr. Swody of Warrenville against The Plainfield Electric Light Company, for injuries to plaintiff's horse, which, while standing in front of Arnold's store last Summer received an electric shock which caused him to run, breaking wagon and causing other damage. Suit for $200.

In Chancery Court the case of Mary L. Force against Frank P. Huff and others, the papers of which were served last week by Sheriff Kyte. The suit involves $4,000.

Sale of the Bartlett Estate.

(From The New York Advertiser.)

Quite different was the management of the Abner Bartlett estate sale where everything on the catalogue was sold from beginning to end. And yet right here an entire and sudden postponement, if proposed, would not have been found fault with. For on the morning of the sale the widow of the late owner, Mrs. Medora Bartlett, mother of Abner Bartlett, Jr., of Plainfield, had died, which fact gave sadness to the proceedings. But then it was a matter of keeping faith with the people who had come from all parts of the city to ascertain what the Bartlett property would sell for, and the sale went right along and showed the justness and accuracy of the investor's original judgment. Though most of it was in off-color localities, over $220,000 was realized, the best price paid being $68,000 for the southeast corner of Rivington and Attorney streets.

A Stallion Runs Away.

Shortly after 4 Saturday afternoon a stallion owned by John Johnson of Dunellen, and driven by his man Peter, got beyond his control just as he turned the corner of Watchung avenue, and started up Second street at a lively gait. He narrowly escaped being thrown as he ran by Carty & Stryker's wagon which was hitched near their store, and slightly scratched it as he flew past. The runaway hugged the curb until he passed New street, where the front wheel of the vehicle came in collision with a telegraph pole and the horse stopped back of a delivery wagon which was fortunately hitched to a post but a short distance further up Second street. Peter was badly frightened, but escaped injury. Mr. Johnson, who had stopped for a few minutes at Lawyer DeMeza's office, was notified, and left the damaged carriage in Plainfield for repairs.

Cub of Bear and Haunch of Moose.

W. K. McClure and Randolph M. Stelle are still telling of the glories of the last Megantic Club dinner which they attended in Boston. Mac is always greeted with particular warmth at these gatherings because he never misses one of them, in spite of the distance he has to travel. The banquet this year was held in Hotel Vendome, and the menu was a true sportsman's bill. Besides the dishes it contained a photograph of the elegant assortment of game displayed in front of the club-house after the latest hunt. The songs and speeches filled the next day's issues of the Boston newspapers, and you may be sure that the Plainfielders gave good account of themselves. The Megantic is a great institution, and McClure is its Depew.

Lectured and Released.

Christopher Russ, who was arrested Saturday by Policeman Cooney for being drunk and disorderly, was given a hearing before Judge Coddington this morning. Russ pleaded guilty to the chage, but on the evidence of his employer in the Potter Press Works that he was the only support of his mother and sister, and because of other mitigating circumstances in the case, the Judge suspended sentence, first, however, giving the young man fatherly advice.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FOR SHOOTING EVANS.

The Boys Kane and Walsh Indicted and Admitted to Bail.

In the indictments against Peter Kane and James Walsh, for the manslaughter of Morres Evans, for which the boys were arrested and lodged in jail Saturday night, bail will be fixed by the Court today through the influence of Reed & Coddington, who have been retained to represent the boys in the case.

Chief Grant's Timely Services.

Mrs. Albert, with her daughter and son, drove from Scotch Plains to Plainfield Saturday night to do their shopping. After they had transacted their business they started for home, and when they reached Coles's Hill on East Front street, a horse and wagon coming in the opposite direction, in which were two young men under the influence of liquor, collided with them. Mrs. Albert was thrown out and sustained several bruises. The children escaped injury.

A colored man happened to be driving along at the time, and seeing the accident, gave assistance. In the meantime Mrs. Albert's rig had got away. Mrs. Albert secured the services of the colored man to bring her back to Plainfield, where she sought Captain of Police G. W. Grant.

He, in company with Policeman Frederickson, got a horse and wagon and started after the young men. After a search they were informed that the lost rig was in front of Griffin's hardware store. They came back and found the wagon there.

Mrs. Albert and her children succeeded in getting home at a late hour. The young men, it is understood, are well-known in Plainfield.

Kellar Tomorrow Night.

Feight of hand and strength of intellect are combined in Kellar, the prince of living wonder workers, who will be seen in Music Hall tomorrow night with the entire new and marvelous performance which he has just perfected after a season of original research in the old world into the very latest achievements of magical art. "The Mystic Light of Bala" has baffled every plausible explanation. "The Shrine of Koomra Samil" cannot fail to amaze and delight American audiences, the most critical in the world. "The Talking Image" is as marvelous as it appears to be simple. These are only the leading novelties of the most remarkable programme ever offered in this city.

Solomon—Evans.

The marriage of Miss Eva Evans, daughter of the late Morres Evans, to Samuel Solomon, took place yesterday afternoon at 5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bloch, corner of Second and Liberty streets. Rabbi Gororwitz officiated. The joyousness of the wedding was subdued by the sad absence of the lamented father who had planned the wedding and had anticipated with much joy the coming event before his sudden death. In consequence of the recent bereavement the affair was a quiet one. A large number of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony.

Lost Her Shopping Money.

Mrs. Radin of North avenue went to New York a few days ago to do some shopping. She had about $30 in her pocketbook. When she left the cars at Jersey City she dropped the pocketbook from her lap, but did not miss it till she reached New York. The loss was advertised, but she has not recovered her money.

About a year ago Mrs. Radin had a similar misfortune, when she lost all the money she had with her, and was obliged to return home without her purchases.

The Verdi Quartette.

The Montclair Herald speaks thus of the Ladies Quartette of Brooklyn, which will appear in the new Y. M. C. A. Hall February 5: "The Verdi Ladies Quartette will not soon be forgotten by those who were so fortunate as to hear them sing at the Club last Monday evening. It is seldom that four such fine well trained voices are found in any quartette. Each lady is a soloist."

Profits, $125.

Notwithstanding the fact that the tea of the Ladies Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed Church was not as well patronized as it should have been, Mrs. E. T. VanWinkle, chairman of the committee who worked so hard for its success, is rejoicing in the fact that about $125 was realized as the result of their labors.

He Is a Rev.

A surprise to most Plainfield people will be the announcement that D. A. MacPhie, physical instructor of the Y. M. C. A., is, besides being a Christian gentleman, a minister of the Gospel, and entitled to the prefix Rev. He preached yesterday in the Westfield Presbyterian Church.

—The Epworth League of Monroe Avenue Chapel will give an entertainment tomorrow night; and Monday night, Feb. 4, the Ladies Aid Society of Monroe Chapel will give an entertainment.

RETURN OF NEW YORK TROOPS.

Practical End of the Trolley Strike in Brooklyn.

After exactly one week's service in maintaining order in the streets of Brooklyn, the troops began to move homeward this morning, the trolley strike being practically over; all but three of the various branches of the three systems which were tied up two weeks ago were in operation, and 616 cars out of a compliment of 985 were running almost on the full day schedule.

HAMPTON EXECUTED.

Sing Sing, Jan. 28—David Hampton, the murderer, was killed by electricity at 11:15:13 this morning. He died in fifty-seven seconds.

BY THE WAY.

—Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, will meet tonight.

—Herbert Cleaves of Netherwood avenue has entered the butcher business, operating a wagon route.

—White of Plainfield received 100 cases of granite ironware Saturday, which is put on sale today at half the usual prices.

—A Parochial Mission will be held in Grace P. E Church, Thursday February 14. Rev. Mr. Barrett, Missioner of New York, will be present.

—The heating facilities at the Commercial Palace are to be increased, the present number of radiators not being sufficient to do the work thoroughly.

—Freeholder John Tier having been interested in the condition of the culvert at Midway and Netherwood avenues, where the water overflows and washes across the roadbed to a depth of one to two feet, the probability is that a speedy remedy will be effected, as the right man it in hand.

—The Ladies Society of St. Stephen's Church, Netherwood, will meet at the residence of Mrs. A. J. Beal, South avenue, Tuesday aftereoon, and the Altar Society will hold a meeting at the residence of S. P. Simpson, Putnam avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 5, when a full attendance is requested.

—Frank Wright, the Indian evangelist, though still weak from recent severe hemorrhages, will attempt to hold meetings in Orange on alternate evenings during the week, and if his health will permit will continue the good work which he has so much at heart in this city the week following the Y. M. C. A. State Convention.

Confirmation by the Bishop.

At the new Episcopal Parish of St. Stephen's, Netherwood, Sunday afternoon for the first time in its history was performed the holy rite of confirmation by Rt. Rev. John Scarborough, Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey. The attendance was large many having come from Plainfield, the result being the necessity of some standing, every seat being occupied.

Seven candidates presented themselves at the altar a worthy token of the faithful work of their pastor Rev. S. P. Simpson, and were duly received and confirmed by the bishop, after which he gave words of encouragement to those who had thus early taken upon themselves the responsibilities of the Christian life, and to the congregation and members of the church the bishop gave his sincerest congratulations upon the step they had taken in thus assuming the dignity of a parish church. In concluding the venerable bishop referring to the prayers offered for one who had recovered from sickness, said that he took it to himself as being especially fitting to his case how but a short time ago his life seemed almost gone, but now through God's mercy he was again able to be about his Master's work. And he further said the coming Sunday will complete the twentieth year of his consecration, and at which time he proposes, God willing, to again present himself at the altar of St. Mary's Church, Burlington, where he originally made his vows.

The church was still in its Christmas decoration of greens and holly. The music was presided over by Mr. Wheeler and the usual number of the surplice choir. The closing hymn "Oh Mother Dear Jerusalem" was heartily sung by all present with an enthusiasm that spoke well for the interest of those in attendance.

The Meeting to Be a Rouser.

At the meeting of John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, Tuesday evening, Feb. 5, it is expected that delegations from Hugh B. Reed Camp, No. 40, of Somerville, and from the Flemington Camp, will be present.

The members of both Grand Army posts and the Women's Relief Corps will also be invited. Several good speakers will be present and a rousing meeting is anticipated.

Encouraging Optimism.

All things are ordered for the best,
The optimistic man maintains,
A theory that daily test
With oft-arising doubt arraigns,
But when he orders coal, he knows
He'll find endorsement of his view
If he to Geo. O. Stevens goes—
West Front St., near Grant avenue.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Albert Jaeger, the West End tonsorial artist, is renovating his shop throughout.

—F. H. Andrews will lead the Christian Endeavor meeting in Hope Chapel tomorrow evening.

—All the electric cars excepting No 2 were off duty for repairs Saturday at different times.

—The pupils in the Bryant School held special exercises Friday morning in honor of Burns's birthday.

—Several employes of the Pond Machine Tool Company were laid off Saturday, on account of slack work.

—A consecration meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of Trinity Reformed Church will be held tonight at 8.

—Car No. 4, of the Somerset street line, lost two trips early Saturday evening on account of a break in the controller.

—The Bathbone Sisters have rented Red Men's Hall for Feb. 13, when they will give an entertainment and dance.

—An invitation is extended to the friends of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist Church to be present at their social tomorrow evening.

—Fifteen young men exercised in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Saturday afternoon. The regular work under the direction of Mr. MacPhie commences tonight.

—T. J. Pruden and E. H. Holmes have purchased through J. T. Vail two lots on South avenue near the Netherwood station. Mr. Pruden will build a house on one of them.

—Thule Lodge, a Swedish organization, held a successful dance in Red Men's Hall Saturday night. The attendance was large, and a thoroughly enjoyable time was had. Refreshments were served about midnight.

—Dr. Morse, a well known Westfield physician, who has made a specialty of researches for new remedies for many years, has discovered cures, unknown to other physicians, for nearly all diseases, and as a result, is having astonishing success.

—The cleaning of Music Hall has been made most complete. The mattings were taken up, and the dirt that was shoveled up amounted to two cartloads. The floors have been scrubbed, and the house is now as clean as soap and water can make it.

—An elegant lot of massive cut-glass bottles has been received at Leggett's pharmacy, for the tasteful display of extracts, sold at this popular store in bulk, thus distributing their fragrance at the least cost to the purchaser, and in quantity to suit.

—"The Tenant of the Narrow House", a real-life romance by Howard Fielding, begins in this issue, and will occupy the serial columns of page 8 during this week, concluding in Saturday's issue. It is a story of much dramatic force and strong human interest.

—Fondville appreciates her postoffice sub-station, and Adam Young is a most efficient and obliging agent. Anything in the line of the postal service can be procured at his place of business. The boxes for newspapers and for letters, in front of his shop, are very convenient.

—Large delegations are expected to go from Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, and Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G. A. R., to the encampment in Trenton, Feb. 8 Commander-in-Chief Thomas G. Lawler of Illinois will be present. The Women's Relief Corps hold their encampment at the same time.

—The Young Ladies Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church conducted a very successful cake and candy sale Saturday afternoon in the chapel of the church. It was intended chiefly for housekeepers, and many useful articles were purchased by the large number of persons present.

—A live merchant and wideawake workman is E. E. Marshall, who at 167 North avenue has just opened 10,000 rolls of new wallpaper of the latest designs. Mr. Marshall is prepared to do painting and interior decorating in all its branches, and his skill and taste are revealed in the decorations in many Plainfield homes.

—The following committee on entertainment was appointed yesterday at the First Baptist Church: R. K. Case, O. B. Leonard, Frank Jones, L. W. Randolph, Harold Serrell. The object of the committee is to provide free entertainment among the families of the church for delegates to the coming Y. M. C. A. Convention.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; your price 45c and 90c

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Edith Robinson is a victim of the grip.

Mrs. Wm. G. Gray of 217 Grant avenue is ill at her home.

Harry Foose of South Second street is visiting in Newark.

Raymond Hodge of Somerset street is improving from his illness.

Miss Sadie Howell of Willow avenue is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

James Beekman of West Eighth street has just recovered from the grip.

Mrs E. E. Hann is very much improved from a severe attack of erysipelas.

John Hickey and Harry McComas are spending a few days in Poughkeepsie.

Miss Lilla Livezy of Park avenue is out again after a severe attack of the grip.

George Goodman of 192 Somerset street is still quite ill with an attack as asthma.

Miss Amy Case of West Fourth street is confined to her home with the influenza.

The condition of Hiram Hornish does not improve, and he is gradually sinking.

Miss Eleanor Roome of Sycamore avenue, Washington Park, is ill with the grip.

Miss Roberta Baker of Brooklyn was a welcome guest among Plainfield friends yesterday.

Charles Stover of New York spent Sunday at the home of his father, Rowland M. Stover.

Miss Agnes LaBoyteaux of East Sixth street is confined to the house with a severe cold

Arthur, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo T. Ayers of Grant avenue, has diphtheria.

M. E. Beach of Watchung avenue is able to be about after a few days illness with the grip.

Mrs. J. C. VanDyke and daughter Miss Maude are ill with the grip at their home on East Front street.

Thomas J. Young of Somerset street is still very ill. His friends hope he will soon be around again.

Miss Jessie Kethel of Staten Island is being entertained by Mrs. G. W. Rogers of Rockview avenue.

Ramsey Blair of East Second street, who has been confined to the house with the grip, is slowly recovering.

Horace J. Martin returned yesterday with his family from Manasquan, where they have been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Garretson of West Front street spent Sunday in Somerville as guests of Mrs. J. F. Sharp.

Miss Essie Thompson of Farragut avenue has been obliged to leave school for a month on account of her health.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Woolley and daughter Helen Louise, of Westfield, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Michael Watson and family of Grant avenue leave Friday for Gloversville, to spend a short time with friends and relatives.

Wm. Rockwell, Jr., who has been traveling extensively, is stopping at the home of his father, Wm. Rockwell, East Front street.

James, Jr., young son of Mr. and Mrs. James McInnes of South Second street, is slightly improved after an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Judson of Paris, Ill., accompanied by her daughter Miss Jean, are guests at the home of ex-Mayor John H. VanWinkle of Duer street.

Horace J. Martin spent Sunday with friends out of town, and Mr. Batson filled his place as precentor in the Congregational Church yesterday morning.

J. F. Townsend, son of J. E. Townsend of Craig place, returned Saturday night from an extended trip with an opera company. He is connected with the orchestra.

Jacob Sperling, a valued employe of the Scott Printing Machine Works, has returned home for a short time, after several months absence erecting printing presses.

John Kirkner, Jr., who was taken ill so suddenly with pneumonia a few days ago, is in a critical condition. The disease has about reached a crisis. Dr. B. VanD. Hedges is in attendance.

Mrs. B. T. Barnes of Norwood avenue is confined to her home with the grip, and was unable to fill her usual place as organist in the Congregational Church. Her seat was occupied yesterday by Louis Newman of West Fifth street.

The Sunday music by the choir of the First Baptist Church was finely rendered. Wm. Holmes sang a pleasing solo with choir accompaniment during the offertory at the morning service. George Snediker of Duer street was an addition to the choir. Mr. Fitzhugh is producing great results with the excellent voices he is training.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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Mexico Will Not Arbitrate the Pending Trouble.

Prophesied That She May Settle the Boundary Dispute with Guatemala by Appropriating the Whole Republic — Great Activity at the Government Arms Factory.

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—A special from the City of Mexico says: Nothing is heard here now but rumors of war, which seems inevitable. All the opposition papers are siding with the Diaz government and some extravagant proffers of aid are made from foreign residents. E. C. Ord Post of the G. A. R., has passed resolutions of fealty to the government. A number of union veterans, including an American general have signified their willingness to go to the front for Mexico if their services will be accepted.

The memorial will be presented to General Diaz to-morrow by a committee from the post, consisting of General Agramonte and Col. W. J. De Gress. Captain McDonald, of the Texas rangers, has tendered his services to Col. R. S. Pate, with 200 scouts, in case of war. Col. Pate served with Gen. Joe Shelby in Mexico at the close of the civil war, and at his call thousands would cross the line.

The president and several members of the cabinet were in secret session all day. It is stated the government is now studying the treaty of 1882, which Guatemala ignores. Article four in the treaty calls for arbitration. It is rumored that Mexico will not arbitrate. The feeling is general here among the Americans that Mexico's cause is right.

Should war break out between Mexico and Guatemala this country would be entirely prepared for the emergency and would have its 20,000 troops now on the Guatemalan frontier ready to move on the enemy at an hour's notice, without waiting for supplies or having other hindrances.

The rifles used in the Mexican army are Remingtons, and additional supplies are on hand for the arming of any additional troops which may be put into the field. Appearances are that Mexico will operate on both the north and west sides of Guatemala for the invasion of that republic should occasion demand. It is prophesied in some quarters that Mexico will settle the boundary line dispute by appropriating the whole Guatemalan republic as a part of the United States of Mexico with the City of Mexico as its capital.

Great activity is evident at the government arms factory in this city. Fifty thousand cartridges for the use of the Mexican army are being turned out every week, and these are being rushed to the Guatemalan border, with other supplies, as fast as steam and sail can carry them.

There was a marked silence about the government offices yesterday in connection with the Guatemalan episode. The same guarded attitude is felt when one is in the presence of those in a position to know what is the exact state of affairs and a generally uncommunicative policy is shown. The exceeding delicacy of the situation is evidently fully appreciated as is also the knowledge that a slip of the tongue or a miss-step at this moment may plunge affairs into a crisis most grave in its results.

Washington, Jan. 28.—No confirmation of the report that the efforts of the United States government to secure the consent of the governments of Mexico and Guatemala to refer the existing difficulties between them to a third party for settlement had proved successful could be had last night.

Senor Romero, the Mexican minister, said he had received no information from his government. In the circumstances surrounding the matter the minister begged to be excused from discussing the aspects of the situation, further than to say that while it was critical he did not despair of an amicable adjustment being reached by the representatives of the two countries.

The Mexican officials, he said, were proceeding with prudence and with a due care for the best interests of the nation and he hoped to be advised of a satisfactory settlement.

Arms for Mexico.

San Francisco, Jan. 28.—The steamer St. Paul just sailed for Mexican ports had in its cargo thirty-three cases of cartridges, one case rifles and one of shells. They were to be landed at Mazatalan. The shipment was hurriedly taken to the steamer and stowed so it would be reached quickly when the vessel reaches the port to which it was consigned.

Caught in the Ice.

Babylon, L. I., Jan. 28.—Captain John Arnold, of this place, had a narrow escape from perishing in the bay Saturday night. He was caught in an ice floe and could neither retreat or advance, and if other bay men had not worked for hours to save him he would undoubtedly have perished.

British Steamer in Collision.

London, Jan. 28.—The British steamer Michigan, Capt. Findlay, which sailed from this port on the 25th inst., for Baltimore, has returned here, having been in collision with an unknown steamer off Dungeness. The Michigan's starboard bow is cut down to the water's edge.

Hotel Castle Partly Burned.

New York, Jan. 28.—A fire caused by a lace curtain blowing into a lighted gas jet on the fourth floor of the Hotel Castle, corner of 103d street and Amsterdam avenue last night, caused a loss of fully $100,000.

MANY LIVES IN PERIL

Nine Scows and Two Barges Adrift Off the Coast.

New York, Jan. 28.—There are nine scows and at least two barges adrift or ashore off the coast as the result of the terrific southwester which has been raging since early Saturday evening off the Jersey and Long Island shores.

Early on Saturday afternoon the Mutual Towing company's tug Governor, Capt. Reynolds, started for sea with the two city dumping scows Nos. 2 and 12. The dumps are provided with patent mechanical dumping and were loaded heavily with city refuse.

When about ten miles off shore, at a point off Rockaway, the men on the vessels were signalled to empty the scows. The levers were thrown, and as the scows released of their heavy loads of refuse, rose high in the air a greatly increased area of hull was presented to the howling gale.

The line soon parted and the scows drifted into the breakers on Rockaway shoals. The crew of the Governor made several ineffectual attempts to pass the drifting scows a line, but were prevented by the turbulent waters. The gale became so severe that the captain was compelled to look for shelter in the lower bay.

The scows are staunch and may ride the gale. There are two men on each of them, all Americans, and nothing had been heard of them this morning.

The other scows broke their anchorage on Saturday night and had one man on each of them. Tugs have gone to their rescue, but as yet nothing has been heard of them.

THE COLOMBIA REVOLUTION.

No Official Notification Received as Yet at Washington.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Official notification of the revolution in the United States of Colombia has not yet been given to the heads of departments in Washington, and in the absence of it they decline to discuss the situation as outlined in unofficial dispatches. It is known that in some official circles the opinion is held that the Clayton-Bulwer treaty does not require the United States to maintain a vessel at the Isthmus. However that may be, Secretary Herbert stated that the government has three ships available for orders, which could reach Colon at a few days notice.

The Colombian legation in this city is in charge of Senor Don Julio Rengifo, secretary, who had no news to impart last night. The minister, Senor Don Jose Marcelino Hurtado, has been absent more than a year on a special mission to Rome, but is expected to return to Washington in a short time, having completed his work at the Italian capital.

As a result of his mission there, the president of the United States will be called upon to arbitrate the differences between Italy and Colombia. Thy grew out of a claim made against Colombia by a subject of Italy, whose property was seized by the government of that country after a revolution in which it was charged the Italian took part.

AMPUTATED HIS OWN FOOT.

Farmer Galbraith's Successful Operation with a Razor.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 28.—Two years ago Robert Galbraith aged 74, a farmer of Payne township, Indiana county, fell from a load of hay and injured his left ankle and foot. The injury has caused him great suffering ever since, and the family physician has long insisted that unless the foot was amputated, the farmer could never be any better. Galbraith stubbornly refused to have the operation performed. One morning last week the farmer's daughter went into his room.

"Delia," said he, "the jobs done. The foot is amputated." On the bed by his side, lay his foot. On the other side was a razor. The old farmer had amputated his own foot with his razor and had done it neatly too, at the ankle joint. Although he is now 76 years old Farmer Galbraith is not even suffering from shock from his self-amputating operation, and the doctor says he could not have taken the foot off more neatly himself.

SURROUNDING WEI-HAI-WEI.

Japanese Fleet in Shantung Bay While Troops Are Advancing.

London, Jan. 28.—A dispatch to the Central News from Che-Foo says that Wei-Hai-Wei was invested yesterday by a fleet of twenty Japanese warships, nineteen transports and twenty torpedo boats which entered Shantung bay. The English and German flagships are also in the vicinity.

The land forces of the Japanese are now advancing from the bay, intending to completely surround the city.

Death of a Well Known Minister.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 28.—Rev. F. G. Hibbard, D. D., of Clifton Springs is dead, aged 84 years. He was one of the best known ministers of the Methodist Episcopal church in New York state and was also widely known throughout the denomination over the country. He was an ecclesiactic author and editor of note.

Gale on the Newfoundland Coast.

St. John's N. F., Jan. 28.—Fierce south-westerly gales swept the coast yesterday. It is expected that considerable damage to shipping was done. The Allen liner Corean left here at daylight, bound for Liverpool, and must have experienced the full brunt of the storm.

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TRANQUIL IN BROOKLYN

Little Disorder and Very Few Arrests Made.

The Pulpits Discuss the Strike Question — Many Organizations Vote Substantial Assistance to the Men —Central Labor Union Orders a Boycott on the Trolley Lines.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 28.—The third week of the biggest strike that the city has ever known began yesterday with a quiet Sunday. There was no serious disturbance.

All the saloons were so tightly closed that it was the driest Sunday on record in the City of Churches. One or two arrests only were made for violation of the excise law.

The militia were kept indoors more than on any other day since the strike began. A large number of soldiers were given a few hours' leave of absence in order to visit their relatives.

Some little stone throwing was indulged in and a few accidents to cars on account of green motormen occurred, but nothing of a serious nature happened to mar the serenity of the city. The service on the lines was the best of any day yet, and the companies claim that the strike is broken.

Sermons were preached at nearly all the churches in which the strike was mentioned. Dr. Lyman Abbott deprecated the interference with law and order. The Rev. A. C. Dixon scored the railroad corporations for their stubborn refusal to arbitrate differences with their employes. The Rev. Father O'Hare, of Greenpoint, counseled moderation.

The strikers have a new move in contemplation. They have consulted lawyers and have decided to begin suits against the Brooklyn Heights company for one week's pay for each of the 1,600 men formerly in the employ of the road. They claim that the laws of this state entitle them to one week's notice, and claim that they were locked out without warning. The suits are to be brought in batches of 100 at a time, beginning to-morrow or Wednesday. They also propose to begin action against the company for violations of the ten-hour law. There is a $500 penalty for each offense against this law. They say that 1,600 of them will bring suits, and the company will be mulcted $800,000. Lawyer M. L. Towns, who was one of the counsel in the mandamus proceedings, has charge of the proposed suits and action for damages. He sent a note to Mr. Hadden Crowell, president of the Long Island Trust company, and trustees for the bondholders of the railroad, requesting Mr. Crowell to call at his residence and see if some arrangement could not be made. Mr. Crowell replied by letter referring Mr. Towns to Thomas S. Moore, counsel for the road.

There is also talk of suits for damages against the trolley companies by the shopkeepers and merchants whose business has been seriously affected during the past two weeks by the failure of the companies to run their cars as usual. It is claimed that Judge Gaynor's mandamus ordering the companies to operate their lines and furnish the same accommodation to the public that they did before January 14, furnishes a basis for these damage suits which may mount up into the millions.

All was quiet at Halsey street and Broadway last evening. The only incident was the scattering of the crowds congregated there by the mounted police.

At Ridgewood everything was quiet and orderly. At Alabama avenue and Fulton street there was no excitement and all was quiet. At Broadway ferry the situation remained unchanged.

A conductor of the crosstown line reported all quiet and orderly in Greenpoint. Lieutenant Grealish, of the 69th battalion, reported everything quiet at the station at Gates and Ralph avenues, and at all points protected by that battalion.

New York, Jan. 28.—The Central Labor union has declared a boycott on the Brooklyn trolley lines, whose men are now on strike, and any member of the union who is caught riding on the forbidden cars will be subjected to a fine of $5. Many contributions from labor organizations were received. Typographical union No. 96 sent its check for $200, the Lacemakers union one for $20, the Horseshoers union $200, Bookbinders union $76.50, and the Cigarmakers union $87. Another meeting will be held to-morrow evening, when an assessment will be made upon each member, the fund thus raised to be given to the striking motormen and conductors. District Assembly No. 49, Knights of Labor, have voted $800 a week to the trolley car strikers in Brooklyn, during the strike.

Typographical union No. 6 contributed $1,000 toward the fund for the strikers.

Steel Mill To Resume.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 28.—The billet mill of the Pennsylvania Steel works which has been idle for the past seven weeks, will resume tomorrow, giving employment to about 100 men. Number 2 blast furnace will be blown in this week, employing about 60 men. It is the largest furnace at the steel works, having a capacity of 200 tons a day.

Notorious Outlaw Arrested.

Wichita, Kan., Jan. 28.—Ed. Bennett, or Ed. Clark, leader of a band of outlaws who terrorized Polk and Osceola counties in Florida, several years ago, has been arrested here. Bennett's band committed the most daring highway robberies and burglaries with impunity for a long time.

Church Badly Damaged by Fire.

Williamsport, Pa., Jan. 28.—The Second Presbyterian church of this city, was badly damaged by fire yesterday, originating from an overheated furnace. The loss will be from $12,000 to $15,000, fully covered by insurance.

Under the Sultan's Ban.

Constantinople, Jan. 28.—The commission appointed to inquire into the Armenian outrages has had a preliminary sitting at Moosh. The porte still refuses to allow newspaper correspondents to travel in Armenia.

COULD HARDLY BREATHE.

Catarrh of the Nose, Throat, and Stomach—Life Made Miserable by Headaches, Pain and Cough.

Lida McCandless, No. 1230 South Thirtyfifth street, Philadelphia, in conversation with a reporter, said: "I had a very bad case of catarrh of the nose, throat and stomach, with frequent headaches, pain under the shoulder blades and a horrible cough. I had to keep my mouth constantly open day and night to breathe, and felt as miserable as one possibly could. I was advised to try Munyon's Catarrh Cure. I am happy to say that from the beginning I felt relieved and continued to grow better until now I am entirely well. I am so thankful that this remarkable remedy was ever discovered, and hope others will take advantage of my experience."

Have you Catarrh? Are you willing to investigate a treatment that cures Catarrh by removing the cause? If so ask your druggist for a 25c bottle of Catarrh Tablets. The Catarrh Cure will eradicate the disease from the system, and the Tablets will cleanse and heal the affected parts and restore them to a natural and healthful condition.

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THE TARANTULA KILLER.

A Giant Wasp that Stings the Big Spider to Death.

The tarantula is a large burrowing spider which dwells in a shaft-like hole it sinks in the earth. Its appearance is most repulsive, and inspires any one who examines it with a feeling of profound disgust. As it stands, it frequently covers an area as large as the palm of a man's hand, and over its body and legs there bristles a thick covering of red-brown hair. It may be said that its home is in many lands, but its greatest size is attained in tropical and semi-tropical countries. In the south of Europe, along the Mediterranean coast, it has been known for centuries as the "mad spider," because the symptoms following its bite are similar to those of hydrophobia. There the peasantry, especially those of Sicily, regard it with mingled feelings of hate and superstitious dread.

Yet, notwithstanding all its great courage and pugnacity, there is one enemy the sound of whose coming throws it into paroxysms of fear. This enemy, of which it has an instructive dread, is a large wasp, known as "the tarantula killer." It has a bright blue body, nearly two inches long, and wings of a golden hue. As it flies here and there in the sunlight, glittering like a flash of fire, one moment resting on a leaf, the next on a granite boulder, it keeps up an incessant buzzing, which is caused by the vibration of its wings. No sooner does the tarantula hear this than he trembles with fear, for well he knows the fate in store for him when once his mortal foe perceives his whereabouts. This it soon does, and hastens to the attack. At first it is content with flying in circles over its intended victim. Gradually it approaches nearer and nearer. At last, when it is within a few inches, the tarantula rises upon his hind legs and attempts to grapple with his foe, but without success. Like a flash the giant wasp is on its back. The deadly fangs have been avoided. The next instant a fearful sting penetrates deep into the spider's body.

Its struggles almost cease. A sudden paralysis creeps over it and it staggers, helpless like a drunken man, first to one side then to the other. These symptoms, however, are only of short duration. While they last the wasp, but a few inches away, awaits the result; nor does it have to wait long. A few seconds and all sign of life has disappeared from the tarantula; the once powerful legs curl up beneath its body, and it rolls over dead.

Then takes place one of the most strange incidents which illustrate the perfect adaptation to circumstances, everywhere so remarkable in the economy of the insect world. The wasp seizes hold of the now prostrate spider, and with little apparent effort drags it to a hole in the ground. Therein it completely buries it with earth, after having first deposited in its back an egg, which in course of time changes into a grub, and lives upon the carcass in which it was born. This grub in a short time becomes another tarantula wasp, thus adding one more to the ranks of the enemy of the spider race.

The amount of slaughter which these large wasps inflict upon the tarantulas is almost incredible, and it is noticed that those to which the greatest destruction is due are the females. It can only be realized when we know that though the female deposits but one egg in each spider, she has a large number to get rid of, each one of which she provides with a home, and its grub with future sustenance at the expense of the life of a spider.

Wild Horses of Wyoming.

A gentleman from Wyoming tells me there are at least 20,000 horses running wild in that state and in Idaho and Nevada, this winter, many of them without a brand.

They have been turned out to take care of themselves because there is no sale for them at any price out there, and they will not bring enough in the Eastern States to cover the expense of transportation.

The estimated cost of keeping horses over winter, including forage and attendance, is only two dollar a head, but their owners will not even invest that amount in them, for it would be money wasted. They will not bring one dollar a head in the spring.

The legislature of Nevada has passed a law authorizing the shooting of stallions running at large, which is considered necessary to restrict the natural increase.—Chicago Record.

Greeley's Eccentricities.

One of those men that is everlastingly noticing little things is authority for this statement:

"You rarely find a city man accustomed to solitude and leisure to be eccentric."

He might have gone further and add that most eccentricities are assumed. When Horace Greeley visited Chicago some years ago he was shown into a drawing room near the stage from which he was to lecture. One of the committeemen called for him rather unexpectedly, and found the philosopher of the Tribune giving one leg of his trousers that hitch for which it was noted, and also observed that Mr. Greeley had shoved his necktie out of place.

Pennsylvania Railroad Likes Electricity.

The action of the Pennsylvania Railroad in deciding to substitute electricity for steam on its branch line between Burlington and Mount Holly in New Jersey, is only one indication of the change now going on in the method of operating railroads.

At least two railroads near Boston now run by steam will soon be equipped with electricity, and if the changes prove profitable other lines will soon be operated on the same plan. This is said to be the purpose of the Pennsylvania Railroad also, the change projected on the New Jersey branch line being in the nature of an experiment.

Proof Against Ordinary Disease.

"You'd better go away. We've got the measles here," said the woman at the kitchen door.

"Madam," replied the tramp, seating himself on the step with great deliberation, "the only disease I am afraid of is appendicitis. I shall be obliged to ask you madam," he added, with dignity "not to give me cherry pie."—Chicago Tribune.

Willie's Reasoning Power.

"Isn't it bettah," said Willie Wishington to his father, "to let anything alone than to do it badly?"

"It certainly is," was the reply.

"Well, that's why I don't twy to make my own living."—Washington Star.

FALLING IDOLS.

THE GOOD ANTHONY COMSTOCK ACCUSED OF BLACKMAIL.

The Censor of Theatrical Posters and Cold Statuary Denies the Charge Made Before the Lexow Committee. Goff Believes There is Rottenness in Denmark.

There is hardly a person in America who has not heard of Anthony Comstock. At the same time millions have read, the large majority with thankful hearts, of his work as secretary of the Society for the Suppression of Vice, and how he has tracked down and suppressed the nests of vice in New York and other cities where green goods operators, gamblers, thugs, bunco men, dealers in evil literature and pictures, lottery ticket fakirs, policy shops, and every other form of vice that existed under the nose of the police.

Mr. Comstock vigorously denies the story brought out before the Lexow Committee that he accepted a bribe of $1,000 to obtain the dismissal of an indictment against a printer of counterfeit money advertisements, but Mr. Goff, who must have known of the charges before they were made public, evidently attached some weight to them, else they would not have appeared. Mr. Comstock, who enjoys the moral support of the press of New York, has not taken the active means to bring his traducer to justice which he usually exhibits when engaged in clothing nude statues or suppressing questionable literature. This is the story as told by the report of the Lexow proceedings:

Mr. Goff then called Louis S. Streep, who told this story without question: In 1889 he was arrested by Anthony Comstock for printing green goods circulars. At that time, he said, he rented his printing office to a man named Bechtold, while he, the witness, was in the country. While he was in the Tombs Bechtold gave Streep's wife $3,000 in cash to deposit for her husband's bail. Before she deposited it Bechtold returned and got $2,000, saying that he had to give $1,500 to Anthony Comstock to prevent Streep's being indicted by the United States Grand Jury. Streep's bail was reduced at the same time to $3,000, and

ANTHONY COMSTOCK

the cash was deposited. Streep jumped his bail and went to Europe. In July, 1890, he returned, went to the District Attorney of the county and confessed all he knew about the green goods circular business, and under the direction of the District Attorney made a search of the city with three Headquarters detectives for the men implicated by his confession. One day, after being out for many hours with detective Reilly, he called on Mr. Comstock, and said that now that he had arranged things honorably with the State officials he would like to get the indictment against him in the State courts dismissed.

"Comstock said to me, 'I am the only man who can get that indictment dismissed.' He said it could be done if I would give him $1,000. In August I called on Mr. Comstock with my brother and said to him, 'You said you could have that indictment in the State court dismissed. Here is a thousand dollars.' I had seven hundred dollars which my wife had realized from the sale of my printing office, and I borrowed three hundred dollars in three bills from my brother Robert, who was with me. Comstock took the money, saying, 'I am not accepting this as a bribe but as a donation to the society.'

Q.—And was the indictment dismissed?

A.—Yes, sir; two of them.

Q.—And you gave him that money to procure their dismissal?

A.—Yes, sir.

Mr. Goff—Here are the indictments endorsed "dismissed" at the time stated by the witness.

Senator Bradley—Who was the District Attorney then?

Mr. Goff—Col. Fellows.

Q.—Fully realizing your responsibility and the meaning of your answer, do you swear that you gave Anthony Comstock $1,000 for his influence in having these indictments dismissed?

A.—I swear before God and man I paid Anthony Comstock $1,000 to buy my liberty.

Senator Lexow—How do you bring this within the scope of our work, Mr. Goff?

Mr. Goff—I will explain in a moment, Senator.

Q.—Since then you've been indicted?

A.—Since then Anthony Comstock had me indicted on the same charge in the United States Court. I was convicted and am out pending an appeal.

Senator Lexow—How is this within our scope?

Mr. Goff—A failure to enforce the criminal laws is a neglect of duty by the Police Department. Also, we have shown that the police have protected the green goods men, and it is only fair to the police that we should show, if we can, that others have done the same.

Senator Lexow—It is a very serious charge against Mr. Comstock.

Law is law! Enforcement is enforcement! Laws were made for enforcement; not for reasonable enforcement. Law is absolute. Law is without qualification! Law is for the purpose of order—not a reasonable amount of order. Law is for the purpose of enabling men to enjoy equal opportunities of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Nothing is said about a reasonable amount of life or liberty or happiness.—Recorder Goff.

Faithful to its sacred page, heaven still rebuilds thy span, nor lets the type grow pale with age that first spoke peace to man.—Campbell.

MUSIC TRIED ON BEASTS.

Curious Effects of a Violin Upon Various Animals.

It is a well-known fact that many animals are susceptible to music. Many dogs will bark or howl at the strains of a mouth organ or melodeon while others protest vocally against piano playing, and few dogs can endure in silence the playing of minor chords. On the other hand, almost every woodsman will tell you that he can charm a chipmunk into appreciative attention by whistling a lively tune. Cats, too, are influenced by music, and many cases are on record of their fondness for piano playing, while violin music often stirs them to emulation, a fact which New England housewives ascribed to the sympathy existing between pussy alive and the parts of pussy dead that were fabled to furnish the fiddle strings. Experiment has shown that individual animals are peculiarly influenced to joy or sorrow by some one particular note, chord, or tone, while other music may have no effect upon them.

An Englishman, C. J. Cornish, has been making musical experiments on various kinds of animals at the Zoological Society's Gardens in London, and he writes most interestingly of them. With his violinist he went to the abode of the snakes, and the musician, hidden from the sight of his animal audience, began to play. Mr. Cornish writes of this:

"The dweller on the threshold of the snake's home is the monitor lizard, an active and formidable saurian, some five feet in length, whose watchful habits were said to give notice of the approach of the crocodile. It did not belie its reputation for watchfulness, for the instant it heard the sounds of the violin through its opened door it raised its head and stood alert and listening. Then the forked tongue came out and played incessantly round its lips; soft, slow music followed, and the lizard became quite still, except for a gentle swaying of the head from side to side."

Some blacksnakes in the same cage were similarly affected, although they were slower to show their appreciation. At first they raised their heads, waving them from side to side in an apparent endeavor to ascertain whence the sounds came. Having made up their minds, they set out one after another for the source, and nosed up and down the wall in the manner peculiar to serpents. A big boa constrictor, who had been asleep for some few days, uncurled himself preparatory to taking a glide all around the cage.

Suddenly the violinist swept his bow across the strings in a harsh and loud discord. The blacksnakes dropped their heads and hustled for the further corner. The boa stopped short and evinced an inclination to hurt somebody. As for the monitor lizard, he executed a startled flop and scuttled off with an air of disgust and alarm, declining thereafter to be coaxed back by the most alluring airs. His trust had been basely betrayed and he evidently didn't propose to put himself again in a position where he would be made a subject for practical jokes.

Selections from William Tell were tried upon the sheep and goats, and they were immensely pleased with the opera. At the Shepherd's Call they sniffed the air inquiringly and crowded up to the bars in a compact bunch. When the music stopped they voiced a unanimous request for more with a great acclaim of bleating and baaing. A lively measure brought them all back to the bars again except a few goats, who frisked about in the liveliest fashion, only to stop short with the cessation of the music.

HOW THEY HUSTLE IN THE WEST.

A Savings Bank Looks Around Variously for Customers.

The West in general considers itself to be a hustler, and the East is willing to admit that it is.

Western people explain their hustling propensities by saying that the East has two or three hours' start of them every day, so they must move lively if they want to keep up with the procession.

An example of Western hustling is a bank safe which the savings bank distributes among its customers and friends. It is described as a nickel-plated brass bank, with combination lock, and highly ornamental and convenient. It is lent to any one who will deposit or has a deposit of $2 in the savings bank, who must agree to save his spare money in the bank and bring it to the savings bank at least every three months. If the bank is lost the savings bank charges $2. Says the savings bank with winged words of wisdom:

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Call and get one or more of these bank safes or boxes for yourself and children. They will help you save money and they will cost you nothing for their use.

NOT HIS STOVE.

One Experience of the Kind Years Ago Had Taught Him a Lesson.

A policeman who was patrolling his beat on Grove street the other evening came along to an old colored man who was leaning over his gate, and queried:

"Uncle, did you hear that explosion on this street last night?"

"'Sploshun, sah—'sploshun? No, sah, I didn't h'ar 'bout no 'sploshun."

"A colored man's stove blew up."

"Stove blowed up! Whoo! Jist blowed right up, eh?"

"Yes; he got a stick of wood with powder in it, and it blew up his stove and almost ruined the house."

"Powder in de wood, eh? Got dat stick from some udder man's woodpile, did he? Who was de pusson, sah?"

"I don't know, but thought you could perhaps tell me."

"No, sah; I can't tell ye, kase I hain't heard o' no such case. Mebbe yo' dun reckoned it was me?"

"Well, I didn't know."

"But I knows, sah. Nuffin' like dat has happened to me fur de last twenty y'ars. When I libed down in Toledo I dun got blowed up with powder in a stick o' wood, jist like yo' bin tellin' 'bout, an' it l'arned me a lesson. Eber since dat I split de stick in two an' look for de powder. Shoo! Dat mus' hev been a fule nigger who got hold o' dat woodpile an' blowed hisself up.—Detroit Free Press.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE
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ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage, (first liens)		$124,200 00
Value of property mortgaged, $320,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured for	130,600	

Market Value.

33,000	Union County Bonds	$ 33,540 00
25,000	Hudson "	25 500 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10 600 00
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00
13,000	Loan City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000 00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000 00
4,500	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,500 00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900 00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10,550 00
	Demand Loans	3,380 00
	Interest due and accrued	4,081 12
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400 00
	Cash in Banks	56,542 82
	Cash in Office	102 45
		$328,066 39

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,598 28
Surplus	15,468 11
	$328,066 39

State of New Jersey, } ss
County of Union, }

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres.
ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.
JAMES C POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.
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PLAINFIELD, N. J., JAN. 28, 1895.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Charles Davis of North avenue is very ill.

Bert Hinrichs leaves for Texas Saturday, Feb. 2, on a business trip.

Mrs. Shaw of East Ninth street is confined to her home with the grip.

Mrs. Whitney of Central avenue and Fourth street is a victim of the grip.

Mrs. Frank Probasco is quite ill at the residence of her mother, Liberty street.

Mrs. Charles Howard of Carlton avenue was taken suddenly ill with the grip Saturday.

James Freeman of Watchung avenue is able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Emma Chandler of East Third street is confined to her home with rheumatism.

Walter Serrell of Plainfield avenue is confined to the house with a severe attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Howard Banks reached St. Augustine on their wedding journey yesterday.

John Shepherd, an employe of A. M. Griffen, is improving rapidly from a severe attack of grip.

George Firstbrook of Essex street starts to night for Boston where he will spend two or three weeks.

Mrs. Jeremiah A. Moore and her children Leo and Amy of West Fourth street are confined to the house with the grip.

Miss Edith Burt of West Seventh street has returned to her studies in the High School after several days absence on account of the grip.

The family of Louis Riegel, who have been laid up with the grip, are now getting along toward recovery, and the older children have been allowed out.

The death occurred in New York Sunday of Chas. F. Goddard, age 60, who formerly resided in Dr. Vincent's house at Fifth street and Arlington avenue.

Henry G. Adams, agent for the National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, is confined to his home, 306 Orange place, by a severe attack of neuralgia of the face.

The death occurred Saturday of Miss Mary McLusky, sister of Mrs. J. C. Shaw of 141 East Ninth street, where the funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3.

Carlos Gallup '96, who has been absent from the High School nearly a month with a badly sprained ankle, was welcomed back this morning by his classmates.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thompson of Farragut avenue, and Mr. Thompson's father and mother, leave Thursday for the South, where they will spend two or three months.

Owing to the absence of Mr. Travell, John Beekman took charge of the Geometry class in the High School this morning. The recitations in Greek, Cæsar and Cicero were omitted.

Henry VanMiddlesworth attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. John VanMiddlesworth, this afternoon at 2:30, in Somerville. She was the oldest inhabitant of that place, having lived there since 1816.

Miss Mabel Coard, of East Ninth street, who is spending the Winter in New York, entertained a number of her Plainfield and Brooklyn friends at her rooms on Lexington avenue, Saturday evening. Whist was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

A few neighbors and friends were invited to the home of ex-mayor L. V. F. Randolph Saturday evening to listen to Professor Conde's Boy Orchestra and note the progress of Miss Blossom Randolph in her violin playing. The orchestra does excellent work, and the small audience were delighted with the harmonious execution of a number of pleasing selections. Miss Blossom Randolph, with quiet self possession, played skillfully three selections, two of which were accompanied on the piano by Miss Josephine Randolph, and the little maiden charmed her listeners with her good execution and artistic expression.

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DUNELLEN AND NEW MARKET.

At the donation supper given in the M. E. Church parsonage Thursday night, a purse of $37 50 was presented to the Rev. W. O Kinsey.

Miss Emma Gambleton visited the Misses Giles of North avenue, Friday

Jacob Vosseller has rented the John Moynihan house, and will soon move in.

A. G. Cook, the new barber, has purchased A. W. Giddis's pool table, and will place it at the rear of his barber shop. No more waiting.

W. H. Curman's latest purchase is an English setter dog by name "Snap".

Mrs. F. H. Gise fell down stairs Friday, but was not seriously injured.

Work on Theodore Apgar's house has been suspended on account of the cold weather.

Miss May Gise was entertained Friday by Miss Anne Chamberlain of Plainfield.

Arthur S. Giles is putting a range in Alva Gray's residence.

The annual business meeting of the First Baptist Church will be held February 4.

Miss Ida Fletcher is spending a few days with friends in Brooklyn.

The Misses Hunt spent Sunday with Somerville friends.

Elmer Giddis is working for Engineer Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodge spent Sunday with Mrs. Hodge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Humpston.

The nine-year-old child of Adam Fritz is seriously ill.

Daniel Gulick is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Andrew Vanderbeek of the Commercial Palace is a victim of the dreaded grip.

Samuel A. Haynes formerly of this city is visiting his son-in-law C. P. Ralli of Netherwood.

Will Thiers is assisting at the law offices of Reed & Coddington in the Babcock building.

Miss Grace Miller of Park avenue is not able to attend school, being confined to her home by illness.

The illness of Father Smyth's sister terminated fatally yesterday at her home in Jersey City, as announced in another column.

Owing to illness with the grip, Mrs. Abner Bartlett, Jr., could not attend the funeral of Mr. Bartlett's mother, which took place Saturday.

A surprise party was given at the residence of Thomas Callahan, 214 Richmond street, Saturday evening, in honor of their son Jerry, who was taken completely unawares. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour, and supper was served at 11.

—The great Thatcher & Johnson Minstrels will parade both Plainfield and Westfield.

—The Park-Fanwood whist league contest, which was scheduled for Wednesday has been postponed because of the serious illness of Miss Howell.

—The Elbridge Bicycle Company of Newark have leased two of Thorn's stores at 35 and 37 Somerset street, and will take out the partition between the stores and make large warerooms for the sale Columbia and Hartford bicycles.

Neaf Apgar's New Enterprise.

Neaf Apgar of Evona, who for several years has had charged of the ammunition department for Squires, the sporting goods man of New York, has severed his connection there, and started in the shell-loading business for himself at 291 Broadway, New York. Apgar has a host of friends among the sportmen of the country and through his efforts has built up a large business in the shot gun cartridge line. He is considered as having no superior as an expert loader and handler of powders and success in his new venture is assured him.

Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered to Mrs. Costelles of Kensington avenue, by a few of her friends Saturday night. Dancing, games, and a collation, made 12 come but too quickly.

Among those present were Miss Schoonmaker, Miss Collier, the Misses Cumming, the Misses Glen, Miss Crane, A. Taylor, Mr. Trolibone, Mr. Galban and many others.

The cities of New York and Philadelphia were represented by several guests.

Republican Organization.

At the recent reorganization of the Republican City Executive Committee Wm. B. Codington was elected Chairman, Roger Murray Vice-chairman, J. B. Coward Secretary and Treasurer, and the following men were elected from the various wards to constitute a finance committee: J. F. MacDonald, first ward; George D. Patten, second ward; Wm. Kirk, third ward, and Abram Angleman, fourth ward.

Broke His Knee Cap.

David Falconer of Mount Bethel, while running to catch the 9:40 train at Elizabethport for Plainfield, last evening, fell on the ice and broke his knee cap.

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Gen. Jamont Declines.

Paris, Jan. 28.—At a second cabinet meeting President Faure told the ministers that Gen. Jamont had declined to serve, and a dispatch was sent at once to Gen. Herve, commander of the Nineteenth Amy corps, stationed in Algiers, offering him the war portfolio.

The Lock-Out Compromised.

Columbus, O., Jan. 28.—The lock-out at the nail mill at Salem has been compromised and the men will return to work to-day. The settlement affects the mills at New Castle, Findlay and Salem, in all employing over 6,000 men.

Chewing Gum Factory Blown Up.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—The factory of the William Wrigley Chewing Gum Manufacturing company, was wrecked by an explosion of natural gas, and the shattered mass was consumed by fire yesterday. Loss $3,000.

REMARKABLE DEVOTION.

Old Amzi Just 'Spised His Master for a Too Nice Consideration.

Amzi was an old school negro, who regarded the emancipation proclamation with contempt, and neither threats nor bribes could have prevailed upon him to leave an indulgent master, whom he served with the most unselfish devotion. He was a little, dried-up, black and much wrinkled darky of uncertain age, whose religion consisted solely of blind adoration of "Marse Davy Jackson," whose playmate he had been in childhood, whose nurse he had been in illness, and whose personal attendant he had been through a four years' war.

Mr. Jackson was owner of a steam pack line, plying daily between Norfolk, Va., and Elizabeth City, N. C., through the Dismal Swamp canal, the principal revenue of which was derived from the carrying of the United States mail, Amzi being employed in the humble capacity of guard over the pouches.

The four years' contract had nearly expired, and a rival company, a stage coach line, was seeking to wrest the mail-carrying from the steamers. With a view to proving that the overland route was the more expeditious, and therefore more desirable, the stage raced with the steamer every day, and as the roadway followed the canal bank for twenty-two miles the contest became very exciting. The wheeled vehicle would usually forge ahead when the locks were reached, but as soon as released all steam would be crowded and the little boat would again be in the lead.

Amzi was, probably, the individual most concerned in these tests of speed, and he sought to incite the engineer to extreme effort by all sorts of threats and promises. He regarded the coaches with the utmost aversion and nearly wept in his distress lest his old master should lose his contract.

One day the contest had been unusually warm and close throughout the entire length of the canal and as they were drawing near the south mills, where the canal enters Pasquotank river, the stage was a good mile in the lead. Amzi was standing upon the rail swearing at the engineer and threatening the captain, when the boat lurched slightly and the negro was thrown into the water.

Immediately there was great confusion on board, for the old negro was revered by everyone, and it was known that he could not swim. Quickly as might be the steamer was stopped, a little yawl lowered, and Amzi, half drowned, was fished out of the water.

Scarcely did he reach the deck before he yelled out excitedly to the captain:

"Gin her two bells, you fool! Don you see dat dum stage erscootin'?"

Then he rushed to the window of the engineer and shook his fist savagely at that official.

"What fur you done stop dis yere boat? Ise done tell Marse Davy, 'n' den dere 'll be a 'ngineer projec'in' fur a job."

"But, Amzi," expostulated the engineer, "if I hadn't stopped you would have drowned."

"G'long. I jis' 'spises yer, I does, aspilin' time on one lazy nigger. Now you jis' heah me; you sen' up de steam whilst I squats on de safety valve, 'n' ef you heahs anybody else drappin' you leave 'em be."—Chicago Tribune.

Evidence of Disapproval.

"Well, yaas," drawled Chollie as he dangled his forty-seventh cigarette that morning between his dainty yellow fingers, "I like the young lady well enough, but I cawn't say that I am greatly enamoured of her mother, don't you know."

"Why not?" inquired the man in the next chair.

"Well, don't you know, I never go there to call that the old lady doesn't begin to sniff the air and get out of the room, and in a minute or two I can hear her calling to a servant to burn a rag in the house, don't you know."—Detroit Free Press.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

10 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly: they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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Chats Around the Radiator When the Men Were Off Duty.

"Brought in the Spree, did you?" asked the Long Jacket of the Slouch Hat, one rainy afternoon as we all sat around the steam pipes.

"No, she brought me in. Do you think I am Hercules? That's his specialty," answered the Slouch Hat.

"Tell the young man the Hercules' story."

"Get out; do you take me for a newspaper syndicate? Tell it yourself," rejoined the Long Jacket.

"Well," began the Slouch Hat, "Hercules is very fond of a joke, and he tells 'em a good deal better than anybody around here, for he's been at it, man and boy, ever since I remember. Several years ago there was a bit of scare about sickness on foreign ships. Hercules got the Spree. We'll call him Hercules because that isn't his name. It's something very like it, though. Well, as I was saying, Mr. Hercules boarded the Dutchman about two hundred miles out. There was sickness in the steerage and the health officer didn't *do* a thing but hold that same steamer for three days when she reached quarantine. Hercules was standing on the bridge that evening when the Spree got abeam the yellow house over on Staten Island, and whom does he see balancing and juggling around in a canoe below but his young neighbor, Johnson.

"'Hi, there, young man,' sings out Hercules, 'will you tell my wife that I'm detained at quarantine and won't be home to-night?'

"And Johnson, being an obliging young fellow, and thinking a good deal of Hercules, as everybody does, said 'yep' and pretty soon went in. And when he got home that night what does he do but forget all about that message until next day and then he goes over to our friend's house.

"'Mrs. Hercules,' he said, 'I saw your husband on the Spree and he does not know when he'll get back.'

"Well, as you may imagine, young man, Mrs. Hercules took on dreadfully, and when, after that steamer got out of quarantine, her husband came home she looked him over mighty careful.

"'Have a nice time?' she asked.

"'Never had a better in my life,' says he.

"'Who were with you?'

"'Oh, a great many ladies and gentlemen,' he answered.

"Then she told him what young Johnson had said. 'Well, my dear,' said Hercules, slow and deliberate like, 'young Johnson was quite right. I was on a Spree, but that young person neglected to say that it was the steamer Spree, and that I was in quarantine.'

"Then she didn't ask any more questions for awhile.

"'Women are curious,' remarked the bearded pilot. "But I tell you, man, they are the light of our lives. They do pester a fellow with questions, though, especially if that fellow is a pilot just come aboard the steamer they're on. Why, they light on you before you get over the rail. They want to know all about receptions, and horse shows, and campfire teas, and art exhibitions, and theaters, just as though they thought a pilot put in his time on shore going to swell society rackets. Now, of course, you've got to speak civil, for if a pilot was uncivil to a woman, and I never knew of one who was, why, she'd complain to the captain, and then there would be a row.'

"'Don't talk to me about women,' said he of the long jacket. 'The men ask just as many questions. If they meet a prize-fighter on board a steamer he wants to know how this and that slugger are training, and if it is likely that he can make a match with so-and-so, and what his chances are. Just as though a pilot were a walking compendium of reports. And then as likely as not some well groomed old chap will come up and ask you about the price of stocks, and the state of the market. 'My goodness!' I said to one of those broker chaps. 'I'm a pilot. That's the only kind of steering I know about.'

"Well, I don't blame people for being a bit curious when they've been at sea a week, with nothing to do but sleep and eat and sit on deck. And, young man, you ought to see them grab the newspapers. We always carry a file of papers, of course, and when the passengers get hold of them it's fun to see them diving into them.

Complimented.

She had married a young naval officer and was so pleased over it that she had gone with him into a little house on a side street and was running it herself.

"Have you any beans?" she inquired of the grocer's clerk during the first week of her incumbency.

"Do you wish navy beans?" he asked politely.

"Oh, certainly," she twittered. "How clever of you to guess we weren't army people."

And the clerk almost choked on the ball of twine he stuck in his mouth to control his emotions.—Detroit Free Press.

Emanuel Long, of Manatee, Fla., was born perfectly black some sixty-four years ago. He is now as white as any white man in the country.

Perished in the Flames.

Homer, O., Jan. 28.—Two little children of Thomas Williams were burned to death near here last night. The house caught on fire during the absence of the parents and was totally destroyed.

Pugilist Choynski Married.

Cincinnati, Jan. 28.—Pugilist Joe Choynski was married here last night to Miss Louise Miller of this city. The couple left for Chicago.

Rheumatic Pains.

Dr. David Kennedy's statement that the real cause of rheumatism was the imperfect action of the kidneys, and that Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy opened the clogged ducts, permitted the secretions to pass off, relief and comfort following as a natural result was so reasonable that sufferers seized at it with avidity and many a victim of rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago has been cured by using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.

THE QUEEN BEE.

She Is the Foundation, the Life and Soul of a Hive Colony.

A queen bee is essential to the colony. She is readily picked out, but by a close observer by her great length. She lives generally for about five years, but her term of life varies in different individuals from two to five or six and in rare instances even to seven years. A queen is fed with the daintiest and best all through her embryo stage, and when hatched comes out a full queen. If any other queen is hatched—and sometimes one or two more are, pretty soon after—the rightful ruler assails the rival claimant in a life and death battle, the "stinger" being plied vigorously like a death dealing sword by both contestants, while the hive looks on in mute interest to see the issue of the battle. This is almost decided in favor of the assailant. She is then the undisputed queen and is so regarded. Yet the great company of "workers" are in some senses the real governors, and the hive is a great social democracy. If by any mischance the queen is killed, then the "workers"—who are undeveloped females—go to work to produce a new one. The egg they select for the trial is attended to with the same care, and the embryo bee is fed with the same selected food, as in the case of the egg that had produced the legitimate queen. It makes a queen, and she serves in that capacity.

Except in swarming time, the queen never leaves the hive, only on the one occasion of her bridal tour. Selecting some one for her husband, she invites him out to go with her—and their connubial relations are carried on entirely while on the wing in the air—like the chimney swallow's. The bridegroom never returns. He drops dead, and the queen returns from her one and only aerial excursion a fully fecundated bee, ready to begin her great life work of egg laying. Some days she will lay as many as 2,000 eggs; in all, about 20,000 eggs.

In "swarming" a large part of the whole crowd goes out. They leave behind the remains of the old colony, which had grown too numerous, thus compelling the "swarming" or seeking a new home by a great part of the hive. The queen goes with the swarmers, and here they follow closely. If she alights on a branch or other place, they all settle there, clinging closely together in a great mass, by much the same method as a mass of burdock burs will stick together, and the farmer's wife and "all hands" used to bang away on tin pans to govern the movements of the swarm by fright if possible.

So close does the swarm follow the queen that when once in flying over a lake the queen became weary and dropped into the water every bee went down with her to death by drowning.—New York Dispatch.

BRUSSELS AND TAPESTRY.

The Difference Between These Two Kinds of Carpets Explained.

By placing a brussels and tapestry carpet side by side a clearness and sharpness are noticed about the brussels carpet which are absent from the tapestry. In the latter there is a mistiness about the colors, and the pattern lacks that sharpness and delicacy which characterize the former. This is due to the process of manufacture. A brussels is a yarn dyed, and a tapestry may be described as a printed fabric, but the printing is done upon the yarn before the process of weaving.

The whole method of manufacture is most ingenious. In the making of a five frame brussels no fewer than 1,280 ends of face yarns are required for the weaving of one piece of standard quality, each frame consisting of 256 bobbins, and 256 ends only can come to the face at each pick of the pattern. Therefore 1,024 ends of yarn are hidden in the body of the fabric. There are many qualities of tapestry, but in the production of the standard quality only 216 ends of face yarn are required, instead of 1,280, which shows at once that the brussels carpet has the great advantage of being thicker, softer and altogether a more durable cloth apart from other advantages which it possesses. There is a limitation in the number of colors used in a brussels. In tapestry there is no limit. In the brussels the whole of the colors used show a more or less striped appearance at the back of the fabric.

In a tapestry they do not show at the back at all. This fact is made use of by householders in purchasing carpets, this being about the only way the average person can tell the difference between them. In order to pass off tapestry as brussels some ingenious makers have resorted to the striping in a regular manner of the backs of the former. The stripy effect in the latter is broken and irregular. A casual observation of the clearly defined character of a brussels pattern should enable a buyer to distinguish between the two fabrics.—Furnishers' Gazette.

Shakespeare and Bacon.

A famous historian well known personally in Boston told the following story when he was asked what he thought of the Shakespeare-Bacon controversy: "I was once librarian in a small town, and it was my custom to catalogue books on the real meaning of Daniel, astrology, modern spiritualism, etc., under the general head 'Insane Literature.' When any volume written in support of the Baconian theory appeared, I catalogued it under the same head."—Boston Journal.

Warned In Time.

"William," said Mrs. Youngwife from the head of the stairs to her husband, who had come home at an early hour in the morning, "there is some of my home-made cake in the pantry, a new kind that I made today. I put it where you can easily find it."

"All right, dear," responded Mr. Youngwife. "How considerate of you! I might have eaten some of it without thinking." And the grateful husband made a supper of cold beef.—Philadelphia Times.

THE GRAMMAR OF BABIES.

They Make Some of Their Own in Spite of All Precautions.

A month after our first baby was born we resolved to settle by experiment a question which we had discussed for months, namely, whether a child's tendency to violate the rules of grammar is innate or is acquired through the sense of hearing.

My wife declared that all children, no matter what their surroundings, will say: "Me wants sugar," until they are taught that it is proper to say: "I want sugar;" while I contended that a child would speak grammatically from the beginning if it were not permitted to hear any ungrammatical talk.

We had little difficulty in making the experiment thorough. We were living in a little cottage three miles from the nearest village. We had but one servant, an old negro, who did outdoor work exclusively and slept in an outhouse. Our only regular visitors were the doctor and the minister, both well-educated men; and we resolved that our boy should not be within earshot when anyone called whose ability to speak pure English could be disputed.

Of course we set a good example ourselves. We refrained from baby talk; used only the most polished language in the presence of our boy, and took particular pains to repeat before him in grammatical style those expressions which are usually the first in a child's vocabulary.

For instance, when he was less than a year old, he would sit in his mother's lap, staring at us, while I remarked seriously and with great distinctness: "I want no water;" and my wife would say in an equally impressive manner: "No, I do not want any."

Then when we thought that the little fellow must have gained some idea of the proper use of negatives, my wife would offer a suggestion of this sort: "William, the cups are empty;" and I would proclaim that "my hands are cold."

We knew it would be useless at that time to try to teach him anything, but I cherished an abiding faith that the memory of our polished conversation would remain with him. My wife had no such faith, but she adhered loyally to her agreement to make the experiment as thorough as possible.

When our boy had passed his fifteenth month we began to look forward anxiously to the result of the experiment. We were sure that never in his brief life had he heard an ungrammatical sentence, and we agreed that his first expression would forever settle the question involved.

When he was sixteen months old he began to name articles of food with some distinctness. A month later he could couple two words. Then came the climax. He was just eighteen months and twelve days old when he launched his first sentence, and, I may add, knocked my pet theory into a cocked hat.

It happened at the breakfast table. My wife was telling me that little Willy's appetite seemed to be failing lately, and was trying to tempt him with a spoonful of jam, when he leaned back in his high chair, made a wry face and said with a terrible distinctness: "Me don't want no dam!"

My wife was generous. She did not laugh aloud. She did not say: "I told you so." But she was right. The tendency to violate the rules of grammar is born in man, as the tendency to commit sin is born in him.—Youth's Companion.

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Solemn Requiem Mass at 10 o'clock Tuesday, January 29, in St. Peter's Church Jersey City. Interment at Plainfield. N. J., on the arrival of the 12 45 a. m., train. Service will be held at St. Mary's Church. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

McLUSKEY—In this city Saturday, Jan. 26, 18 5, Miss Mary McLuskey.

Funeral services from the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Shaw, 141 East 9th st., Tuesday, Jan. 29, at 3 p. m. 2

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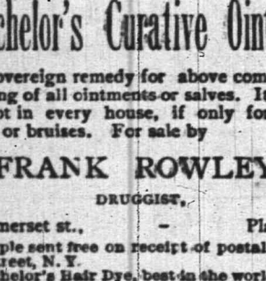

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Berlin, Jan. 28.—Emperor William has made his birthday celebration a great spectacle. Apparently his object has been to dazzle the people and dispel their suspicions of strife between him and the other allied monarchs in Germany. Only on supreme occasions has the city seen such a gathering of crowned heads. The kings of Saxony and Wurtemberg, the grand dukes of Baden, Hesse and Oldenburg, and the dukes of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha and Mecklenburg-Schwerin are here. In fact every noteworthy German prince, except the regent of Bavaria, has come to lend pomp to the fetes. With the princes and their suites there have arrived many families of the court nobility who have filled the big hotels and overflowed into the private palaces of high Berlin society.

All the city yesterday had a holiday aspect. Carriages with outriders rolled along the double rows of lindens. The larger business houses put up their shutters early and let their employes out to see the great people from the provincial capitals. Decorations, hastily ordered and executed, transformed the Friedrich strasse, Leipziger strasse and Unter den Linden. Every house and street of pretensions was gay with the flags of all the federal states. The evening brought the finest illumination seen since the old emperor's ninetieth birthday. All the big buildings were ablaze with electric lights arranged in patriotic designs. The finest effects were produced on the large government buildings but the illuminations of the Dresden bank, the Hamburg-American steamship company, Hertzog's bazaar, and the electricity offices were hardly less splendid.

At 8 o'clock in the morning 101 artillery salutes announced the opening of the birthday festivities. Then the massed bands of the garrison regiments marched through Unter den Linden and up to the Lustgarten where they played the reveille. The streets through which they passed were filled with early risers among whom were hundreds of excursionists from near by towns. The emperor began the day by attending religious service after which he, all the allied monarchs, the grinces of their families and their suites went to the arsenal. There the royal visitors and the assembled officers of all the troops stationed near Berlin heard an imperial order to this effect:

With a view to giving the troops a visible sign of the proud memories left to them by the glorious war twenty-five years ago, all military standards and flags, whenever unfolded between July 15, 1895, and May 10, 1896, shall be decorated with fresh oak leaves. Moreover, the first guns of all batteries which took part in the campaign between July 15, 1870 and May 10, 1871, shall be wreathed in oak leaves whenever used or displayed in public during the period already named.

The weather is favorable. There is some snow in the streets but not enough to keep anybody at home. As the day advanced the crowds in the streets increased. The police did not enforce the Sunday closing law and many shops did an enormous business. The emperor was cheered loudly whenever he appeared in public.

Brilliant as all the receptions and dinners during the birthday week will be, they will hardly surpass the Schleppencour which was held in the rittersaal of the Old Castle on Wednesday. The report from court is that the splendor of this reception has not been equalled at any function in William II's reign, or, in other words, at any function since the house of Hohenzollern began to rule. The emperor received standing at the front of the throne dais. He wore the red gala uniform of the Garde du Corpe with all his orders and decorations in glittering rows across his breast. The empress' gown with it enormous train was of a gold-woven material embroidered with silver. She, too, had on all her decorations besides a collar and crown studded with diamonds. A long white veil, fastened under the crown, hung down her back to her train. The ladies of the court yielded little to her in magnificence of costume. The Princess Henry, the emperor's sister-in-law, who stood near the empress, wore a light blue brocade with a train of the same. One step lower was the Princess Frederick Leopola in a white satin gown with a silver embroidered train. Her diadem was of great emeralds and chased gold. The Princess Albert of Prussia wore purple and a diadem of diamonds and large pearls. The Princess Frederick Charles appeared in white satin and a diadem of diamonds.

Princess Frederick of Hohenzollern and Princess Victoria of Schaumburg Lippe stood near the first step of the dais. Like the others they were glittering with diamonds and gemmed orders. The doyenne of the diplomatic corps, Lady Malet, wife of the English ambassador, presented Mrs. Runyon and her daughters to the imperial couple. Among the other Americans who filed past the throne were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jackson, captain and Mrs. Evans, and lieutenant and Mrs. Vreeland, all of the United States embassy.

After the reception and presentations, the members of the United States embassy went to dine with Herr von Kosciol-Koscielski, formerly the leader of the Poles in the reichstag. At his table they met Herr von Wedel, chief of the imperial household, the Austrian and French ambassadors and many high officials of state.

Death of Cartoonist Van Sant.

New York, Jan. 28.—Frank Van Sant, the well known cartoonist, is dead of girrhosis of the liver. Although but 24 years old, Mr. Van Sant had achieved a national reputation because of his cartoons for several New York dailies and comic papers.

THE POPE'S ENCYCLICAL.

Leo XIII.'s Address to America Made Public in Rome Yesterday.

London, Jan. 28.—The Standard will print to-day a summary of the pope's encyclical letter to the American bishops. The letter opens with the words Longinqua Oceani Spatia. It recalls the fact that the pope associated himself with the celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America, the evangelization of which was the first care of Columbus and was realized by the Franciscan and Dominican monks and Jesuit fathers.

After pointing out that the first Catholic bishop in America was a great friend of George Washington, his holiness shows how the Episcopal councils, aided by the breadth of view and equity of American laws, assured the development of Catholic institutions in America. It was to contribute still more to this development that the pope had founded the University of Washington, for it was of importance that Catholics should be in the front rank of education in the sciences—even the modern sciences, provided that they were harmonious with the integrity of the faith.

To this end his holiness exhorts all Catholics to do all in their power to encourage the progress of the University in Washington as well as the North American college in Rome. As regards the apostolic delegation to the church in the United States, the pope says that it was instituted with a view to drawing more closely together the bonds between the Catholics of America and the holy see without in anyway curtailing the powers of the bishops. His holiness urges the American episcopate to put an end to strife and to instil the idea of the unity and perpetuity of marriage among the faithful and to inculcate among the people the civil and religious virtues.

The pope calls upon bishops to turn aside the workingmen's associations from law-breaking and violence. He urges them to teach newspaper men to respect religion and truth and to reprove those journals which pass judgment upon episcopal acts; finally, to turn the Protestants to Catholicism by charity, by instruction in the doctrine of the Catholic church, and by leading exemplary lives.

In conclusion his holiness recommends the sending of missionaries to the Indians.

THE SOUND DISASTER.

More Than Twelve Lives Thought To Have Been Lost.

New London, Conn., Jan. 28.—The tug Sea King is crusing around the locality in which her tow parted on Friday night, and in which five barges were lost in the Sound, looking for bodies and, if possible, to ascertain the whereabouts of the barges.

It is said here that there were more than twelve people on the barges when they went down. The claim is made that a few months ago, when the barge American Eagle was in this port, Capt. Hartsho had his wife and three or four children on board, and that the family made their home on the barge. It is believed that they were on the barge when she was lost.

The first reports said that only the captain, his wife and daughter were on the American Eagle. Reports have reached here that the bodies of a man and woman and quantities of wreckage have been found on Quenocontaug Beach.

FACTORY INSPECTORS' REPORT.

It Is a Bulky Document Containing the Work for the Year.

Albany, Jan. 28.—The ninth annual report of the factory inspector will be submitted to the legislature to-night. It is a bulky document, containing in detail the work of the department during the year, giving the names of the owners of all the manufactories inspected, the number of their employes, the proportionate number of women and children found at work, and the details of all changes ordered, and whether those orders have or have not been complied with.

It states that the total number of inspections during the year was greater by several thousands than in previous years, and there was a consequent increase in the number of changes required and compliances obtained.

MESSAGE TO CONGRESS.

The President Preparing One on the Financial Situation.

Washington, Jan. 28.—The president and Secretary Carlisle spent several hours together at the white house yesterday. Mr. Carlisle brought with him financial data bearing on the depleted treasury gold reserve, and with this as a basis the president began the preparation of a message to congress.

It is understood that it will treat principally of the continued drain of the gold reserve and remedies for stopping it. The message will, it is said, be short and vigorous and be delivered to-day.

After Embezzler Collins.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 28.—Sheriff H. O. Wilson, of Arlington, Vt., is here with requisition papers from Gov. Woodbury for George W. Collins, an Englishman, 45 years of age, who was agent and collector for the Wayne Building and Loan association in Bennington county. He embezzled a large sum money and last July fled to England, deserting his wife and children. A short time ago he returned and was arrested in Philadelphia.

Heavy Verdict Against a Railroad.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 28.—The suit of Mrs. Sarah O. Spencer, of California, against the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway company for $100,000 damages growing out of a wreck near Texarkana last May, in which she received injuries which made her a paralytic for life, has ended. The jury returned a verdict giving Mrs. Spencer a judgment for $20,000.

College of Agriculture Burned.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 28.—The main building of the Rhode Island College of Agriculture and Mechanics Arts, at Kingston, was burned yesterday, loss $35,000. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

Quigley Off for Sing Sing.

New York, Jan. 28.—Broker Quigley left the tombs this morning for Sing Sing to begin his fifteen years and six months sentence.

CONGRESSIONAL WORK

Programme of Both Houses for the Coming Week.

The Hawaiian Affairs Will Possibly Consume the Morning Hour in the Senate While the Bankruptcy Bill Is the Unfinished Business—Sugar Will Occupy the House.

Washington, Jan. 28.—The adoption by the senate by a majority of two votes of Mr. Vest's substitute for Mr. Allen's Hawaiian resolution is but the beginning of a struggle that will probably continue during this week and republicans confidently predict will end in the passage of a resolution condemning the administration for the part it has taken in Hawaiian affairs. Mr. Vest's substitute which now forms the basis of the discussion in the senate, but which has not yet received final affirmative action, will not be permitted to come to a vote for some days. It prevailed Saturday by the aid of two republican votes, Messrs. Powers and Pettigrew. The former, it is said, will not support the resolution when it comes up in the senate for formal disposition. The Vest substitute endorses the policy of non-intervention and the Allen resolution declares for annexation and the stationing of ships of war at Honolulu.

All the populists are in favor of Mr. Allen's resolution which has been temporarily displaced by the Vest substitute and the republicans are said to be of the same mind with the single exception of Mr. Pettigrew. There will be two accessions to the republican vote before the week is over in the persons of Mr. Mantle, elected to fill the Montana vacancy, and Mr. Clark, to fill the Wyoming vacancy. Mr. Mantle is expected to reach Washington early in the week and Mr. Clark is on his way here. This will give the opponents of Mr. Vest's substitute the majority vote and will enable them to pass such a resolution as they may desire. The republicans declare that they will not permit any final vote to be taken until they have their full strength in the senate and will consume the morning hour each day on the Hawaiian matter. Mr. Teller, in line with this policy, will continue his speech to-day and will probably be followed by other republicans until such time as they see fit to allow the vote to be taken.

The bankruptcy bill is now the unfinished business in the senate, Mr. George having called it up Saturday afternoon, although he will give way to-day for a sufficient time to allow Mr. Walcott to secure a vote on the bill to provide for the removal of the southern Ute Indians. Mr. George will not have any opposition in the conduct of his bill at the outset, but there are indications that he may not be so successful later on. There are one or two resolutions relating to elections in certain states that the populists are anxious to have passed and it is not improbable that the republicans may unite with them and call these resolutions up to the discomfiture of Mr. George and the bankruptcy bill. Under the most favorable circumstances the bankruptcy bill can hardly get through the senate under ten days.

Mr. Cockrell expects to report three appropriation bills to the senate this week. The postoffice, the diplomatic, and consular and the District of Columbia appropriation bill.

There is a general understanding that the bankruptcy bill will be temporarily laid aside whenever Mr. Cockrell sees fit to call up an appropriation bill. Mr. Cockrell believes he will get two of these measures out of the way this week.

The house of representatives will begin the week's business to-day under some uncertainty of the order in which it will be prosecuted. Although the consideration of the bill repealing the differential duty on sugar imported from countries paying an export bounty upon that article was begun Saturday and is a privileged matter, no certain assurance can be given as to when its consideration will be concluded. Mr. Wilson has said that he would not at present ask for a rule to close debate, and members of the committee on rules have not been advised by him as to his wishes in this matter. To-day will be open for a continuance of the discussion, but judging from the manner in which it started Saturday, one day will by no means afford sufficient time for all who wish to speak to be heard.

The committee on rules agreed to give the Pacific railroad committee to-morrow and Wednesday for the consideration of the funding bill, but it is intimated that if Mr. Wilson insists on keeping the sugar duty bill before the house until disposed of, the Pacific railroad bill will be postponed. The committee on naval affairs have given notice that their appropriation bill will be called up Friday.

Should the Pacific railroad bill get the floor it will be the first time with one exception in seventeen years that a bill directly affecting the Union and Central and Pacific Railway companies has come before the house.

The Hazle Mine Fire.

Hazleton, Pa., Jan. 28.—The real work of fighting the fire in the Hazle mine began last night when six streams of water were turned on the flames. As yet the water has had little perceptible effect, and the situation is unchanged. Nevertheless, the Lehigh Valley officials believe they will be able to confine the fire to its present location and will not be compelled to flood the entire mine to subdue it.

The Fourth Victim Recovered.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 28.—The fourth body from the schooner Londer, wrecked at Norman's Woe, has been recovered in a badly mutilated condition. The funeral of the four victims will occur to-day from the Portuguese church.

Countess of Kinnouil Dead.

London, Jan. 28.—The Countess of Kinnouil, the third daughter of the seventh Duke of Beaufort, is dead. She was married to the present Earl of Kinnouil in 1848.

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For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 34, 5 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 07, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 55, 9 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 18, 1 20, 1 56, 224, 2 40, 3 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 43, 5 15, 5 36, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 45, 6 58, 7 07, 7 26 7 39, 9 p. m. 9 10, 9 50, 10 03 11 03 and 11 56 p. m.

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For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 37, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 11 48 A. M., 1 05, 1 37, 3 33, 5 06, 6 26 7 45, 8 42, 9 20 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 39, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M., 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 39, 9 05 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 12 35, 1 37, 2 43, 3 29, 4 36, 5 06, 5 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 39, 9 05, 9 36 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 14, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p.m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 26, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 39, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 26, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 43 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 39, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 43, 5 06, 6 26, 7 45, 8 42, 9 20 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 39, 9 05 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 39 A. M., 2 43 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 39 A. M.; 2 43 P. M.

For Freehold—7 39, 11 43 a. m., 4 36, 5 06 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 39 and 11 43 a. m., 4 36 and 5 06 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 12 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00, A. M., 12 00, 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 P. M., except Saturday, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 P. M. Saturday only, 1 30, 5 45, 6 15, 6 50, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 00, 11 30 P. M. Sunday—1 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00, 11 00 P. M. night. Sunday—4 00, 7 15, 8 00, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 2 15, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 00 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 6 38, 6 39, 6 52, 7 36, 7 50, 8, 8 08 9 22, 10 06, 10 37, A. M., 12 06 1 18, 3 07, 3 20, 3 52, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 22, 10 08, 11 28, A. M 12 28, 1 45, 3 30, 6 30, 7 11, 8 22, 8 22, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 35, 8 39, 9 00, 10 05, 11 36 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 05, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 50, 7 15, 7 35, 8 05, 10 05, 11 36 P. M. Sunday—1 30, 5 45, 9 25, 11 25, A. M., 1 10, 3 30, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 30 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Milton both.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 04, 11 a.m., 12 46 2 06, 3 22, 5 45, 4 56, 5 05, 5 14, 6 04, 6 04, 6 10, 8 32, 7 12, 7 36 9 21, 10 32, 11 22 P. M. 12 36 night Sunday—8 45, 9 30 9 54, A. M., 2 06, 3 22, 6 14, 6 56, 10 16, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 8 30, 7 00, 7 36, 7 56, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 05, 4 23, 4 36, 5 28, 6 26, 8 17, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 3 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 06, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 6 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 3 06, 5 05, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—6 45, 8 28 A. M., 3 02, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 58, A. M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 05 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p.m.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD,

6 45 A. M. for Flemington, Boston, Allentown Bangor, Bethlehem, Pottsville, Manch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 06 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Manch Chunk.

5 06 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 34 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Manch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Manch Chunk, Wilkesberre and Scranton. 6 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 09 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg. 5.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 9 37, 8, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 28, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 30, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 30, p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 48*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 3 09*, 5 34* 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night. Sunday—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 3 09*, 5 14* 6 45 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Sundays—4 10, 8 20, 9 10, 12 25 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 45, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19, a m. 2 40, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 55, 12 19 p m, 3 50, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 55, 9 05, 10 25, a.m. 12 15* 3 10, 4 20*, 5 54, 9 05 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 55, 9 05, 10 27 a. m. 1 10*, 4 23 6 48*, 9 05 p. m.

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A STATESMAN.

He was a dashing young Congressman, who came to Washington on the tidal wave from one of the districts in the South. But he had not been at the Capitol more than six months before those who had known him at home and came here on business, scarcely recognized him as the same man. A great change had come over Mr. Algernone Smith Brownlee, M. C. At home he had never amounted to much socially. He came of very poor parents—"white trash" the colored verdict said—though his relations had never been indicted by the Grand Jury. Mr. Brownlee's pedigree, however, began with Mr. Brownlee, and what he lacked in pedigree he made up by his prodigious hustling abilities.

With his keen energy and hustling tendency of mind, he had the good fortune to combine an affable disposition, an accommodating manner, a pleasant smile and a certain good address. When he entered the race for Congress none imagined for a minute that he had the slightest prospect of success, but the average political weather prophet has a very dangerous tendency to pin his faith to the infallibility of his own opinions and stand pat upon them; and that is why it happens so often that young men like Mr. Brownlee beat out an old race horse and go to Congress on a tidal wave. Unlike the ravens who croaked his doom, Brownlee did some characteristic hustling, snatched the nomination from a tired old campaigner and was elected.

When he reached Washington he wore the conventional soft black felt hat and long black skirt coat—a Southern idea of a Prince Albert. But before he had been here six months he looked like a copy of the latest edition of one of Jim Bell's Broadway swells, with a silk hat, black cutaway coat and gray trousers. And that's why his constituents scarcely recognized him.

It's strange how these things happen in Washington. The rich and thoroughbred Miss Daisy Vernon, who had smiled with icy scorn upon the suits of a dozen society people casting themselves at her feet, together with their fortunes and pedigrees, felt her heart dissolve beneath the insidious attention of Mr. Brownlee, M. C. There may have been something in that M. C., a mistaken idea, perhaps, that a man who is sent to Congress must be the cock of the walk in his district—an idea that some persons have—and that, altogether, the suit of a member of the House who combined as many attractive qualities as her Brownlee was preferable to that of any other mortal.

And so, to cut things short, after a dashing courtship, they were married at one of the fashionable churches, with a great display of pomp, the attendance of her distinguished relatives and his Congressional friends, members of the press, etc. Then, after a brilliant reception, they departed on their bridal trip, but not to Brownlee's home. On the contrary, he purchased tickets over a railroad that took him in a diametrically opposite direction, just as far from his district as he could go.

On the whole Brownlee deserved success. He had no influential friends to thank for his rise in the world; no family influence had stood back of him to direct his efforts; no money had been used to buy him a seat in Congress. He had just invested what mother wit nature had endowed him with, in such opportunities as came to hand, and when fortune, in her timid way, had knocked at his door, as she is said to do at every man's door once in a lifetime, he had said "Come in!" in his loudest tones.

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The session came to an end. The election was near at hand, and every member hastened home to look after his fences. It was the hardest struggle of his life to decide upon a course of action with regard to his aristocratic wife. Take her home? Leave her here? He suggested the latter course.

"I have been thinking a good deal about it," remarked Mrs. Brownlee. "I think I shall accompany you. You know, dear, I have never seen your papa and mamma. I have formed my own ideas of them, and am real anxious to see them. They must be just charming people to have a son like my Ally."

"Well, I'm not ashamed of 'em, anyhow," he replied in desperation.

They packed their things and left town the next evening.

If Mrs. Brownlee, in her buoyant trustfulness, anticipated scenes of greeting in which mingled the picturesque effects of a summer residence on the banks of Lake Como, as described by Claude Melnotte, with the other details of romantic stage illusions, which beguile the senses of a girl who has seen only the fashionable side of life, her anticipations were somewhat dampened when they stepped off the train in the dark and found themselves on a platform where some rough looking men were lounging about under the canopy of a projecting roof that was sheltering them from a dreary rainfall.

"Dog my oats, Bill!" called out one, "if this ain't Smith Brownlee. Hello, Smith; got back, have yo'?" slapping him on the back. "My, but yo' look putty! Come 'ere, Jim, look at 'im. Would ye know 'im ef yo' met 'im on a dark road? Say, Smith, yo' must a-struck it rich when we sent yo' to Congress? When yo' left yar yo' didn't have an overcoat to yo' back, an' I'll leave it to the crowd, now, did 'ee?"

Smith tried to take it as a joke. He laughed softly and introduced his wife in the ill-lighted waiting room whither the delegation of his constituents had followed.

They removed their hats and stared at the lady like a lot of bumpkins; but this diversion continued only until the most loud spoken constituent could think of saying something that was intended for a compliment to Mrs. Brownlee, but which ricochetted upon her husband in the form of another rude sally at the metamorphosis of his condition, when they all hawhawed in chorus.

Mrs. Brownlee was beginning to get shocked. The smell of the coal oil made her ill, and she pinched her husband's arm as a signal to break away and to hie to the bosom of his family.

Brownlee told the 'bus driver to stop at the hotel. He did; but the owner was tearing down that part of the building where the rooms for guests were located, to rebuild, he said, "again court time," and there was no place there for them. So there was nothing to do but what Brownlee, in the most desperate calculation of his chances, had never contemplated even as a last resort—stop at his home.

"Daisy," said he, in a hoarse voice as the 'bus splashed through the mire of the road; "Daisy"—softly taking her hand in his—"are you prepared to make a sacrifice for me; greater, I hope, than any I shall ever ask you to make for me again in all our lives?"

She said "yes," warily, with her head swaying loosely on her shoulders like a sick child's; "what do you ask me?"

"That you will not hate and despise me when I introduce you to my father and mother," he said, tenderly.

"They are poor, then?" she asked in that same weary tone.

"They are the commonest people in the State; they are so common that when everybody in town had the cholera it passed them by as not worth noticing."

"My!" she exclaimed, "how did you ever get into Congress?"

"By my own efforts, and not with the help of anybody in the world. I just simply hustled for it."

"Well," she said, "let it come."

Brownlee's mother smoked a corncob pipe and had whiskers. Brownlee's father ate his supper in his shirt sleeves, and wore cowhide boots outside of his pants while he was eating it. The wonder is that he didn't go to bed with them. The furniture was scant, and they rented the house; that is, they rented it, but Brownlee, M. C., paid the rent.

The greeting that the Brownlees, first edition, extended to the Brownlees, second edition, was cordial to demonstrativeness. The maternal Brownlee was something of a cook, and soon had a repast steaming on the table.

It wasn't a bad supper, but Mrs. Brownlee didn't have her Washington appetite with her, and her slight headache had grown worse, and she asked to be shown to her room.

The room had no comforts except a patched carpet, a pine bedstead and an upright packing box with a curtain drawn around it for a washstand and a portable mirror of the species often seen at cheap auction stores.

And this was what her Lake Como illusion had shrunk to!

When she arose the next morning her headache had not abated. The smell of fried pork and coffee that struck her olfactories while she was dressing was too much for her delicate nerves, and she never wished herself farther away from the house of her husband's parents than at that moment. She sipped a little coffee and then withdrew again to her room, just to be alone. When Brownlee, M. C., entered, she was lying on the bed fully dressed, weeping.

What passed between them in the interview that took place is a matter of conjecture. The result became evident when the 'bus drove up to the Brownlee mansion that evening, and Mr. and Mrs Brownlee, the younger, got in and rode to the depot. Brownlee saw his wife safely aboard the Pullman car, and then stood on the platform and watched the train disappear in the distance.

But that did not deter Brownlee from getting out and hustling. If he had worked like a Trojan the first time for his nomination, he threw the energy of a double dose of Trojan devotion into his efforts now. All the voters in the district did not know what the loafers at the station knew and what Brownlee himself knew, that he came of the commonest stock of white blood in the State. They perhaps didn't care. Brownlee had been a good member, and he could talk like a threshing machine, and his genial manners carried the day, and the result of it all was that he was renominated and elected, and went back to Washington to finish his unexpired term of service in the House.

His wife sat in the gallery one day unseen by him when a great debate was on. Brownlee had prepared himself for the master effort of his life. He had got the consent of the leaders on his side to make a speech. He attracted little attention as he arose, and with his genial smile glanced over the House, drew a deep breath and launched forth. But by and by he warmed to his subject, and here and there a member on the other side interrupted him. Then suddenly Brownlee's genius flashed forth in all its originality. Several members who had tried to trip him up found themselves mercilessly impaled upon the fiery shafts of Brownlee's sharp retorts and held up to the ridicule of the House, while Brownlee smiled in that fetching way of his that made him resemble an expert conjurer when he contemplates the astonishment of the deluded victims of his craftiness.

Before he sat down Brownlee had scored a triumph that insured him a place on one of the big committees in the House when the next Congress should organize.

One of the doorkeepers handed him a note. He was receiving the congratulations of his side of the House, and he did not open it for several minutes, holding it almost forgotten in his closed hand. When he opened it he read:

"DEAR ALLY—I am ready to beg your pardon now—any time. Come. Am heartbroken. "DAISY."

—Washington Post.

The Polite Boston Girl.

A very fashionable young man had just come out into the wind from the shelter of the buildings, when the gale took his hat and whirled it off down the street towards Copley Square at a terrible rate.

The young man looked helplessly after it. In the midst of its flight it chanced to pass near a very pretty girl on the sidewalk. She made a run for it, caught it, and actually started a little towards the young man with it; and as he presently came running up she took out her handkerchief, dusted the hat and handed it to the young man with a bow. He was actually too much dumfounded by the proceeding to utter a word of thanks. He merely took the hat and thrust it foolishly on his head, while the young lady, with a faint smile on her pretty face, walked away. And there was not a single bystander, even in that conservative neighborhood, who seemed in the least shocked, or indeed other than pleased.—Boston Transcript.

A Fat Woman's Dilemma.

"Pardon me, young man," she said; "can you tell me what the next station is?"

"Haverford, ma'am."

"Well, young man when we get there will you help me off the train?"

"I wouldn't ask your assistance, young man, but I tried to get off two stations back and couldn't. You see I am so stout that I have to get down the platform steps backward. The conductor saw me unfortunately, and thinking from my position I was just boarding the train, helped me on again."—Philadelphia Record.

Hard to Tell.

Bagley—Is this cigar foreign or domestic?

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The gentleman purchased the land and built the cottage while working as a carpenter. Three years ago his physical condition necessitated a change of occupation. Then, with that faith in mother earth which we believe is more fully developed in the better class of Germans than any other people, he turned to his farm and promptly decided that, on a plantation of the size, quality, not quantity, must be the maxim, and that in no other line could he reach his ideal so nearly as in the cultivation of celery.

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To offset this he has purchased a fifteen horse power boiler and a steam pump, and as a creater of rain storms he can give the Government experts in this line cards and spades and then drown them.

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Mose Will Read His Title Clear.

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"Humph! You won't do; you're too small."

Mose reflected that Kosher diet was getting mighty scarce at their house and remembered that he had an older brother who would just about suit. But there were dozens of boys who would swarm in, and the place would be filled before he could go home and bring back his brother. This catastrophe must be averted at all hazards. As he left the store he quickly hid the sign behind some barrels and "spud" home. In a few minutes he came back, breathless but triumphant, dragging his brother Solomon. No objection was made to the size of the latter, and he was engaged at $3 a week. The first task given him was to "take down the sign," which made little Mose smile. He also smiles broadly, time and again, as he feasts on goose and onion, and thinks how he won the victory for the Meyer family.

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"Madam," replied the doctor, roughly, "medicine is no trivial affair, and our visits are only to be rewarded in money. Small presents serve to sustain friendship, but they do not maintain our families."

"But, doctor," said the lady alarmed and wounded, "speak; tell me your fee."

"Two thousand francs, madam."

The lady opens the purse, takes out five bank notes of one thousand francs each, gives two to the doctor, puts the remaining three back in her purse, bows coldly and departs.—The Amusing Journal.

Solomon's Temple Was No Great Shucks.

"These stories about the beauty of the temple at Jerusalem must be taken with a grain of salt," said Dr. Solomon Schindler in Steinert Hall recently. "We must remember that at no time was there more than 50,000 or 60,000 people in Jerusalem, and that they lived in small, low roofed huts and had narrow streets, and that their surroundings were anything but beautiful. The temple was not larger than Mechanics' Hall nor more beautiful than the Park Street station, but to people who had such surroundings as the Jews at that time such buildings would be things of great beauty by comparison. We must judge all things by comparison."—Boston Herald.

Taking a Look Ahead.

Earl of Dedbroke—I have called, sir, to ask for your daughter's hand.

Mr. Porker—Hm! But s'posing they abolish your House of Lords over there?

Earl of Dedbroke—That wouldn't affect the ladies, you know. Your daughter would still be a countess.

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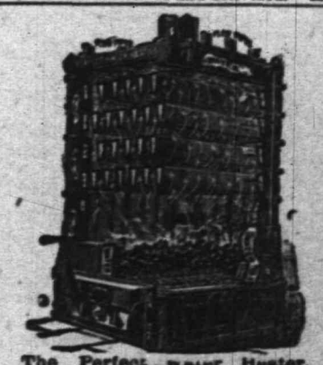

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CHAPTER I.

THE RETURN OF THE TRANSGRESSOR.

The telegraph operator came out of his office with a sealed envelope in his hand. He had just received a message, and that didn't happen every day, in Williston. The event was of sufficient importance to be noted by the men who were standing on Capt. Henry Thompson's steps. Capt. Thompson was the village undertaker, and his shop was directly opposite the telegraph office. There was languid expression of baseless speculation regarding the telegram, and it developed into active interest when the operator began to walk across the street staight toward the little group.

He gave the telegram to Samuel Ames, one of the old residents of the town, a man much respected for his excellent qualities, and pitied for his misfortunes which had been many. Mr. Ames took the message with a hand that trembled a little. He looked carefully at the envelope, and then anxiously at the man who had given it to him. The telegrapher averted his eyes. This pantomime, which would have been incomprehensible to a stranger, meant much to those who saw it. News in Williston is mostly bad news. The town is so far out of the way that good news, traveling much slower than the other kind, rarely reaches it in time. A telegram is a thing to be afraid of. Williston women, who had sons in the city, had been known to faint at the sight of such an envelope as that which Samuel Ames held. Therefore the old telegraphers had formed the habit of writing "good news" in big letters over the address when the contents was not very distressing. Those words were what Mr. Ames' eyes had sought and had not found.

"Perhaps it is all for the best," said the telegrapher. "It's about Ned."

Mr. Ames tore the envelope open, and laboriously read its contents. Then he looked straight ahead of him for thirty seconds; and perhaps he saw the weather-beaten building on the other side of the street, but more likely it was a little boy's face that grew, and changed, and vanished.

"Ned's coming home," he said, handing the telegram to Capt. Thompson. "You'll do what's necessary, Henry. I must go and break the news to mother."

Capt. Thompson bowed gravely. Not a word more was spoken, but two of

"HE SAW NED AMES ALIVE."

the men quietly took their places beside Mr. Ames, and walked with him up the street toward his house.

When the three were beyond hearing, the telegrapher said:

"Ned Ames is coming home at last, and he couldn't do better than come as he does."

There was no dissenting voice. It was the opinion of all present that Ned Ames was better dead than alive.

It must be admitted that the young man had done much to justify this condemnation. His boyhood had been diligently employed in getting out of one scape into another. At twenty he was a drunkard; a year later he narrowly escaped the penitentiary. Then he fled from the town, and for five years, up to the time when this story opens, his whereabouts had been unknown in Williston. Rumor had located him in a dozen prisons, and had accused him of every crime in the calendar. No one hoped to hear any good of him except his mother, a woman beautiful in spirit whose children should have been incapable of evil.

"Just what did the telegram say, Henry?" asked one of those who had witnessed the scene which has been described.

"He died in Boston, of diphtheria," respouded the undertaker. "His brother Frank was with him at the last."

"How'd Frank find him?"

"The telegram doesn't say. The body will be here on the boat to-morrow. Frank is coming with it."

Frank Ames was Ned's elder brother. He lived in Boston, and was so prosperous that it was even reported that he had sent money home. Certainly he spent it lavishly when he visited Williston in the summer. His parents were proud of him, but they loved Ned's degraded memory better than the living presence of the other. Thus you may know true love; that it is thrown away.

Ned's funeral was very impressive. There were a hundred reasons why it must be so. First, there was the mystery which had surrounded the young man. Would any record of his five years' wandering come to light beside his coffin? Then there was great curiosity to hear what the minister, Rev. Eliot Warren, would say. To speak at the funeral of such a man as Ned Ames is always difficult. If good alone could be spoken of the dead there would not be much to say in this case. But beyond these mere generalities was a special difficulty far deeper, far more painful. Ned Ames' name had been connected with a sorrow which had broken Eliot Warren's heart and had made his hair as white as snow in the early autumn of his life.

That was the other Williston mystery. What had become of Ned Ames? What had become of Charlotte Warren? One of those questions had been answered, at least, in part. Nobody expected an answer to the other. There was never a disappearance more complete than Charlotte Warren's. A pretty girl who "didn't mean any harm," who "would have been quiet enough if her mother had lived to look after her;" those were the comments which Charlotte's conduct had excited during her last few years at home. And so kindly was the feeling behind the words, that when the secret came out, when the girl's absence from home could no longer be explained by any supposition that did not blast her name, there was no one who had the heart to claim a prophecy fulfilled.

Gossip had wearied itself with that mystery. The girl was not dead. She had written to her father, and had begged him to forget her. He had exhausted his resources in the endeavor to find her, and had failed. Upon whom should the blame fall? At first there was mention of young Dr. Robert Maxwell. He had seemed to be smitten with the girl, and had left town rather suddenly about the time of her disappearance. But he had returned, and had cleared himself of suspicion. His temporary absence had been easily explained. Though Charlotte had left behind her what might be called a confession, it was so vague as to leave even the sin itself in doubt. There were some of the townspeople who stoutly maintained that the girl had run away to go upon the stage. But when all the evidence had been discussed a thousand times, Williston rendered a verdict that Ned Ames knew something about it. Charlotte had smiled upon him in spite of his disgrace; and her disappearance succeeded his flight by less than two months.

In view of these facts, an address by Rev. Eliot Warren beside the coffin of Ned Ames should be worth hearing. Would his plea for the forgiveness of the sinner ring hollow and false? Would he dare to openly condemn, when he knew that everyone within sound of his voice would be thinking of his daughter?

The Ames house was crowded, though it was so large as to hold nearly half the population of the town. The choirs of the orthodox and Unitarian churches, united for this most exceptional occasion, were stationed in the hall. Mr. Warren had not come. A whisper ran about that he had been unable, at the last moment, to make up his mind to it. This most interesting rumor was set at rest presently by the news that he was coming through the yard. With him were his younger daughter, Anna, and Dr. Maxwell. The recent announcement of the engagement of these two had been received in such a way as to prove that the old suspicions really had been laid at rest.

Samuel Ames stopped Dr. Maxwell in the hall, while the pastor, with his daughter, entered the parlor.

"Mother hopes you've thought better about that," said the old man, speaking of his wife by the usual endearing term. "I hope you'll let her see him, if you think he—he wouldn't be too much changed."

His tone was indescribably pathetic, conveying another sorrow than his own. His eyes had that peculiar appearance of excessive dryness noticeable in New England people when they mourn, as if the race had seen so much trouble that generations long since gone, where there is no such thing, had used up all its stock of tears.

"I can't permit it," said the young doctor, firmly. "You must think of the great danger it would involve. Although the coffin is metal-lined, I advised you against a public funeral. I'm sorry to grieve Mrs. Ames, but you know I told her all about this yesterday morning when your son's body was brought here."

"Couldn't it be done at the cemetery where there'll be only us?" pleaded the old man. "We don't care about the risk at our age."

"Don't permit Mrs. Ames to go to the cemetery," rejoined Dr. Maxwell, earnestly. "It's as much as her life is worth on such a day as this. There's a terrible wind, and the light snow is blowing in clouds. She must not—"

"But she will," responded Ames. "I can't prevent her. She will stand by her son's grave to-day. It is useless to protest. Hush! The service is about to begin."

The voice of the pastor was heard, and all other sounds ceased.

"We commend to Thee, O Lord, the body of Thy servant, that, being dead unto the world, he may live unto Thee; and whatsoever sin he may have committed through the frailty of his mortal nature, do Thou in Thy merciful loving kindness blot out forever."

His voice trembled with the fervency of his supplication. It was a prayer for the forgiveness of sin; and it was followed by an address which proved to every one who heard it that the spirit of perfect forgiveness had descended from on high to dwell in the heart of the speaker.

If there had been no more to mark the day, surely the words of that good man would have made it memorable in Williston. There was music—which had been the only influence that had ever seemed to turn Ned Ames' soul toward higher purposes—and the best promises of Scripture; a last prayer, and then the coffin was borne out to the hearse. Mrs. Ames followed it, leaning upon her husband's arm and her son's. Frank Ames—a tall, dark and rather handsome man, with a deeply furrowed brow—seemed to be much moved. Indeed, he showed more grief than either of his parents.

Few followed the hearse to the cemetery. It was a bitter day. Dr. Maxwell openly advised that only those men should go whose presence was absolutely necessary. As he was not one of these, he emphasized his own advice by refraining from the ordeal. He insisted upon taking Anna Warren to her home, and he exhausted much persuasion upon her father, who was obdurate and would brave the weather.

The grave had been dug through the soil which the cold had turned to stone. Into this "narrow house" the coffin was lowered, though Mrs. Ames had fallen upon her knees at the snow to beg for a last look in her son's face. Samuel Ames would have yielded, violating a direct promise which he had given to Dr. Maxwell, but Frank, though terribly excited by this painful scene, preserved his coolness sufficiently to control the course of events, until a new and surprising influence changed all.

A stranger had been observed among the little party in the cemetery. He was a man of middle age, plainly dressed, and he seemed to know no one except a boy named Horace Riddle, with whom he stood apart. The boy came of one of the poorest families in the town and was known as a ne'er-do-well, which facts made his companion of less interest. No one gave him more than a passing glance.

But just as the coffin touched the bottom of the grave this man stepped forward.

"I, sincerely ask your pardon," he said, "for interfering in a matter with which I have no right to concern myself; but if it is at all practicable, I would advise doing as this good lady requests."

There was that in his tone which excited a dreadful curiosity. It was so evident that he held something in reserve.

"Why?" cried a half dozen men at once.

"Because," said the stranger, "this boy informs me that he saw Edward Ames alive in this town yesterday."

The boy instantly spoke up and confirmed this extraordinary statement.

It is needless to describe the consternation which these words caused. Men lost control of themselves. The coffin was rudely dragged out of the grave. Rev. Mr. Warren and Frank Ames pleaded in vain for reasonable investigation. Everybody else counseled the immediate opening of the coffin. And the strangest part of the whole situation was that Horace Riddle's word was not worth a penny in the town. If he had told his story without the backing of this mysterious stranger, nobody would have listened.

Seeing that nothing could be done to quell this excitement, and that Mrs. Ames' agitation was rapidly approaching the point where human nature would endure no more, the pastor gave his sanction to the opening of the coffin, he himself assisting.

The outer wooden lid was easily removed. There was a loud cry from those who were bending over the coffin. The metal sheath was revealed, and a glance showed that it had been cut and wrenched.

"We shall find no body here!" cried one of the men.

At the same moment three others lifted the metal lid which was scarcely fastened at all.

"Yes! There's a body here. He's here, poor fellow!" exclaimed he who had spoken before.

The body was covered with an ordinary white sheet. It was gently withdrawn, revealing the face of one who, through the frailty of her mortal nature, had transgressed, but had come home at last—the face of Charlotte Warren.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

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AT REST.

Mrs. Medora Easton Bartlett.

The funeral services of Medora Cibley Easton, age 72, widow of the late Abner Bartlett, Sr., of New York, daughter of Rufus Easton of St. Charles, Mo., and mother of Abner Bartlett, Jr., of Plainfield, were held Saturday, Jan. 26, at 7 p. m., from the private residence of George C. Boldt, 3 West Thirty-third street, New York, adjoining the Hotel Waldorf, of which he is the proprietor.

The floral decorations were especially beautiful. The sidewalls and ceilings of the parlors were hidden beneath large palms, ferns and cut flowers. The set pieces were numerous. The royal purple velvet casket, with solid silver mountings, was similar to the caskets used at the obsequies of the late John and William Astor and also at the funeral of decedent's late husband, who was manager and confidential adviser of the Astor estates for the past 30 years.

The rector of Trinity Chapel, New York, officiated, assisted by the vested choir of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Bartlett were regarded by Mr. and Mrs. Boldt as their adopted parents, and after the death of Mr. Bartlett, his widow became a guest of the Hotel Waldorf, where she occupied a suite of rooms, and died last Wednesday morning, after a lingering illness.

She was born in St. Charles, Mo. Her simple, Christian, and unostentatious life endeared her to a large circle of relatives and friends. She was devoted to charity, and to gentle kindly deeds among the poor. Four children survive her: Grace, wife of Dr. Samuel Stryker, the eminent physician of Philadelphia; Mary Cibley, wife of J. West Horner, private secretary of John Astor; Cornelia Burrows, wife of Jonas B. Kissam, retired builder of New York, and Abner Bartlett, Jr., of this city.

The interment took place Sunday morning at 11, in Greenwood Cemetery.

What to Do with Jesus.

The second week of evangelistic services in Grace M. E. Church begins well. Sunday night the house was comfortably filled. Last night the weather kept many at home, but a good company was present to enjoy a sermon by the pastor, Mr. Randolph, who spoke impressively of the importance of deciding what to do with Jesus. He told this story of Robert F. Ingersoll: A one-legged soldier was observed in Washington crossing Pennsylvania avenue when the street was slippery with ice. Just as he was about to step across the gutter to the sidewalk, a man knocked his crutch from under his arm and the poor fellow fell into the gutter. Mr. McLean of Philadelphia told Mr. Ingersoll of it, who expressed great indignation and said the scoundrel ought to be arrested. "And yet"—said his friend—"that is just what you are trying to do, Mr. Ingersoll, to your fellow-men. You are trying to take Christ, their only support, away from them."

The meetings will continue every night this week except Saturday.

That Wicked Brother.

(From The Westfield Standard.)

To the Plainfield Press. Gentlemen—You are as wrong as the Irishman who mistook the parrot for a Jew duck. Here is what you say:—

In order to wean the Westfield Standard from Populism, Editor McBride of the Elizabeth Journal today installed Editor Pearsall as his assistant in the office of Private Secretary to Speaker Cross. All the bright Republican editors have now been rewarded by an appreciative Legislative.

Here are the facts:—Not A. E. but E. R. Pearsall, the wicked brother of the Standard's editor, has been installed as the Assistant Private Secretary to Speaker Cross, an entirely unnecessary office, by the way; and only a small chip of the great block of shameful extravagance which the Republican Legislature puts on the backs of the people these hard times. The Editor of the Standard could n't be elected Assistant Private Secretary to the Pound master. However, we manage to stub along and get out the paper with the assistance of the people.

Fitting up the New Postoffice.

F. R. Ridell of the Yale and Towne Company, who have the contract for fitting and furnishing the new postoffice, commenced work this morning uncrating the fancy wire work which recently arrived. The entire plant has been fitted and put together at the company's works, and needs only to be unpacked and set according to plan. A force of workmen sufficient to do the entire work within three days is on hand, ready to handle the various shipments immediately on arrival. Everything is on the road, and will reach here by tonight at the latest, much having already arrived.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

P. FINN QUOTES HISTORY.

REPUDIATES "AMERICAN'S" STATEMENTS CONCERNING CATHOLICS.

Says The Sun Disowned Those Desertion Statistics—Emphasizes the Loyalty of Irishmen to the American Flag.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: In reading "American's" late reply to my communication of Jan. 24, I was indeed surprised to note the historical inaccuracies of the same; also the old and worn-out calumnies which have appeared in all the previous communications from his pen. I will now comply with "American's" request, and quote documentary evidence. As to the Pope's recognition of the Confederacy, let us hear what Judah P. Benjamin, Secretary of State in President Davis's cabinet, said in his letter under date of Feb. 1, 1864, to his diplomatic agent at Rome, Dudley Mann: "The phrase, President of the Confederate States, is a formula of politeness to his correspondent not a political recognition of the fact. None of our political journals treat the letter as a recognition in the sense you attach to it." This incident is fully discussed by John Bigelow, ex-Minister of the United States to France, in the North American Review for October, 1893: "Mr. Bigelow sees no more reason why the Pope's civility in addressing Davis as president, etc., should be construed as a recognition of the Southern Confederacy than his addressing the Anglican Arch-Bishop of Canterbury by that gentleman's official title, would recognize the established Church of England." "American" quotes Lincoln's assassin as being a Romanist, which is utterly false and misleading. Booth was the assassin of Lincoln, and he was not a Catholic. Chiniquy's testimony with the regard to the same has no more weight than the "American's", as Chiniquy was an ex-priest, being deposed Sept. 28, 1851, for immorality. "American" produces his testimony from a Judas or Benedict Arnold. We are all aware of the value of such testimony. "American" asks who fired the first shot (C. Lossing). The first shot was fired by insurgents in Charleston Harbor on a national vessel, having aboard supplies for the garrison of Fort Sumpter. However, it is worthy of record that a New York policeman, Peter Hart, a Catholic serving under Major Anderson in Fort Sumpter, saved the American flag in that first battle of the war. In the thickest of the fight the flag was shot down. The brave and faithful Hart volunteered to raise it again. He climbed a temporary flagstaff, which had been erected, and in the face of a tempest of shot and shell he fastened the tattered banner at its top, where it remained until it was taken down by the commander at the evacuation of the fort. With regard to the desertion question, "American" quotes the New York Sun as being authority for the statement that 72 per cent. of the Irish soldiers deserted from the Union Army during the civil war. The Sun replies: "The Sun did n't say so. The Sun of August 30, 1891, produced a table sent by a correspondent, which said that 72 per cent. of the desertions were of Irishmen, but the figures are wholly false." Enough said for The Sun. As to the course of Christian Doctrine said by "American" to be taught in the parochial schools and Catholic church, the questions and answers in catechetical form have never been taught by the Catholic church, nor in parochial schools. The garbled quotations are not in their original form, and in the sense quoted by "American" certainly appear ludicrous. The extracts quoted by "American" were written in the Latin language. To prove his point he should quote the Latin, and if able translate the same. "American" is certainly very deficient in historical knowledge, or he would not quote the "Council of Lateran" as he did. He says every heretic and Protestant is condemned to death, and every oath of allegience to a government which is Protestant or heretic is abrogated, (Council of Lateran held, A. D., 1215). Now the word Protestants as applied to those outside the Catholic church was not used until the year 1592, when, on April 19, the Lutherans protested against the maintaining of the Edict of Werms. "American" asserts that the authors which he has quoted are the text-books in Catholic theological colleges. This is false. The following are the text-books used in the theological colleges in the United States: "Gury" and Kenning's "Sabtti". "American" rises to the height of supreme absurdity when he quotes "Pope St. Agatho" as addressing an encyclical to the bishops and clergy in the United States. Now "Pope St. Agatho" was head of the church from the years 676 to 678, eight hundred years before America was discovered. Alas, when you depend on your enemies for information, it shows that you have no foundation for your statements in the past. You speak of infallibility, but your knowledge of the doctrine is as limited as the ordinary day laborer's is of geometry.

And now, "American", a word before parting. No honest man in this free land is compelled to hide himself behind a mask. Truth and justice can stand the scrutiny of all eyes. You call yourself an "American", but you have not the spirit of one. The American spirit is a tolerant one, and it loves fair play, and because of those characteristics is admired by all the nations of the civilized world. You attempted to revive old calumnies, and foment the spirit of hatred in this peaceable community, and you did not succeed. As a logician you are an utter failure. As an historian, you have proved to the reading public that you are unworthy of the name; and as one versed in theological lore, you are beneath notice. The shepherd of a flock should be such that the people can rely on what he expounds, but when the leader is blind, alas, all will fall into the ditch. Christ is the Prince of peace, and His true followers will try to walk in His footsteps. The evil spirit is called the prince of darkness, because his works cannot stand the light of day, and his laborers walk in his footsteps. The doctrines you have quoted are not of the Catholic church, but of an imaginary one. When you wish to know the truth, go to approved sources, read approved books, and bear in mind to speak of others as you would have others speak of you. Then you can truthfully term yourself an American, and I shall then consider what you say. Otherwise I will not, as your arguments are not worth the paper they are written on. "Facts count", and the facts given here are indisputable. My assertions in the past as being familiar with documentary evidence are substantiated in this communication, as I have answered all questions accurately. It will be my last. I will now close, advising "American" to take a course in history. It will then be unnecessary for the so-called "Little Paddy Finn" to quote for him historical facts.

An American, P. J. FINN.

[The Press is glad Mr. Finn is through, and hopes American also will stop. The discussion has already occupied much space.—Ed.]

Suffrage Notes.

The New Jersey Woman's Suffrage Association met in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. of Newark on Friday, Jan. 25. The following chairmen of Standing Committees were appointed: Press Work, Mrs. J. T. Ellis, Newark; Suffrage in the W. C. T. U., Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, Plainfield; School Suffrage, Mrs. H. L. Coolidge, Newark; Laws Relating to Women, Miss M. Philbrook, Jersey City; County Organization, Dr. M. D. Hussey, East Orange; Suffrage in the Grange, Mrs. K. B. Lippincott, Hartford, Burlington County; Parlor Meetings, Mrs. Irving Angell, Passaic; Distribution of Literature, Mrs. D. W. Pond, Plainfield.

An interesting summary of the laws of New Jersey relating to women was read. Miss Philbrook's petition to have the law amended so as to admit women to practice law in New Jersey will be presented to the Legislature Tuesday, Jan. 29, when a number of prominent people will attend. Mrs. Kilgore of Pennsylvania will present the petition. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, President, and Dr. M. D. Hussey, Corresponding Secretary, of the New Jersey Woman's Suffrage Association.

Salmagundi Prize Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Macintyre of Central avenue entertained a few of their friends at their home last evening with a salmagundi party. It was a charming affair; and the host, hostess, and guests, all had a thoroughly enjoyable time.

There were six tables, and four players at each. The games played were euchre, tiddledewinks, devil among the tailors, crokono, hearts, and bean bag. The prize winners were: First feminine, decorated china plate, Miss Grace Kilmer; second, bonboniere cup, Miss May Sebring. First masculine, silver and gold pen try and inkstand, Runyon Fields; second, smoking set, Fletcher Hallock. Consolation prizes—Heart pin try, Miss Beth Thompson; match tray, F. L. C. Martin. Refreshments were daintily served.

The guests were: Miss Grace Kilmer, Bound Brook; Miss Mabel Burr, Wisconsin; the Misses May Sebring, Lizzie Maltby, Stella Place, Kittie Manning, Margaret Ransom, Lilite Garretson, Emily Sandford, May Sandford, Beth Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Pollock, F. L. C. Martin, Charles Hall, Runyon Fields of Bound Brook, Walter Manning, George Macintyre, Frank Honegar, Fletcher Hallock, Clifford Pierson, Harry McIntosh, Walter Place, Fred Sandford.

NORTH PLAINFIELD SCHOOL NOTES.

The Senior class held special Lowell exercises Friday afternoon. Miss Lillian Pope commenced with a sketch of Lowell's life. Edward M. Honeyman recited a selection from "The Vision of Sir Launfal," "A Day in June." Miss Florence Smalley followed with another selection from the same poem, "What Earth Gives Us." "The Courtin" was next recited by Miss Adele Woo'ston. The exercises were concluded with a recitation "The First Snowfall," by Miss Maud French. An exercise of a similar nature was held in the primary department at the same time.

The Junior class is preparing for a reception to be given to their teacher, Miss Petrie, on her return some time next month.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

A PLAINFIELD PASTOR WELCOMED.

Delighted Congregations Hear the Sermons of Rev. J. W. Richardson.

(From The New Brunswick Home News.)

The congregations at the Livingston Avenue Baptist Church, at both services Sunday, were well repaid for their attendance with two brilliant sermons by Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, of Plainfield. Both the morning and evening services were well attended, there being quite a number present from other churches.

In the morning Mr. Richardson took his text from 2d Tim., 2:19, "Nevertheless, the foundation of God standeth sure, having this seal: The Lord knoweth them that are His. And let everyone that name the name of Christ depart from iniquity." The sermon was a most profound one.

In the evening he preached from Daniel 6:10. "Now when Daniel knew that the writing was signed, he went into his house and his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled upon his knees three times a day, and prayed, and gave thanks, before his God, as he did aforetime." In the development of this text he brought out the beautiful character of Daniel, his loyalty to his God, his moral courage and his integrity of purpose. His word pictures were most beautiful and graphic and his audience gave him their most earnest attention during the entire sermon.

Mr. Richardson is a most earnest and forceful speaker and very much of an orator. He speaks quite rapidly, but clearly and distinctly. His earnest manner secures the attention of his audience immediately and holds it through the sermon.

The Livingston avenue people will be assured large congregations if they have as able men in their pulpit as they have had since they have been without a pastor. Next Sunday Rev. Mr. Freaker, of Scotch Plains, will preach both morning and evening.

Live Times at the Boys Club.

If a boy's enjoyment is to be measured by the amount of laughter and the volume of shouts he gives vent to, then the enjoyment of the 60-odd members of the Boys Club who attended last Saturday night's entertainment simply cannot be measured, for they did laugh and shout till the house almost shook.

One of the main supports of these entertainments, Miss K. Erskine, recently was in Boston, and thence brought the chief feature of the last entertainment. A bag of candy was suspended from the ceiling; and one member of the club, after being blindfolded, was given a stick and told to hit the bag; after three trials some other member took his place. What hurrahing and shouting greeted the vigorous strokes with which large holes were cut in the ——— air! That they did not decrease in volume when one actually did hit the bag, may be imagined. Besides, when the bag was hit and the candy rolled all over the floor, the rest of the boys had a lively scramble for it.

A fair exhibition in twirling a baton was given by James Conway.

A Trip to Chinatown.

Hoyt's merriest farce, "A Trip to Chinatown," is announced for Thursday night in Music Hall, and all lovers of Hoytian humor will find much joy thereat. Of all the so-called farce comedies which have delighted New York for a decade, "A Trip to Chinatown" captured the prize of metropolitan endorsement easily succeeding in packing Mr. Hoyt's beautiful theatre nightly for more than 600 nights. After this record-breaking run, the piece was transferred to Chicago and enjoyed a protracted stay at the Grand Opera House. The great popularity of this lively little skit may be attributed to its exuberant wit, captivating situations, pretty music and kaleidoscopic array of costumes. It is full of pretty girls, and they disport in habits of richest coloring and nattiest make.

Gun Club Banquet at Finderne.

The Raritan Gun Club, consisting of the following parties: George B Cramer of North Branch, W Camman, Hon J D Bartine, J R Garretson, Dr H G Wagoner, W W Davenport and James Brown, Jr, of Somerville, P V Z Stryker, Dr J P Hecht and A B Rohn of Raritan, enjoyed a very elaborate spread at The Finderne Friday night. The menu card was well filled, and some daintily delicious dishes were served proving Mine Host White a thoroughly competent caterer. After dinner had been disposed of, bowling, pool and billiards were indulged in.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; your price 45c and 90c

THE THIRD ASSEMBLY.

MANY GUESTS PRESENT FROM OUT OF TOWN.

Grip's Prevalence Causes Notable Absences—Many Dinners Before the Dance.

The third Assembly, which was held last night in the Casino, was quite as successful an affair as its predecessors have been. The patronage of these dances has been more generous this year than ever before, and the management has been so admirable in every respect that nothing but favorable comment has been heard from the many subscribers. The dance last night was marked by the unusual number of people present from out of town for this time of the season. The New Year Assembly has formerly been the only one of the dances at which any large number of visitors has been seen, and it speaks well for their continued popularity when subscribers care to fill their houses with guests at each recurring dance.

People were generally late in arriving last night, as there were many dinners both large and small before the Assembly, but the floor was well filled by 10:30, and dancing was kept up until after the prescribed stopping time. Where people do not get fairly into the spirit of dancing until after 10 it seems rather early to stop the music at 1, or even half-past, but the tendency everywhere seems to be toward early dances both in beginning and ending, as witnessed by the pretty idea of the "Cinderella Dances" in New York, where the music stops promptly at midnight and everyone turns his attention to the supper, which is deferred until the last, before going home to seven or eight good sleep hours.

The decorations of the Casino were very pleasing last night as usual, and evinced the energy and good taste of the patronesses. Rugs, sofa cushions, comfortable chairs, scarfs, candelabra, and palms, were arranged with happy effect. Some of the blue and white bunting from the Columbia dance had been left in place, while festoons of the running cypress, imported from Virginia by one of the patronesses, covered the canopy of the fireplace and hung in bunches from the electric lights around the room.

It is only necessary to say that Elliott's orchestra played to assure one that the music was of the best. Mr. Elliott himself was obliged to be absent, but his substitute was very satisfactory. The floor of the Casino needs no bush, and proved as good as ever, with the exception of the corners which were a little rough. The supper was most excellent in every way and the tables looked remarkably well, being very prettily arranged and dressed with candelabra. The entire supper arrangements were under the direct supervision of John Tombs, the club's head waiter, who deserves great credit for its success. The menu, which was rather more elaborate than usual, was as follows:

Consomme Rolls
Lobster Salad.
Chicken Croquettes Watercress Sandwiches
Fancy Ices Little Cakes
Coffee Lemonade

The next and last of the assemblies will be on Monday February 25, all the dances being placed before Lent instead of having one in Easter week as has been usual heretofore on account of the unusual length of the season.

All the patronesses were present last night with the exception of Mrs. Marion Ackerman, but a number of the subscribers were kept away by the grip, which has left scarcely a house uninvaded.

"Home, sweet home," was repeated three times by the good-natured musicians before the enthusiastic dancers were willing to betake themselves to the coat rooms.

Among the subscribers and their guests were:

Major and Mrs Robert L Burnett, Mr and Mrs William L Saunders, Mr and Mrs J W Reinhart, Mr and Mrs Benjamin Hexeman, Jr, Mr and Mrs Louis G Timpson, Mr and Mrs J Parker Mason, James S Anthony, Miss Lawrence, Miss Reinhart, Mr and Mrs Josiah Brown, John M Whiton, Miss Whiton, Mrs Charles F Abbott, Miss Abbott, Mr and Mrs James H Hallock, Mr and Mrs Henry P Talmadge, Miss Talmadge, Miss Norris, Mr Grey, Harry Talmadge, Miss Bessie Stokes of New York, H C Munger, Henry A Patton, Walter F Murray, Mr and Mrs J C Vail, Miss Carrie L Vail, Arthur F Freeman, Mr and Mrs Albert H Atterbury, W T Kirk, Mr and Mrs James P McQuaide, A L C Marsh, R O Beebe, A V Henderson, Harry J Borden, Mr Caldwell, Fred Walz, Miss Walz, Miss Mefatire, Howard Beebe, Dr B V Hedges, Mr and Mrs L W Serrell, George T VanBoskerck, J Gilmore Drayton, Thomas R VanBoskerck, Frank C Cokefair, the Messrs Yates, Mrs Randolph, Miss Randolph, A L Streuli, Edward VanBuren, Laurens VanBuren, Mr and Mrs F H Wills, Mr and Mrs Ernest Ackerman, Irving West, O T Waring, Howard Huntington, Edward Field, the Misses Holly, Miss May Waring, L B Waring, Mr and Mrs W J Roome, Mr and Mrs J T Scott, Mr and Mrs Joseph Sandford, Jr, Mrs Joseph Sandford, Dr F C Ard, Clifford McGee, Gifford Cooley, Julius Erickson, Mr and Mrs Wilder, Miss Wilder, J M Hallock, J F Hallock, Mrs VanBoskerck, William Runyon, Charles Spencer and Sydney Smith of Bergen Point, Constantine Miller and McCready Sykes.

—An attachment on the effects of Marion S. Knight in favor of John O. Campbell was served through Justice Mosher by Constable Rockfellow yesterday.

DOES NOT AFFECT SCOTT'S.

This Decision Concerns an Old Machine He No Longer Uses.

Judge Acheson has filed in the United States Circuit Court in Trenton an opinion in the case of Robert Hoe et al., the press manufacturers of New York and London, against Walter Scott of this city, in which he holds that the defendant has infringed on seven claims of the plaintiff's patent for a paper folding machine.

The plaintiff's invention is to "accomplish the longitudinal folding of fabrics on the run by means of interval guides and co-operating external burners which may be rapidly made and quickly adjusted in working order without necessitating great accuracy of construction, nicety of adjustment, or any considerable expense".

The invention consists in mechanism to produce "a two-part folding operation", in contradistinction to "the one-part folding operation".

Mr. Scott told The Press this morning that he would appeal the case, as the decision was directly against the evidence. He further said it did not affect his present machinery as he was no longer using the machine over which suit was brought, he having perfected a better folding device.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. David Van Buskirck of West Front street is recovering from the grip.

Raymond Miller of LaGrande avenue has entirely recovered from the grip.

Mrs. Charles Van Nest of New street, who has been ill with pneumonia, is improving.

S. Clinton Crane of East Second street is able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. Stephen FitzGerald of Somerset place, who fell a short time ago and fractured an arm, is rapidly recovering its use.

Kate Claxton, who appeared in her familiar role in "The Two Orphans" in Music Hall last night, was born and bred in Somerset County.

Edward Kline of East Sixth street, who has had the grip, is slowly recovering. He had hoped to attend to his business in New York Monday but, not recovering as rapidly as he wished, will not be able to go until Wednesday.

The funeral services of the late Miss A. A. Vandenbergh were held yesterday morning at 10, conducted by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor of decedent. The body was taken on the 12:06 train to New York, and interment made in Greenwood Cemetery.

Wm. M. Stillman and wife returned yesterday from a three-weeks trip to the Bermudas. Mr. Stillman completely recovered from the grip, and enjoyed a most delightful time during his sojourn. Mrs. Stillman was also much benefited by the change.

R. W. Rice, who is confined in a retreat in Philadelphia, is daily growing worse. His brother Clarence returned last evening from a visit to him, and says that while there was an improvement in his condition for the better a short time ago, he has since had a decline and that he now is in a critical condition.

High School Boys Discussing Men.

The Kappa Delta Phi of the High School has elected George A. Horne president, Charles Noble programme committee, Ernest Rapalje secretary and J. Hazelwood Craig critic. Henry B. Drake, the present programme committee, reported for the next meeting "An Afternoon with the Heroes of the Revolution." The members will speak on the following men: Charles Noble, Patrick Henry; Arthur B. Crane, James Otis; Ernest Rapalje, Sam'l. Adams; Wilbur F. Cornwell, LaFayette; Charles B. Morse, Benjamin Franklin; Henry Eggerding, John Paul Jones; John V. Beekman, Israel Putnam; Carlos C. Gallup, General Morgan; Henry B. Drake, General Anthony Wayne; Edgar L. Serrell, Count Pulaski; J. Hazelwood Craig, Thos. Jefferson; George A. Horne, George Washington; Lewis Rand, General Marion.

Body Building at the Gym.

Forty men were on the floor of the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium at the session of the first class last night. Physical Director MacPhie put the class through a calisthenic drill with dumb bells and Indian clubs. Some quick work was performed on the parallel bars and vaulting horse; then the class had quite a run on the track, adding several arm movements as well.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

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THE STRIKERS GIVE IN

Practical End of the Trolley Trouble in Brooklyn.

Connelly's Proposition That the Men Would Return on Old Terms Rejected—Lewis and Wicker Will Employ Them as Individuals, but Norton Don't Want Them.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 29.—The action of Master Workman Connelly in offering to the presidents of the trolley companies to declare the strike off within six hours and that the men would waive all demands and go back to work on the old terms, if they were permitted to do so, practically ends the strike in this city, although the strikers still have the one doubtful victory in the courts. The men in reality surrendered to the companies, only to be told that their places were filled.

President Norton, of the Atlantic avenue system, contemptuously spurned the offer of his old men to return and threw their formal letter in the waste paper basket. President Lewis, of the Brooklyn Heights company, sent a formal reply in which he courteously informed his old men that he would take them back as individuals upon his own terms as long as he had vacancies to fill. President Wicker, of the Queens County & Suburban company, replied also, offering his men, as individuals, what places remain on his lines.

Of the 7,000 men who went out on strike on Jan. 14, there are places left for less than one third. It is not at all certain that these will accept the places.

Strike Leader Connelly declares that the strike is not over by any means, and that the men tendered their services in order to remove all questions of fact as to the ability of the roads to obtain men, and thus furnish a new basis upon which to apply for peremptory mandamus against the companies.

The men say they have funds and will fight the companies by process of court and by boycott, until the companies give in.

The strike is practically over as the companies have gradually resumed the operations of their lines until every important one is in operation. Acts of violence still continue, and the restoration of the usual peace and quiet of the city is yet to be established.

Two men were shot by policemen in different encounters with mobs. One man is dying in the hospital. The other is less seriously wounded. A dozen other rioters have been injured by policemen's night sticks and the butt ends of revolvers in hand to hand encounters. Non-union motormen have been assaulted and severely beaten. Car tracks have been blockaded, car windows shattered, and trolley wires cut. There occurrences have been less frequent than during the days of last week, but they indicate that the safety of the public is far from being established.

Early in the day the troops of the 1st Brigade began leaving for their homes. Gen. McLeer and the civil authorities reached the conclusion that the peace could be maintained by the 2d Brigade, with its 2,800 men. New York's crack regiment led the way out of the city. The 71st followed, and, later in the day, the 22d, and 12th Regiments, Troop A, and the 1st, 2d, 8th and 9th Battalions, and the 1st Battery marched out of town. There was rejoicing in the ranks of the men who had served the state and acquitted themselves nobly during the eight days of riot duty.

The strike has lasted fifteen days. It has cost the railroads half a million dollars. The troops have cost the city $183,000. The strikers have lost $90,000 in wages, and the roads in loss of revenue $228,000. The general paralysis of business has amounted to a loss of many millions to the general public. Two lives have been sacrificed and many people injured.

District Master Workman Martin J. Connelly was seen at the strikers' headquarters on Bridge street last evening. He said that he had no formal reply to make to President Lewis' letter because he had not been able to get his committee together for a conference and he doubted whether a meeting would be held before this evening, as one of the committee had gone to New Jersey, another was out in East New York, and others were scattered in different directions.

"We will probably come to some understanding with Mr. Lewis," he said. "The statements published in several newspapers that I have declared the strike off is absolutely untrue. There is no necessity for doing that, for our people are in a much better condition to-day than they were on the day the strike was declared, notwithstanding the fact that the companies are making strenuous efforts to create dissensions among our men and that the companies owe them yet a week's pay. I am not going to surrender unless the companies come to terms satisfactory to the men. I have not heard from Norton or Wicker. So far as Norton is concerned he is making a big bluff when he says that he is prepared to operate his lines. Why, he hasn't got cars enough in condition to do so even if the strike were declared off now. A number of his cars were disabled by the inexperienced motormen and it will take thousands of dollars to repair them."

Death of Mrs. Franklin Harper.

New York, Jan. 29.—Mrs. Gertrude Frank Harper, wife of Franklin Harper, of the publishing firm, is dead of pneumonia at her home in this city, aged 38 years. She had been ill since last Tuesday.

BAD RAILROAD WRECK.

Thirteen Cars in a Heap and Several of the Crew Injured.

Winsted, Conn., Jan. 29.—The worst wreck the Philadelphia, Reading & New England railroad has experienced in years occurred yesterday, two miles west of here, when east bound local freight No. 22, in charge of Conductor Thomas Burns and Engineer John McMahon, both of Hartford, composed of fifteen cars and a caboose, left the rails on a curve.

Thirteen cars were piled up and jammed into one mass of twisted iron. The engine ran off the rails for 200 feet beyond the wreckage. Engineer McMahon, his fireman, Louis Brands, of Hartford, Brakeman William Loomis, and Flagman John Burke, were injured. Brakeman Michael A. Granville and William H. DeMunn were bruised and cut. Granville was taken out from under a pair of car trucks. DeMunn was taken to the Hartford hospital, with hands injured, and perhaps both men are internally injured. Engineer McMahon and Conductor Burns think a brake shoe on the box car behind the engine dropped, causing the car to jump the rails, pulling the engine off. The train was running down grade at fifteen miles an hour. At the time of the accident all the train-men were on top of the cars attending to the brakes, and the accident threw all the brakemen except Granville, a distance of twenty feet into the meadows. Fourteen cars were smashed beyond usage. The loss is estimated at $40,000. Care were piled into the air twenty-five feet.

BOTH WERE DROWNED.

Two High School Scholars Skate Into an Open Channel.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 29.—A distressing drowning accident occurred on North Watuppa pond last evening. The ice there was in fine condition but near the shore there was an open channel caused by a rapid current. A row of electric lights have been erected on the pond for the convenience and safety of the skaters. Some of these went out and while fixing them it became necessary to put out all the others.

A party of high school scholars were skating on the pond, among them George Fisher and Susie Terry, each aged 15 years. The two were skating towards Westport but owing to the darkness they did not notice where they were until they went into the open channel.

The cries for help were heard, and frantic efforts were made to save them, but owing to the dangerous condition of the ice in that vicinity no one could reach them and they were drowned in the presence of about 700 skaters, mostly young people.

Vigorous efforts were made to find the bodies, and within a few minutes that of the girl was found. Twenty minutes later the boys body was raised to the surface. All efforts at resuccitation failed. This is the first accident of the season on this pond, although not less than 5,000 people have skated there during the winter.

SUSTAINED THE COLLECTOR.

The Treasury Department Upholds an Important Ruling.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 29.—Information has been received here that the treasury department has sustained the collector of the port in an important ruling concerning American fisheries whereby it is decided that when the fisheries are prosecuted under the American flag, under the direction of American skippers and in American bottoms, the vessels are entitled to land the fish free of duty even though aliens were employed in foreign waters to assist in the enterprise.

An issue was raised in the case of the schooner Willie L. Swift which arrived at Philadelphia a few days ago with a cargo of herring caught off the shore of New Foundland. On the return voyage the vessel touched at Provincetown where the collector referred to the secretary of the treasury the question whether or not the fish were dutiable. Afterwards the vessel was allowed to proceed to Philadelphia where the catch was landed upon the payment of a deposit of $1,000.

Upon the recommendation of the collector there this amount was returned to the agent of the vessel. This decision is in direct line with those previously made favoring the interests of American fishermen.

WARSHIP REPORTED SINKING.

News Received in a Bottle Found Off the Coast of Zante.

Athens, Jan. 29.—The Greek government and the British minister have received information that a bottle was found off the coast of Zante and in the bottle a paper with these words: "Sinking rapidly. Inform German admiralty. German warship Stein."

The Stein is an iron and wood frigate of 2,810 tons. She was built at Stettin in 1879. Recently she had been used as a training ship. The German naval list for 1894 says that the Stein carried 446 men and was assigned to the East American station.

Banker Pirola Still Missing.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 29.—Banker A. Pirola, who fled from this city on Saturday is still missing. The amounts due to depositors in his Market street bank will aggregate $20,000. Every hour adds to the list of depositors who have small amounts at the bank. An angry crowd of Italians gathered in front of the bank and threats of vengeance was heard on every hand.

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CHINESE PEACE BASIS

Independence of Korea and a Money Consideration.

Willing To Give Fifty Million Dollars as an Indemnity and a Solatium of Ten More for Bereaved Japanese Families—No Cession of Her Territory.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 29.—The following Oriental advices have been received here under date of Tokio, Jan. 12:

It is alleged that the basis of peace mapped out by the Chinese government for the guidance of its envoys is an indemnity of from thirty-five to fifty million dollars (gold); a solatium of ten million dollars for the families of the Japanese officers and soldiers who were killed in the war; a formal acknowledgement of the independence of Korea, and an exchange of prisoners, but no cession of so much as an inch of Chinese territory. China offered these terms two months ago, through the non-official channel of communication that has always been kept open, and they were rejected.

It is a mockery on China's part to talk now of the independence of Korea. She has proved herself incompetent to exercise any sort of control in the peninsula or afford any sort of protection to her so-called tributary against foreign aggression. As for an indemnity, before the war is over Japans direct expenditure will have considerably exceeded the sum supposed to be contemplated by China.

What the Japanese nation wants is some guarantee of continued peace. The payment of a paltry sum of money and a totally worthless declaration about Korea's independence constitutes no guarantee whatever. Many thoughtful Japanese are beginning to ask themselves whether their country must not except a much larger responsibility in the sequel of the war than she originally contemplated, after all the real question at issue is whether China is to emerge from or remain in her old grave of conservatism. If the latter, she will be a perpetual menace to the peace of the Orient. It will always be possible for her by her spending sufficient money to hire fifty or a hundred Von Hannakens to organize and lead her armies, thus becoming a great military force without any of the moral restraints imposed by close association with the civilized tendencies. Japan would then be living side by side with a menace so formidable that she would be condemned to the fate under which some of the European states are now groaning.

The Chinese envoy, his excellency, Chang, is understood to have left Pekin on the 7th of January. The deliberation of China's procedure in this important matter is remarkable. More than a month has elapsed since the appointment of an envoy to sue for peace was publicly announced as a step to be immediately taken. Had the necessary decree been issued at once and had the envoy set out without delay, he might have traveled direct to Taku and thence taken a steamer for Japan, arriving at Hiroshima by December 20 at least. But China dilly-dallied as usual and Chang, on receiving his appointment, sent to the United States for an adviser and delayed his own departure from Pekin until the ordinary route being closed by ice, nothing remained but to travel overland to Shanghai, a journey of at least a month.

Doubtless the envoy is not to blame; the fault lies with his government. During the era of negotiations immediately preceding the war, when Great Britain was endeavoring to reconcile the two empires, the queen's representative in Tokio complained of the terrible delay involved in obtaining from Pekin any answer to telegraphic communications.

To that the British minister in Pekin pertinently replied:

"The work that you can accomplish in three hours with the foreign office in Tokio costs me three weeks to achieve with the Tschung-li-Yamen (foreign affairs board) in Pekin."

China is consistent. She never hurries herself, and Chang will be just two months later than he might ave been. Had he been acting on behalf of a western state, he would have reached his destination on Dec. 20, at least. Acting on behalf of China, he will probably reach it on Feb. 20, at the soonest.

Hazle Mine Fire Under Control.

Halzeton, Pa., Jan. 29.—The L[illegible] officials now believe that they have the fire in the Hazle mine under control. Supt. Lathrope said that they may overcome the fire in two or three days, but it may possibly take a few weeks. They hope to ultimately extinguish it without resorting to extreme measures.

Ingrain Carpet Weavers' Trouble.

Philadelphia, Jan. 29.—The report that a strike of ingrain carpet weavers, involving from 14,000 to 18,000 men, was imminent here is not liable of fulfilment. Considerable dissatisfaction undoubtedly exists among the weavers, but it is not probable they will strike in a body.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

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OATS — Quiet. No. 2 white, 36¼@36½c.; No. 2 mixed, 35½c.

PORK—Steady. Extra phime, 13.00@15.50; mess 12.25@12.75.

LARD—Quiet. May, 7.05.

BUTTER — Firm. Creamery, state and Pennsylvania, fresh extras, 23½c.; creamery, western extra, 23½c.

CHEESE—Quiet. State, full cream, fancy, 11@11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Dull. Western, 23c.

SUGARS — Unchanged. Granulated, 3 13-16@4c.

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AS WE SEE THINGS.

INFLUENCE OF THE INNER LIFE ON THE EXTERNAL WORLD.

How an Individual or a Scene May Have an Entirely Different Appearance to Two Persons—Happiness and Sorrow Made by Ourselves.

There have been philosophers who declared that the earth on which we stand and the stars on which we gaze have no real existence, but are merely the outcomes of our inner selves. Perhaps the best answer to this is that the mind itself, at least that of most people, refuses to receive the idea. The difference between the me and the not me is too sharply defined in the inner consciousness to permit Bishop Berkeley's notion from taking root within us.

Yet we cannot afford to overlook the germ of truth which this idea contains. Though not literally the creation of our thought, the outer world is to each one of us largely that which we make it. Nature herself, in all her varied scenes, whatever she may be in reality, shows herself to us in the light which we throw upon her. One man looks at a landscape and sees land and water, grass and trees, hills and plains, and nothing more. Another, a farmer, sees the growing crops, the fallow land, the noxious weeds, the prospect for future tillage and the obstacles to be overcome. Another, with a painter's eye, sees every variety of form and color, proportion and perspective, harmony and contrast, beauty and sublimity. To the melancholy man all is tinctured with gloom—a leaden pall covers even the gayest scenes—while to the joyous everything seems bright and glad, and even the dreariest of November days only suggests the radiant sunlight that is sure later on to struggle through the clouds.

So with the sights of a city. For each of us as they take on the aspect of our own mental condition. How differently they impress the citizen who has spent his life among them from the foreigner who views them for the first time! What a different message the stately and magnificent buildings bear to the absorbed man of business and to the architect who appreciates every detail of their construction!

If there is so wide a divergence in the aspect which inanimate things have for us, the difference is still greater in the way we regard the men and women by whom we are surrounded. Character is a complex thing, difficult to detect, impossible to fathom, yet we presumptuously venture to gauge and pronounce upon it with the smallest modicum of knowledge. It is curious to notice how differently the same person will impress various individuals. His friend will perhaps see no fault in him, his enemy no virtue. One will put faith in him; another will suspect his every action. One will deem him cold hearted; another will think him affectionate and kind. It must be that their own personalities are reflected in him, and that to a certain extent he does thus become for a time, while under their influence, what they suppose him to be always. It is certainly true that the good and gentle find far more goodness and gentleness in the world than those who are deficient in such qualities. It is the selfish man who is the keenest to detect selfishness in others; it is the overbearing who complain most of the arrogance and pride with which they are met, and the unjust who murmur at the injustice they receive. On the other hand, the loving and sympathetic discover love and sympathy everywhere; the noble and true bring to light nobility and truth which might otherwise be hidden. Thus to a large extent we develop the character of those we meet. By a subtle magnetism we draw like to like and evolve out of other personalities the characteristics of our own.

Even the outward circumstances of life are largely what we ourselves make them. We are accustomed to consider prosperity a blessing and adversity a curse, but quite frequently they change places. It is the spirit in which they are received that determines their result. The rich and self indulgent man, surrounded by luxury and opportunity, may be far less happy than his poorer neighbor who brings industry, fidelity and generosity into constant exercise. The same privileges that raise one young man to honor and usefulness are a snare and temptation to another. The same recreation that invigorates one enfeebles another. The same sorrow that softens one and leads him out of self to works of kindness and helpfulness prostrates another and renders him valueless. It is that which is within a man that so acts upon the externals of life as to decide their results to him, and through him to others.

If this be so, then happiness or wretchedness is largely in our power, and most of our complaints only bear witness to our own remissness. We may rightly recognize the futility of struggling against outward events which we cannot control, but we can always bring to bear upon them such a spirit and influence as shall turn evil into good and bitter into sweet.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Startling Announcement.

An English literary man who was on the verge of bringing out a book at the Pitt Press ordered his proofs to be sent to him at a house where he was engaged to dine out, intending to look them over in the half hour after dinner. The printer's boy however, was late in bringing them, and the gentlemen had already rejoined the ladies in the drawing room when the company was electrified by hearing the sonorous voice of the butler announcing, "The devil from the Pitt has come for Mr. Jones!"—San Francisco Argonaut.

The Value of a Hyphen.

I recall an advertisement which actually appeared, sans hyphen, recently in a London daily, to wit: "Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Levi, having cast off clothing of every description, invite an early inspection."—Chap Book.

MAKING TURPENTINE

AN EXTENSIVE INDUSTRY IN CERTAIN SOUTHERN STATES.

How the Trees Are Tapped and the Resinous Gum Gathered—Departments and Divisions In the Work All Under the Keen Eye of the "Rider."

Dialect writers find a fruitful field among the "Tar Heels" of the Carolinas, Alabama and Georgia. In the cool depths of the turpentine woods, with the gashed trees yielding up their resinous gum, the balmy air and the picturesque "hackers," "dippers" and "scrapers," with the ever vigilant "rider" watching everything, is a phase in southern life which has long been the delight of authors and the pleasure of artists. The crudity of the implements and the stills used in making turpentine and rosin lend additional interest to this old industry, and the gypsylike habits of the turpentine makers add to their ragged, illiterate charms.

Turpentine is the distilled gum of the pine trees of North and South Carolina, Alabama, Georgia and part of Florida. The season begins when the first spring sap rises and ends when cold weather checks the flow of the tree's blood. In January or February the "hacker," with his keen bladed ax, begins the round which ends with the season. He is the expert of the woods and knows his trees and just how much hacking they will stand. His task is to cut the "boxes" in which the thick gum of the wounded tree will collect. A box is a wide incision about six inches deep, a wedge shaped cut in the tree, and he hacks from 90 to 100 boxes a day. The first boxes are cut near the roots of the tree, and they are cut as close together to the height of a man's head as can be done without killing the pine. The hacker leaves a width of bark between each box so as to preserve the vitality of the tree. When the trees are leased to the turpentine makers, the terms of the lease limit the number of boxes to each tree, but when it is desired to work the pine to the fullest extent the gashes are carried up to a height of 20 feet or more.

After the hacker comes the man who "corners" the boxes. This "corner" is a cut in the top of the box to guide the sap into the cavities left for the gum, and the man who "works" the "crop" goes systematically from box to box, starting the sap anew with fresh incisions, working in this way 10,000 boxes during the season. The sap or gum fills the boxes with a clear, sticky, thick fluid, and this is removed by the "dipper." Scattered through the woods are barrels in which the "dipper" deposits the gum, which is then hauled to the still. About a quart of sap is taken from each box by means of the trowel shaped scoop used by the dipper, and then the hacker comes along and starts the flow afresh by wounding the tree again. The turpentine maker watches his men closely, for the Tar Heels are an easy going people and require to be urged by the "rider," who goes through the woods on horseback examining the crop, hurrying the dippers and hackers and sending the barreled gum to the still.

The first or "virgin" sap which flows in the spring makes the best rosin, and the poorest is the product of the hardened gum which is left on the sides of the boxes when the sap "turns down" in the fall. This is removed by the "scraper," who moves through the woods with his scraping tool, gathering the leavings.

The still is a large copper vat hooded with a close fitting cover in which is a funnel which in turn is connected with the "worm" of the still. This worm runs down into another vat near at hand, and in this vat the fumes or vapor of the heated gum is distilled into turpentine. Fire under the copper vat heats the gum, and the volatile parts rise to the funnel, pass into the still and are condensed by the water in the second vat into spirits of turpentine. The residuum left in the vat is the rosin of commerce, which is passed through a series of strainers and sieves to the barrels, which are made on the spot. The turpentine, however, cannot be barreled so easily, for it will work through an ordinary barrel. It is placed in white pine barrels which have been coated inside with several coats of strong, hot glue until the barrel is impervious to the subtle fluid.

The trees are worked for five or six seasons, and then the turpentine maker moves to another part of the woods. He started in North Carolina, crossed over to South Carolina and is still moving toward the gulf. Forest fires destroy the pines faster than the hacker does, for the flames sweep over large areas before they die out. Careful owners of turpentine woods have the pine straw and fallen underbrush raked away from their trees before the season begins, and collecting this material in some safe spot wait for a quiet day when no wind will cool the wet finger, and then they burn the rakings.

Negroes are common laborers of the turpentine woods, but white men are plentiful. They live in rough shanties in the woods, with the stables for the mules and horses near at hand. No work is more healthful than turpentine making, for it is all out of doors in the depths of the balmy, health giving pines, free from the malaria of the swamps and from sudden changes of weather.—Chicago Record.

Horsepower.

The difference between nominal, indicated and effective horsepower often puzzles people. Nominal horsepower is an assumed quantity, used for the convenience of makers and buyers in describing the dimensions of the engines. Indicated horsepower is the amount shown by computations of the indicator diagram. Effective or actual horsepower is the work an engine can do or the difference between the indicated horsepower and the horsepower required to drive the engine when unloaded.—New York Tribune.

THE SUNSET LEDGE.

ITS STORY AS TOLD BY THE OLD CALIFORNIA MINER.

The Two Contractors Who Refused to Heed a Timely Warning—Fifteen Years After a Blast Released a Pair of Grinning Skeletons.

In Butte county there is a quartz mine which has been abandoned for many years. Only the oldest residents of the vicinity remember the names of the locators, and scarcely a trace of the shaft and buildings remains. The ledge was discovered away back in the early days, when quartz first attracted the notice of prospectors; when many worthless ledges were worked because the miners had not yet learned how to read the value of such ore by the minerals in it, its location, dip and contact with other formations. The Sunset ledge was small, flinty and absolutely worthless, but the men who discovered it thought it worth development. They put down a shaft 100 feet in depth in wet and treacherous ground, and they used no timbers. Then they let a contract to two men—a Cornish man and an Irish man—to construct a tunnel 100 feet in length from the bottom.

Sometimes untimbered ground will stand apparently firm and safe for a time, and then, with no perceptible cause, suddenly get shaky and fall or close in. This was just what occurred at the Sunset mine. The two men in the tunnel had almost finished their contract and were "squaring up the face" of the tunnel when one of the men employed on the surface was lowered rapidly, ran to them and told them to leave the mine instantly because the shaft was closing in.

Why the men refused, in the face of a certain horrible death, to heed the warning is a mystery. The messenger begged and threatened, but they were obdurate. They laughed at him, told him to sit down and smoke a pipe with them and said they would leave the tunnel only when they had "finished her up in shape." Perhaps they imagined the man was playing a joke upon them or that it was a scheme to get them to leave the mine before their contract was fulfilled. At any rate, they refused to leave the mine, and the man who warned them returned to the surface only just in time to escape the fate of the men below. The shaft, with a roar, closed in, and they were entombed.

No effort was made to rescue the buried men. It was impossible to save them if they were not killed by the cave, and it was supposed that the tunnel had also collapsed. To sink a shaft 100 feet through treacherous ground would take a long time even in these days, when all the "modern appliances" for such work were at our disposal.

The mine was abandoned. Fifteen years went by. The story of the mine and the buried men became an old one. Their names were forgotten. They were like men who go down to the sea in ships and perish in sight of their homes. Their friends know that somewhere in the sea their bones are bleaching, somewhere in a great sepulcher upon which they may look, but into which they cannot see.

Fifteen years after the caving in of the mine some prospectors overran the locality. They were told the story of the Sunset ledge, and they went to its croppings and to the dump where the shaft had been and tested the ore they found there. Whether they found any gold is not known, but they found something which encouraged them. Perhaps they were not well versed in quartz and believed that any ledge would pay if developed. They resolved to reopen the mine. It was their opinion, they said, that the Sunset company had not put their shaft down in the right place nor sunk it deep enough. They (the new company) would choose a better spot, sink their shaft much deeper and tap the ledge on the pay shoot.

Old men who heard of it shook their heads and prophesied failure. They said no luck could come from disturbing dead men's bones, but the new company began and finished their shaft. Then they excavated a tunnel and raised an inclined shaft, hoping and expecting to strike the ledge where their judgment had led them to believe the pay shoot was.

One day, when they fired a blast, there was a rush of water down the incline, and the miners were driven out. After much trouble and expense a larger pump was put in and the mine cleared, and the cause of the sudden flow was explained. The upraise of the new company had entered the old tunnel of the Sunset company about 20 feet from its face. And there on a heap of rock, leaning against the walls, were two grinning skeletons. The bones of the dead contractors who had sat there grinning at their fate and for 15 years patiently waiting to be found were removed from the mine and given decent burial. The mine was again abandoned and will probably never be again opened.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Queer Ways of the Toad.

Paternal affection is not perhaps the precise emotion that we should be disposed to look for in the cold blooded frog. But the Surinam toad appears to exhibit this praiseworthy attitude of mind toward his numerous progeny. When his mate lays her eggs, the solicitous father places them carefully upon her back, where in due time their presence causes an irritation that produces numerous small holes, into which the eggs forthwith drop. In these cells, which, from mutual pressure, get to be hexagonal, like honeycomb, the young frogs are finally hatched, and for a bit scramble about their mother's back, hiding in their nurseries when danger threatens.—London News.

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ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage, (first liens)		$124,200 00
Value of property mortgaged, $320,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured at	130,600	
Market Value.		
$5,000	Union County Bonds	$5,540 00
25,000	Hudson "	25,500 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10,600 00
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00
11,000	Long Branch Improvement	11,000 00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000 00
4,500	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2 Bonds	4,500 00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900 00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10,850 00
	Demand Loans	8,200 00
	Interest due and accrued	4,081 14
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400 00
	Cash in Banks	56,542 82
	Cash in Office	262 45
		$328,066 39

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,598 28
Surplus	15,468 11
	$328,066 39

State of New Jersey, County of Union, } ss

John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pres.
ELIAS R. POPE, Treas.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.
JAMES O POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with schedules attached, and found this a true EXHIBIT of the assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., JAN. 29, 1895.

Defense of the Pass at Laing's Nek.

Jan. 28, 1881, the Boers of Cape Colony gave the British soldiers their first stunning blow in the Transvaal war. The Fifty-eighth regiment (British), of about 900 muskets and 180 mounted troops, stormed the height covering the Drakenburg pass over Laing's Nek. Daylight broke before the column started on its perilous march. The cavalry spurred quickly up the slopes on the left of the pass, but the Boers, equally quick and brave, hurled them back terribly cut up against the infantry. The infantry next dashed forward. Led by Colonel Deane, they were hurried up the steep slope in the face of an accurate musketry fire from the Boers, who did not flinch when confronted by cold steel. In fact, the Boers returned the British thrust in kind and charged their colors, taking one flag at the point of the bayonet after killing the guard. Although quite exhausted and out of breath as a result of their mad run up the hill, and raked down their line by Boer riflemen on their right and right rear, the British moved stubbornly on until Colonel Deane was killed and nearly all of the officers who went in on horseback had shared his fate. In the hottest of the fighting the combatants came so close that escape was all but impossible. Forty Boers gave up their lives within the British lines, resisting the charge by sheer physical strength, and in the ranks of the storming party the number wounded was but a trifle greater than the killed.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Napoleon In Battle.

Jan. 29, 1814, Napoleon fought the first desperate battle for the salvation of his waning empire. The remnant of his legions after the Russian campaign had been recruited to 70,000 men. The allies invaded France with 500,000, and in order to discourage enlistments in the battalions of the emperor circulated proclamations threatening to shoot down as bandits every French peasant found in arms.

Napoleon left the affairs of government in the hands of Louisa as regent and rode to the camps outside Paris, hoping to divide the enemy's forces before they could unite near his capital. He surprised Blucher's column at Brienne, the scene of his schoolboy life, overthrew the Russian cavalry, and by a brilliant charge captured the castle where Blucher was at dinner. The great Prussian escaped by sneaking away through a back door. Napoleon's personal valor showed at every point, recalling to his veterans the bridge at Lodi. At the head of the Old Guard he charged the rear of Blucher's line to cut off the retreat. Meanwhile the enemy's horse fell upon the French at the castle. The battle soon degenerated into an indescribable melee, in the walled grounds and park of the chateau. All those near Napoleon were cut down, but he defended himself with his sword until he backed against a tree which had been his favorite resort for study when a schoolboy. At St. Helena he declared that in that exciting moment he marked the tree and thought of the strange destiny which brought him again under its shelter. Regaining the castle, he found his cavalry marshal, Desmouettes, dangerously wounded and a body of Russian horse charging to retake their former ground. The gateways and passes were barricaded with dead soldiers. Only a single battalion of French was at hand, but the fiery energy of the emperor made him a host in himself. His soldiers caught the infection and would not be outdone in sublime daring. Led by Napoleon, this handful repulsed the last attack. Blucher retreated, and the French slept on the field as victors.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

—A sled of the sort the boy wants, is to be bought for a reasonable sum at Rand's.

—Kellar, the magician, holds sway in Music Hall tonight, assisted by his accomplished wife.

—Raymond Poole, an assistant clerk at the Commercial Palace, has been put in charge of the muslin and calico department.

—Miss Alice P. Spangenberg conducted the devotional meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U. this afternoon, and a spiritual hour was passed in discussing the topic Prayer.

—The business men's class at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium starts this afternoon at 5. The class will meet for one hour Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, of each week.

—Rev. F. W. Farr is expected to address the meeting, Feb. 6, of the Christian Alliance, recently organized at the home of P. P. VanArsdale, 301 East Front street.

—The Young People's Society of the German Reformed Church, Craig place, will give a lunch-box sociable in the lecture room of the church Thursday evening. A general invitation is extended to all Endeavorers.

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A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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THE BALL OF THE SEASON.

The Ackerman Reception at the Casino in February.

Cards were issued yesterday for what will probably be the most brilliant reception of the season. It will be given by Mrs. J. Hervey Ackerman of 318 West Seventh street, Monday evening, Feb. 11, in the Casino of the Union County Country Club. Mrs. Ackerman will receive, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman, Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, and Mrs. Robert Rushmore. Guests are expected from New York, Brooklyn, Newark, the Oranges, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Mrs. Ackerman also announces "At Home" Tuesdays, Feb. 19 and 26.

DEATH OF E. D. M'CARTHY.

Edward D. McCarthy, the lawyer, died at his home, 1038 Park avenue, today. He had been suffering from pneumonia, the result of the grip.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

L. J. Denton of Hillside avenue is still very ill.

Mrs. C. R. Barnes of Grove street is ill with the grip.

Llewellyn Bull of East Ninth street is a victim of the grip.

Thomas Smith of Doane & Edsall's is at home with the grip.

George Moore of East Front street is suffering with a severe cold.

The engagement of Miss Kate Mullin to George Hughes is announced.

H. S. Thatcher of East Fourth street is out again after a few days illness.

John DeMeza is able to be out after a few days confinement with the grip.

G. Q. Packer is in Philadelphia on a business trip. He will return Friday.

Miss Mertie Gaskill of Edsall's is kept at home with a severe attack of neuralgia.

Mrs. Daniel McCarty of Park avenue is suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

Lewis Squires of Watchung avenue is detained at home with an attack of the grip.

Miss Nettie Thorn of LaGrande avenue is confined to the house with throat trouble.

Miss Margaret Serrell of Plainfield avenue is slowly recovering from a recent painful fall.

Mr. Young of the firm of Young, Smith, Field & Co., Philadelphia, was in town yesterday.

Miss Caroline Kampton of Sandford avenue has recovered from the effects of an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Kelley of East Second street returned to the Commercial Palace yesterday after a week of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. VanEps of East Fifth street will leave tomorrow to spend a few days with friends in Jersey City.

James E. Martine and Miss Martine have returned from their trip to their mother's old home in Red Hook, N. Y.

Mrs. Walter Runyon and son, of Elizabeth, are visiting Mrs. Runyon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, 404 East Fourth street.

Herbert Rapalje of Bound Brook is not able to attend his studies in the Plainfield High School, on account of an attack of the grip.

The condition of Isaac Smalley, who had a serious fall last week, remains about the same, there being but slight improvement.

Seymour G. Smith of Central avenue left yesterday for Hartwick, N. Y., to join his wife, who has been visiting there the last two weeks.

Mrs. J. T. Armstrong of Brooklyn, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown of 404 East Fourth street, has returned home.

S. J. Casey and family of West Seventh street are about to leave their Plainfield home for one in New York city, for the rest of the Winter.

C. Henry Tower of Brooklyn is the guest of Miss Katheryn R. Fisher, at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. C. Fisher, 206 West Fourth street.

Everitt Trewin of Somerville surprised his mother and sister Sunday by a visit. They were wishing he would come, just as he walked into the house.

Miss Helen Brainerd of Sandford avenue, a member of the Fourth class in the High School, is able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Matthew Walker, who has been very ill at his boarding house in Westfield, has so far recovered as to be able to be brought to his his home on Grove street, last Sunday.

Mrs. E. P. Williams of West Seventh street and other of the Lady Cyclers went to New Brunswick in a stage last evening. They were entertained at Rutgers College by the students.

L. Cole of 78 Duer street, having returned from a visit to his son-in-law, Will Cadmus, in the City of Chutchee, today put in practice the Golden Rule, by cleaning off his neighbors' walks.

A party of young people left last evening for New Brunswick, where they were entertained by the New Brunswick Lawn Tennis Club. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Williams acted as chaperons.

—City Clerk MacMurray announces that liquor-license applications ought to in this week, and all bills by Thursday night.

—Reed & Coddington today secured the release from jail of Peter Kane and James Walsh. Mrs. Kane went her son's bail, in $500; and J. A. Smith, Walsh's. The boys' trial is set for February 6.

Excitement at the Meadows.

Hyde's meadows was the scene of lively fracas yesterday, in which someone would doubtless have been severely hurt if some of the employes on the Hyde property had not interfered. As it was, there were blackberry eyes, and strawberry mouths and noses in apundance.

The cause of the trouble was a fight between a little tough, commonly known as "Dutchy," and a more respectable boy of the same size, who was simply defending himself against the tiger-like attacks of the little ragamuffin.

"Dutchy" was urged on by the crowd of roughs standing around. One half-drunken bully named Pope, especially distinguished himself by his urgent appeals of "Do him, Dutchy," and when anyone stepped up to separate the combatants this particular individual would keep the fight going, by defending the boys with his own fists.

This was the case when a respectable young man stepped up to interfere in behalf of order. Pope sprang at him unawares and knocked him down, jumping on top of him. Pope repeatedly struck the prostrate lad about the head and shoulders. He was finally drawn off by several bystanders. He then started in to whip the whole crowd. He found this rather unsuccessful, so, after having had several unpleasant falls, he desisted.

The fight became general, but soon a treaty was made, to the effect that a certain tough and one of the peacemakers were to fight it out.

Owing probably to the maxim that "Prudence is the better part of valor", this particular peacemaker did not seem inclined to have a regular disgraceful ring fight, and was soon seen cutting a lively figure to gain the house of Mr Hyde or some neighbor, where he thought he would be safe.

A tough named McDonald caught him just as he was crossing the bridge leading from the meadows into Mr. Hyde's ground. McDonald also caught someelse for attempting to injure the peacemaker, received three straight blows which ended his part of the programme by knocking him off his feet three times in rapid succession.

The peacemaker was next seen sitting on the back steps of one of the neighboring houses.

Of course the crowd were anxious to see the fight out but in attempting to follow the peacemaker into Mr. Hyde's premises they were promptly driven back by the stable men with their dogs.

—The lantern-slide exhibition of the Camera Club was postponed from last evening on account of the non-arrival of the slides. The Camera Club regret the delay exceedingly.

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From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.
We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.
Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.
EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.
16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
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I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.
I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.
I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.
JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.
PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.
TO THE PUBLIC:
For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.
THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,
of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J.
I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. E. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.
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METROPOLITAN NOTES.

Interesting Facts and Opinions Chronicled by the Daily Press of New York.

New York's streets are a perpetual flower show. Any one that has known the city a dozen years must have noted the progressive growth of the retail flower trade. Not only does the business flourish on fashionable thoroughfares, but it has found its way to every quarter save the poorest. There are between 200 and 300 florists with shops, to say nothing of the myriad of street stand keepers and peripathetic men, women and girls. Wherever streams of home-going persons converge there is a flower stand wooing them to amiable extravagance. There are astonishing displays at a dozen elevated railway stations. All the new quarters far uptown have their florists, with all the luxuries, seasonable or unseasonable. There are plenty of second-hand dealers offering flowers that have already adorned the windows of the large florists, and in late spring and summer these flowers are so cheap that they come within the means of even the poorest.

Albert Bierstadt, the famous painter, has failed financially with liabilities $40,000 and nominal assets $100,000. He has long been in the front rank of American landscape painters. He was born in Dusseldorf, Germany, Jan. 7, 1820. He came to this country with his parents in 1831, and settled in New Bedford, Mass. He early developed a taste for art, and in 1851 began to paint in oils. In 1853 he went abroad to study at Dusseldorf and in Rome, making sketching tours during the summers in Germany and Switzerland. Returning to the United States in 1857, he made an extended tour through the West, and it was he who first put upon canvas the scenery in the Rocky Mountains, the Yosemit Valley and the Yellowstone.

Among his best know paintings are "Laramie Peak," (1861), now in the Buffalo Academy of Fine Arts; "Lander's Peak in the Rocky Mountains," (1863), for which James McHenry of London paid $25,000; "Looking Down the Yosemit," (1866), in the Lenox Library; "Settlement of California" and "Discovery of the Hudson," both in the Capitol at Washington; "In the Rocky Mountains, (1871), bought by Marshall O. Boberts for $40,000, and "Mountain Lake," and "Mount Cocoran in Sierra Nevada," (1878), now in the Corcoran Gallery, Washington.

In speaking of Mr. Bierstadt's work, a well-known artist said to a reporter: "There was a time when Bierstadt's paintings brought the highest of any American painter, and in London he was as popular as he was here. He was a great chap for courting royalty, and many of the English nobility were his friends. He was a particular favorite of the Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise. But painters, like women's gowns, get out of fashion. Since Bierstadt made a name for himself, other painters in landscape have came to the front, and I fancy Bierstadt's paintings would not sell for nearly as much now as they did ten or fifteen years ago. At any rate, they would not bring anything near their value at a forced sale."

Mr. Bierstadt was married about a year ago, for the second time, to Mrs. David Stewart, who, before she married the late millionaire banker, David Stewart, was Miss Mary E. Hicks. Mrs. Bierstadt is said to be very wealthy, having inherited the greater part of her first husband's large estate.

The field of charity has no fences. It is boundless, and will admit all the money that can be thrown into it. Charity tries the thoughts and the ingenuity of a great many rich people, who seek to help human failures and misfortunes. If people had more to give, there would still be ample opportunity for greater expenditure than marks the present time, so actively and energetically charitable. It is upon this humane and generous spirit that the Knights of Labor in Brooklyn, who are running the trolley strike, have sought to impose through an appeal that is fairly soaked with falsehoods.

"We have not appealed to force; we have acted as law-abiding citizens; we have refrained from violence," says this shameless wheedle. Yet at that very moment the streets of Brooklyn were lined with the entire police force and with militia of the State to protect the street cars, their passengers and operators, from being stopped and assaulted. Then the strikers go on to insult other citizens not engaged in the strike. They call the men "imported from other cities of the Union" to run the Brooklyn cars in the place of the strikers who have refused to run them, "the scum and drift-wood of humanity." Members of District Assembly 75 are honest citizens whom the railroad companies have "contaminated with the tramps and outcasts."

What self-respecting American joins District Assembly 75 of Brooklyn in calling men out of work "the outcasts of society?" What are Martin J. Connelly, the Master Workman, and his four associates in signing this request for money, that they can thus spit in the face of every man who comes seeking work which they have refused to do?

When the trolley men deliberately put themselves into the condition of asking charity, they were their own masters. An appeal for money to help carry on their devilish determination to keep other men from working in their places, and to maintain a situation in which the people of Brooklyn have their street cars stopped, and the men and money of Brooklyn and of the State of New York are called on to preserve the elementary rules of order and public convenience, is a gross abuse of the charitable impulse. The denunciation of non-strikers seeking work as "outcasts" is an inadmissible outrange.—N.Y. Sun.

Did Not Blame the Japanese.

The child often set the passengers laughing at her droll and ingenious remarks. Presently a remarkable fat Chinaman, in full Chinese costume, entered and sat opposite the child.

She looked at him in apparent amazement, and then, turning to her mother, with an air that showed she had given it up, asked:

"Mamma, what's that opposite?"

"Sh—. That's a Chinaman, my dear," answered the mother in a low tone of voice.

"The same kind of Chinaman papa says the Japanese are killing?"

"Yes, my dear. Don't talk so loud."

The child meditated a moment, and then said:

"Well—I don't blame 'em."

Many a man sets up for a public benefactor who never thinks it worth while to give his wife a word of encouragement.—Ram's Horn.

UNCLE PETER NOT SO RICH.

His Estate Valued at Not Over $30,000.—Terms of His Will and Codicil.

Much surprise will be felt by the friends of the late Uncle Peter Wooden to learn that his estate will invoice only from $25,000 to $30,000.

The bequests of his will which was executed September 3, 1888, were as follows:

To wife Margaret the home situate on Somerset street, with all its belongings and surroundings, of whatsoever kind, together with the sum of $2,000 in cash.

To Seventh Day Baptist Church of Plainfield and the Seventh Day Baptist Church of Piscataway, located in the village of New Market, each $2,000, to be invested in such manner as deemed best, the income only to be used for church purposes.

To the children of testator's niece Sally Allen, $100 each, the child or children of any deceased child of before mentioned Sally Allen to receive parents share.

To Mary Lize and George Wooden, children of Nathan Wooden of Newark, each $500.

To niece Mary Ann Boice, wife of John Boice of Newark $800.

To niece Susan Bonney $500

"To Emma Drake widow of George Wooden, deceased, the sum of $25, having given her during lifetime sums which I consider sufficient."

"For nephew Albert Wooden, no provision having already given him in lifetime sufficient sums."

To Alfred University of Alfred Centre, N. Y. $500.

Rest, residue and remainder, should any there be, to be divided equally between the children of niece Sally Allen aforesaid, provided said residue does not exceed $2,000, in which case the excess is given to Alfred University above mentioned.

All real and personal estate of whatever kind or wheresoever situate, to go to executors in trust, with power to dispose of same upon such terms and in such manner as to them seems meet and in accord with the above provisions.

The executors were George H. Babcock and William M. Stillman and the will was witnessed by Joseph A. Hubbard and J. D. Spicer.

A codicil was added April 1, 1890, changing bequest to wife Margaret deceased, that it shall sink into and become part of aforesaid residue.

The codicil was witnessed by William A. Coddington and J. Oakley Nodyne.

—The first of the business men's afternoon classes at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will be held tomorrow afternoon at 5.

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The American wheelman, who have earned the reputation of being the fastest riders in the world, sustained this praiseworthy title admirably last season by creating new records for all the short distance marks. In 1889 the one mile record was 2 minutes 29 4-5 seconds, and the two mile record 5 minutes 11 seconds. In 1891 the safety wheel began to grow into popular favor, and Peter Berlo rode a mile on a solid tire wheel in 2 minutes, 30 seconds, which was record time. It was also in 1891 that the pneumatic tire first made its appearance in this country, and H. E. Laurie, an Englishman, who was visiting America on a racing trip, at once place the one mile record at 2 minutes 27 1-2 seconds, and the two mile record at 5 minutes 28 seconds. Laurie was the first man to race on a pneumatic tired bicycle in this country.

Up to the advent of the pneumatic tire the English racing men were riding a trifle faster than the Americans, but their supremacy was of short duration. The one mile straightaway record of 1 minute 35 2-5 seconds made by J. S. Johnson at Buffalo last October, electrified the wheelmen in this country and in Europe, but it was only a few weeks later that E. S. Leonart, a Buffalo rider went over the same course in 1 minute 35 seconds. The conditions under which records are now made differ materially from those of years ago. Constant changes have been introduced both in the construction of the wheel and in the method of acquiring records, the sole object being to favor the rider. Wheelman also have the advantage of improved tracks each year, and, as a consequence, succeed in placing the records lower and lower. Pace-making is a business that is essential to fast time, and the American racing men are rapidly acquiring the knowledge of how to pace a record man.

Before the visit of A. A. Zimmerman to England about four years ago, the foreign racing authorities placed little credence in American records. The easy manner in which "Zimmy" defeated all the amateur English riders at once compelled the wheelmen in England to recognize and accept American records. The fact that the latter are superior to the foreign times is conclusive evidence that the tracks and racing men of this country are speedier than those to be found anywhere else.

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It is Held to Be a Lottery if Prizes Are Given in Such Contests.

Assistant Attorney-General Thomas, of the Post-Office Department, has ruled that it is immaterial whether the result of a lottery drawing is published as news without pay or as an advertisement with pay, newspapers containing the result of the awarding of such prizes are nonmailable. The only exceptions made are in the cases of newspapers publishing such matter in order to expose the concerns.

It is held also that the awarding of a prize to the person guessing nearest the number of seeds in a watermelon would be a lottery, though the guessing of the weight of a melon would not constitute a lottery if the guess were made after the melon had been lifted. The award of a prize to one guessing nearest the number of beans in a clear glass bottle, set in plain view, is also held to be a lottery

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BY THE WAY.

—A party of the clerks at the Commercial Palace enjoyed the excellent skating last evening at Hyde's pond.

—Flooded with water Saturday morning but flooded with bargains this week in all departments, is Boehm's big bazar.

—A promiesory note seems to have the power of making time fly. Don't deal on credit; deal at Peck's cash store.

—The store, 106 East Front street, will be opened about February 1, under the name of the Plainfield Tea and Grocery Company. H. T. Williams, who has many friends in Plainfield, will have the management of it.

—The produce store on Greenwich street, New York, of Wm. E. Smith, a resident of North Plainfield, was partially burned yesterday. The fire started in the front office, spreading through the interior of the building, and damaging a large amount of butter and cheese.

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Birthday Party of a Gay Old Boy.

Elias Allen, town committeeman of Washingtonville, celebrated the 71st anniversary of his birthday yesterday in a most enjoyable manner. Last night one of the jolliest kind of crowds called on him and Mrs. Allen, and gave him a complete surprise.

When the people arrived Mr. Allen met them at the door, exclaiming "School must be out!"

The evening was pleasantly passed in dancing, singing, and telling stories of the good old days. Music was furnished by Harry Spencer, guitar, and Herbert Schutt banjo.

During the evening Mr. Allen was presented with a handsome sealskin cap, and Mrs. Allen with a fine knitted hood. Col. H. Newton Spencer made the presentations on behalf of the company.

Those present were: Mr and Mrs W C Smith, Miss Sadie Smith, Harry Baglin, Mr and Mrs Wm Shotwell, Mrs Summers, Miss Maggie Summers, Mr and Mrs W A Schutt, Miss Nellie Schutt, Louis and Herbert Schutt, Mr and Mrs Allan Schutt, Mr and Mrs R M Fountain, Mr and Mrs H Newton Spencer, Mr and Mrs Stephen Beeching, Mr and Mrs Chas Bloom, Harry Spencer, Mr and Mrs J. L. Gifford, Miss Carrie Spencer, Mr and Mrs Geo Demler, Jr, Mr and Mrs Stephen Beeching, Sr, Mrs Mary Spencer.

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DEATHS.

McLUSKEY—In this city Saturday, Jan. 26, 1895. Miss Mary McLuskey.

Funeral services from the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Shaw, 141 East 9th st., Tuesday, Jan. 29, at 3 p. m. 2

FOSTER—Jan. 25, 1895, Maria C., widow of the late Amos C. Foster of Westfield, N. J. Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Norris Taylor, Ralph street, Belleville, N. J., Monday morning Jan. 21. Interment in Westfield.

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WAR MAY BE AVERTED

Guatemala's Minister Will Make Concessions.

But Mexico Has Already Declared Her Programme and Will Stand by It in Every Detail—More Volunteers from Students in the Interior Towns.

City of Mexico, Jan. 29.—Late last evening it became known that the Guatemalian minister had been instructed to make concessions. Neither he nor any member of the cabinet would comment on this report. The opinion gains ground that war will be averted. However, all the concessions must come from Guatemala as Mexico has declared her programme and will stand by it in every detail. Should Guatemala revert to her evasive and dilatory policy, the rupture probably would come at once.

The inhabitants of the state of Chiapas, which borders on Guatemala, and the students of all the larger towns, have volunteered to help the government with money and men in anticipation of war.

President Diaz hastily summoned a council of ministers and remained several hours in consultation with them. As the mouths of all officials are sealed to inquirers, it is impossible to learn definitely the object of the meeting. It is generally understood, however, that the chief topic was the offer made by the United States government to mediate between Mexico and Guatemala. The United Press correspondent could not induce any minister to admit this, or that the United States had tendered their good offices to avert war. Senor Romero, the Mexican minister in Washington, is known, however, to have given President Diaz notice last Saturday of President Cleveland's intention.

The prospect of the slightest intervention on the part of the United States has elicited very bitter remarks from many public men and has caused considerable excitement among the people. The war fever runs so high, that any power trying to avert it must reckon with the hostility of public opinion. In the streets and places of popular resort there is but one sentiment and that is in favor of Mexico's settling her differences with Guatemala, once for all, without toleration of outside influences.

The newspapers want war. They denounce Guatemala as impudent and truculent and contend that she must be humbled before there can be any certainty of peace for her neighbors.

The report that Guatemala and Honduras have formed a triple alliance for offensive and defensive purposes is discussed with many ironical comments on the impotence of these small states. If Mexico take the field with her army, the newspapers say, she might as well fight all three as any one of them, as it would be no harder to beat them.

Another cabinet council was held, presumably to consider Guatemala's reply to Mexico's final demands. The nature of this reply has not been revealed, but the general understanding is that Guatemala is merely fencing for time. The only positive clue to the government's programme is found in the government's small arms factory where work is pressed forward with unflagging energy every hour of the day and night. An electric light plant was placed in the building to facilitate night work. The ranks of the regiments are filling rapidly and apparently everything is in readiness for a sudden mobilization.

THE OLIPHANT BANK FAILURE.

Cashier Stone, in Default of Bail, Spent Last Night in Jail.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 29.—Cashier W. J. Stone, of the Oliphant bank, which closed its doors yesterday, was arrested at the order of District Attorney John R. Jones, and in default of bail in the sum of $5,000 spent last night in the county jail.

He is accused of forgery and embezzlement and with making false entries in the bank books. It seems that Stone ruined himself to prop up the waning fortunes of the bank, signing fictitious names to his papers in order to make them negotiable securities. The arrest was made at the instance of Bank Examiner Krumbhaar.

The bank made an assignment to the Lacawanna Trust & Safe Deposit company of this city.

France's New Cabinet.

Paris, Jan. 29.—General Zurlinden, commander of the Fourth army corps, accepted the position of minister of war. This completes the new cabinet, which is constituted as follows: Prime minister and minister of finance, M. Ribot; minister of foreign affairs, M. Hanotaux; minister of war, Gen. Zurlinden; minister of marine, Admiral Besnard; minister of justice, M. Trarieux; minister of the interior, M. Leygues; minister of public instruction and worship, M. Poincare; minister of public works, M. Dupuy-Dutemps; minister of commerce, M. Andre Ledon; minister of agriculture, M. Gadeau; minister of the colonies, M. Chautemps.

The Steerage War.

New York, Jan. 29.—Instead of ending the steamship steerage war, as was expected, a new offensive measure has been adopted by the Cunard, White Star, and American lines, which on Saturday reduced the outward steerage rate from this port on their fast steamers, the Lucania, Campania, Majestic, Teutonic, New York and Paris, from $15 to $10.

Murderer Hampton Electrocuted.

Sing Sing, N. Y., Jan. 29.—David Hampton, the negro murderer, paid the penalty of his crime yesterday at the prison here. The apparatus worked perfectly and the criminal died in fifty-seven seconds after receiving the shock.

Tahsin Pasha Suspended.

Vienna, Jan. 29.—A late dispatch from Constantinople says that Tahsin Pasha, governor-general of Bitlis, has been suspended and Eumer Bey, member of the commission of inquiry, has undertaken his duties.

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Chapman, Mrs F A	16 LaGrande av
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Endicott, Dr Geo W	Park ave. and 7th st
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Engine No 2	21 st near Park av
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Evans, Geo C	37 Washington ave
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Fisk, Chas. J	211 West 7th st
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Fritts, Dr J T	129 Park av
Fleming, Howard	1012 Park av
French, C Frank	69 Somerset st
do do	337 Park av
Gaston, M. D., W F	5th and New st
Grant, Geo W Chief of Police	416 W 6th st
Griffen, A M	119 E Front st
Gilbert, A	Cor Central av & 8th st
Hegeman, B. A	107 Sycamore avenue
Hedges, Dr. Ellis W	703 Watchung av
Hedden, Albert	4th st. near Park ave
Hoagland's City Express	161 North av
Howell R O	191 North av
Holmes E H	208 Madison av
Hogan Chas W	20 Rockview ave
Hammer & Mulford	220 Park av
Irvine D C	311 Watchung av
Jenkins, Dr. O. L	212 W Front st
Kaufman W T	521 W 7th st
Keely & Son	LaGrande av and Scott pl
Kirkner, J	8th and Divisions ts
Legeett Pharmacy	Park av and Front st
Linnett W N	110 Jackson av
Lowrie H H, Dr	512 Park av
Lowry, Rev Robert	Madison ave and 9th st
Lovell, L M	Crescent ave
Linke, Frank	227 W Front st
Lounsbury, F C	Plainfield ave
Wallinson A D	205 North av
Matthews, Chas	49 Grove st
MacDonald, J F	126 E Front st
Marsh Craig A	103 E Front st
Mathewson W B Dr	Babcock Bldg
do do	97 Rockview av
McQuaide James R	731 W 7th st
McGee, Henry A	Willow ave
McGee, James	Willow ave
Merry G W V	Park av and 5th st
Muhlenberg Hospital	6 8 W 3rd st
Murray, Dr. W H	737 Watchung av
Murray J W	313 W 4th st
Myers, J K	129 E 7th st
Newhall, Henry B	144 E 7th st
N Y & N J Telephone Co	175 North av
Park Club The	Washington av
Peaton T B jr	Rockview av
Perkins Ed C	Central av
Plainfield Bo t Co	164 E 3rd st
do Electric Light Co	Madison av
do Gas Light Co	E 7th st
do Street Railway Co	Grant av
do Water Supply Co	Netherwood
Police Station	Park av and Railroad
do Chief Office	Park av
Pond Machine Tool Co	8 2nd st
Pope J C & Co	E Front st
Postal Telegraph & Cable Co	104 Park av
Potter, C jr	417 W 7th st
Potter Printing Press Co	688 South av
Probasco J B Dr	E Front st
Randolph, L W	43 Front st
Reynolds, H P	Park and North ave
Reynolds, H. P	Washington avenue
Reed Chas A	27 Myrtle av
Reed & Coddington	Babcock Bldg
Reinhart J W	69 Belvidere av
Rheaume L A	Watchung av and 4th st
Rogers W H	408 W 5th st
Rowley Frank	45 Somerset st
Roberts, D S	127 North av
Rockefellow, Geo W	Park and 4th st
Rogers, D W	232 W 2d st
Roome, Mrs J	Cor. Mercer & Sycamore aves
Runyon, A M & Son	402 Park av
Runyon, A M & Son	416 Madison av
Rushmore, Dr Edward	429 Park av near Fifth st
Runkle, H G	831 8th st
Runyon, Chas W	119 North av
Rice, R. W. & Co	cor. Emily and Duer sts
Rushmore Robert	4rd st a d Grant av
Saunders W L	95 Mercer av
Serrell, Lemuel W	623 W Front st
Scott, Walter & Co	South ave
Shaw, R J	Front st. opp Park ave
Shepard A D	Fanwood
Slater F M	27 Jackson av
Smalley Bros	North av
Smith, W P	Belvidere av., Netherwood
Smith, Jas A	125 W Front st
Streuli, H A	1308 Hillside av
Stevens F R	703 South av
Stevens Geo O	Grant av and W Front st
Stephenson W J	146 North av
Sykes T F	Front st Fanwood
Talmadge, Henry P	Netherwood
Taylor Mrs M S	10 Rockview Terrace
Telegraph Office	Plainfield station
Terrill & Cole	200 W 2d st
Thompson, A D	147-149 North av
Thompson, A D	Farragut road
Thickstun, Jno A	221 Madison av
Titsworth, Jos M	413 W 7th st
Tomlinson, Dr T H	212 La Grande av
Tobin Geo J	137 Northav
Tracy, J Evarts	440 8th st
Tuttle W J	42 Watchung av
Tweedy, C B	125 Crescent av
Ulrich & Bleis	148 W Front st
Union Bag Co	248 E 3rd st
United States Express Co	102 North av
Union Co Country Club	Cor 7th st & Arlington
Van Sickle J W	142 North av
Wadeworth, W B	452 8th st
Western Union Telegraph Company	at depot
Wharton, Clifton jr	816 3rd Place
Woltman, E	809 West Seventh st
Wiechers, J F	W 8th st., near Grant ave
Wiertz Max	544 W Front st

VOICES OF THE HUMAN HEART.

I felt the breath of the expiring year
Pass in the moaning breeze, and to my sight
Glistened each star, as 'twere a frozen tear
Upon the mute and lonesome face of night.
Time, in our breasts, that slumbers not nor sleeps,
Marks the faint murmur of eternity
As ever round with rhythmic impulse sweeps
Sweet little eddy of the life to be.

We look, and, lo! afar doth stretch the deep
With ebb and flow amid the storm and calm,
Raising its thunderous praises to heaven's steep
Or chanting to the shore a lowly psalm,
While in the ears that hear, from little hearts
That shrink and swell as with imprisoned love,
Steal o'er the silence of their inmost parts
The nearer echoes of a voice above.
—Thomas Harkness in Chambers' Journal.

FIRES IN JAPAN.

But For Open Spaces the Japanese Cities Would Burn Up.

One of the quaintest sights in Japan is a fire. Hundreds of houses are often burned in the space of a few hours, and little or nothing can be done to stop the progress of the flames, especially on a windy day. If you except the roof, which is made of tiles, Japanese houses are built entirely of straw wood, bamboo and paper. In the poorer districts houses are packed close together, and therefore if one happens to catch fire sometimes the whole street is burned down with incredible rapidity, and the fire only stops at some open space where it cannot possibly spread further. It is not unusual in Tokyo or some of the larger towns to hear of a thousand or even more houses having been destroyed in an afternoon or during the night.

No one is more afraid of fires than the Japanese, and high ladders are posted at short intervals all over the towns and in all the larger villages, on the top of which ladders a watchman sits all night and in case of fire rings a large bell hanging from the top. If rung at long intervals, the fire is distant, and one need not worry oneself about turning out of one's fountangs. If rung a little quicker, the fire is not far, but there need be no apprehension. But if the bell is vigorously and quickly tolled then you may as well say goodby to your house, because in perhaps a few minutes it will be reduced to a mass of ashes.

The Japanese are wonderful at turning out at all hours of the night, even for going to look at a fire, and men, women and children in the coldest nights in winter think nothing of walking five or six miles to go and look at a big blaze. If the fire happens to be near, the excitement increases in proportion to the probability of one's house being burned down. You see people half scared and screaming, getting water wherever they can in pails, wash basins, tubs or anything they can lay hold of and throwing it all over the woodwork so as to diminish the chances of its catching fire. Then as the fire draws nearer, and the only water available has already been consumed, the process of saving what one can is put into practice. The amido, or wooden shutters, and the choljis, paper walls, are quickly taken down and brought into a safe place; the mats are lifted out of their places, and with the few articles of furniture are quickly removed. So that when the fire comes it only destroys the wooden frame of the house and the roof. That is all. It is seldom that life is lost in these fires, except sometimes when children or old people are unable to move, and once surrounded by flames they cannot be reached and often perish.—Tokyo Letter.

A Fine Foot.

The elderly gentleman was getting a pair of shoes, and the clerk was striving to please.

"You have an elegant foot, sir," he said as he smoothed the leather down across the instep.

"Um," sniffed the old gent, eying him narrowly, "I guess you ain't the chap that was coming to see my daughter every other night till last week."—Detroit Free Press.

STOLIDITY OF THE CAMEL.

It Sometimes Gives Place to Revengeful Fury.

The history of the human race has taught us that, even as "the worm will turn," so man, downtrodden by tyranny, will seek revenge. Therefore it is not surprising to know that the usually patient and submissive camel will sometimes resent an overdose of abuse. Too dense to think of a way in which he can outwit his driver and so take him unawares, when roused to the pitch of fury, he rushes at the tyrant opened mouthed, and his formidable teeth and powerful jaws do serious damage.

Of this vindictiveness the driver is aware, and of the certainty that sooner or later the camel will seek revenge. Accordingly, it is customary for the person who fears his malice to throw his clothes before the camel, meanwhile hiding himself until the animal's fury has been expended in tossing and trampling on them, when the injury, real or supposed, is at once forgotten.

The camel will not identify himself with his driver or rider in the smallest way whatever. He steadily declines all advances. His eye never lights up with love or even interest at the approach of his master. Should you attempt to pat or caress him he will object in a very decided manner.

Good treatment or bad makes no difference to him. Life and its hard conditions are taken for granted. His view of things is far too serious. He is so absorbed and preoccupied that he has no time to waste on the gambols indulged in by all the other young animals.—Youth's Companion.

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4.26 p.m—SOUTHWESTERN EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping car, daily, to Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, and Memphis. Dining car Altoona to Richmond

5 42 p. m.—PACIFIC EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, daily, for Pittsburg, Columbus, Chicago and Toledo, daily, except Saturday for Cleveland.

For Baltimore, Washington and the South—1 00, 3.05, 9.26 a. m., 9.39 p. m.

Sundays, 1, 9 05, 9 26 a. m., 9 41 p m.

For Baltimore only 1 37 p. m., week-days.

For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 24, 5 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 00, 7 20, 7.49, 7 57, 8 05, 8 28, 8 35, 8 47, 9 37, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 18, 1 20 1 55, 224, 2 40, 3 05, 3 37, 3 47, 4 42, 5 15, 5 35, 5 48, 6 05, 6 27, 6 45, 6 58, 7 07, 7 26, 7 59, 8 31, 9 10, 9 50, 10 03 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 54, 8 48, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 23, 2 45, 3 48, 4 28, 5 24, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 55, 8 20 9 15, 10 16, 11 46 and 11 56 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—7 07, 9 57, 7 29, 9 05, 9 36, 11 48 A. M., 1 05, 3 37, 3 39, 5 05, 6 36, 7 46, 8 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 05, 4 09, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 27, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 37, 7 10 7 30, 9 05 9 35, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 12 35, 1 37, 2 43, 3 39, 4 38, 5 05, 5 47, 6 05, 6 45, 7 46, 9 00 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 4 09, 9 05 9 35 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 3 40, 7 47, 9 16, 6 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 39 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 39 9 54 p m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 26, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 39, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 39, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 26, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 26, 2 43 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 30, 9 05, 9 35, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 43, 5 05, 5 47, 7 46, 8 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 7 30, 9 05 9 35, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 30 A. M., 2 43 and 5 36 p. m., and 5 40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 30 A. M.; 2 43 P. M.

For Freehold—7 30, 11 43 a. m., 4 39, 5 05 p.m., via Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via Monmouth Junction—7 30 and 11 43 a. m., 4 39 and 5 05 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 a. m., 4 39, 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 23 a. m. and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

For Sea Side Park, Island Heights and Toms River—12 46, p m.

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Leave Plainfield 3 34, 5 27, 5 39, 6 08, 6 39, 7 08, 7 20, 7 50, 8, 9 18, 9 37, 9 57, 10 46, 11 30, 11 38, A. M., 12 06, 1 16, 2 07, 2 39, 3 23, 3 51, 4 00, 5 04, 5 34, 7 09, 8 30, 9 32, 10 37, 11 38 P. M. Sunday—3 34, 8 27, 9 50, 10 37, 11 38 P. M., 12 06 A. M., 12 32, 1 45, 3 00, 5 20, 6 26, 7 11, 8 06, 8 32, 10 37 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 8 00, 7 10, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10 15 A. M., 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 30, 6 45, 8, 9, 10, 11 P. M., 12 midnight. Sundays—9 00, 7 15, 9 30, 9 P. M., 12 M., 1 P. M., 3 30, 4, 6 00, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 midnight. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 6 28, 6 39, 6 58, 7 28, 7 38, 8, 8 08 8 22, 8 38, 9 08, 9 38, 10 08, 10 38, 11 08, 11 38 A. M., 1 18, 1 38, 2 38 Saturday only, 3 08, 3 38, 4 08, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 54, 6 24, 6 54, 7 24, 7 54, 8 24, 8 54, 9 24, 9 54, 10 24, 10 54, 11 24 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 44, 9 05, 9 35, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 44, 9 05, 9 35, 10 05, 11 35 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 38, 7 08, 7 38, 8 08, 8 38, 9 08, 9 38, 10 08, 10 38, 11 08, 11 38 A. M., 1 38, 1 38, 2 38 Saturday only, 3 08, 3 38, 4 08, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 54, 6 24, 6 54, 7 24, 7 54, 8 24, 8 54, 9 24, 9 54, 10 24, 10 54, 11 24 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 44, 9 05, 9 35, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 44, 9 05, 9 35, 10 05, 11 35 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 8 48, 7 20, 9 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 48, 2 00, 2 42, 3 54, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 35, 7, 7, 7 56, 9 23, 10 26, 11 23 P. M. 12 30 night Sunday—8 48, 9 30, 9 54, A. M., 2 00, 3 16, 5 34, 6 35, 10 16, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 8, 9 30, 7 00, 7 28, 7 38, 7 48, 8 00, 9 08, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 57, 1 48, 3 08, 4 25, 4 38, 5 28, 6 30, 8 28, 6 30, 8 17, 9 48, 11 08, P. M. Sunday 5 26, 9 48, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20 5 08, 6 48, 8 02, 9 08, 9 58, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND BARTON

Leave Plainfield 8 48, 9 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 3 03, 5 14, 7 02, 9 21 P. M. Sunday—8 48, 9 30 A. M., 3 02, 9 02, P. M.

Leave Barton 8 06, 7 00, 8 05, A. M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

6 48 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 56 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 P. M. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 03 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 03 P. M. way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 48 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 2 27 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 2 27, 6, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 2 27, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 9 27, 6,10 27 a.m., 1 18 3 51, 4 50, 5 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 48, 9 46 10 46, a. m., 2 08, 5 36, 9 42 8 21, 9 27 p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—8 46, 9 46, a. m., 2 08, 5 14, 6 46 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 5 48, 9 46, 10 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 08, 5 36, 6 46, 9 42, 8 21, 9 27 p. m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 48, 9 54, a. m., 2 08, 5 14, 6 46 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Sundays—4 10, 8 30, 9 10, 12 25 a. m., 3 40, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 48, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19, a m. 3 48, 6 12, 8 10 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 48, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 30, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 55, 9 05, 10 35, a.m., 12 15, 2 10, 4 20, 5 54 9 05 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 5 56, 9 05, 10 27 a. m

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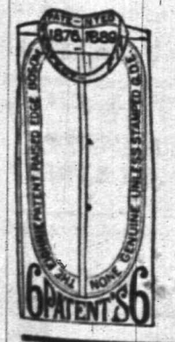

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Mr. Cleveland Asks for an Issue of 8 Per Cent. Gold Bonds of Small Denomination—Not Unfriendly to Silver, but Unwilling To See Gold Banished from Our Country—Views of Senators and Representatives—What the Silver Men Say.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The president in his message to congress on the financial situation says in part: "Whatever may be the merits of the plan outlined in my annual message as a remedy for ills then existing, and as a safeguard against the depletion of the gold reserve then in the treasury, I am now convinced that its reception by the congress and our present advanced stage of financial perplexity necessitates additional or different legislation.

"The real trouble which confronts us consists in a lack of confidence widespread and constantly increasing in the continuing ability or disposition of the government to pay its obligations in gold. The only way left open to the government for procuring gold is by the issue and sale of United States bonds. The only bonds that can be so issued were authorized nearly twenty-five years ago, and are not well calculated to meet our present needs. Among other disadvantages they are made payable in coin, instead of specifically in gold, which, in existing conditions, detracts largely and in an increasing ratio from their desirability as investments.

"The most dangerous and irritating feature of the situation is found in the means by which the treasury is despoiled of the gold. We have outstanding about $500,000,000 of currency notes of the government for which gold may be demanded; and, curiously enough, the law requires that when presented, and in fact redeemed and paid in gold, they shall be reissued. Thus the same notes may do duty many times in drawing gold from the treasury. More than $300,000,000 in these notes have already been redeemed in gold and, notwithstanding such redemption, they are still outstanding."

He says our bonded interest-bearing debt has been increased $100,000,000 in the last year for the purpose of obtaining gold to replenish our coin reserve and that this large sum was expended without any cancellation of government obligations or in any permanent way benefitting our people or improving our pecuniary situation.

"More than $172,000,000 in gold have been drawn out of the treasury during the year for the purpose of shipment abroad or hoarding at home, while the obligations upon which the gold was drawn out are still outstanding and are available for use in repeating the exhaustive operation.

"Our gold reserve has again reached such a stage of dimunition as to require its speedy reinforcement, and it will hardly do to say that a simple increase of revenue will cure our troubles.

"Whatever ideas may be insisted upon as to silver or bimetalism, a proper solution of the question now pressing upon us only requires a recognition of gold as well as silver and a concession of its importance, rightfully or wrongfully acquired, as a basis of national credit, a necessity in the honorable discharge of our obligations payable in gold and a badge of solvency. While I am not unfriendly to silver, and while I desire to see it recognized to such an extent as is consistent with financial safety and the preservation of national honor and credit, I am not willing to see gold entirely banished from our currency and finances. To avert such a consequence I believe thorough and radical remedial legislation should be promptly passed. I therefore beg the congress to give the subject immediate attention."

Mr. Cleveland believes that the secretary of the treasury should be authorized to issue bonds for the purpose of procuring a sufficient gold reserve, but says that we should be relieved from the humiliating process of issuing bonds to procure gold from which the government or people are not benefitted. He then continues:

"The principal and interest of these bonds should be payable on their face in gold, because they should be sold only for gold or its representative and because there would now probably be difficulty in favorably disposing of bonds not containing this stipulation. I suggest that the bonds be issued in denominations of $20 and $50 and their multiples,, and that they bear interest at a rate not exceeding 3 per cent. per annum. I do not see why they should not be payable fifty years from their date.

"These bonds under existing laws could be deposited by national banks as security for circulation, and such banks should be allowed to issue circulation up to the face value of these or any other bonds so deposited, except bonds outstanding bearing only 2 per cent. interest, and which sell in the market at less than par. National banks should not be allowed to take out circulating notes of a less denomination than $10, and when such as are now outstanding reach the treasury, except for redemption and retirement, they should be cancelled and notes of the denomination of $10 and upward issued in their stead. Silver certificates of the denomination of $10 and upward should be replaced by certificates of denominations under $10.

"As a constant means for the maintenance of a reasonable supply of gold in the treasury our duties on imports should be paid in gold, allowing all other dues to the government to be paid in any other form of money."

In conclusion Mr. Cleveland confesses his reluctance to issuing more bonds and assures congress of his anxiety to co-operate with them in any reasonable measure of relief, and expresses a determination to leave nothing undone which furnishes a hope for improving the present situation or checking a suspicion of our disinclination or disability to meet with strictest honor every national obligation.

The message of the president on the financial question was received in the senate without manifestations of approval or disapproval and senators are unwilling to talk publicly about it.

The gold men oppose the feature which suggests the retirement of the greenbacks and the silver men repudiate it because it eliminates silver.

Mr. Jones, of Arkansas, was the only member of the finance committee who would say anything. "The proposition to issue a gold bond does not meet with my approval," said he, "nor can I approve any proposition that does not do something for silver. The message of the president gives no comfort to the friends of silver and, for one, I could not support a bill drawn on the lines he suggests."

Senators Harris, Vest and Voorhees, democrats, and Aldrich, Sherman and Morrill, republicans, declined to discuss the message.

Mr. Teller, speaking for the silver men, declared that the message indicated the continuance of the hostility of the president toward silver and showed, only too well, that he was not in favor of anything that could be construed as assisting that metal to regain its old place in the coin of the United States.

Mr. Peffer, speaking for the populists, said that from the president's standpoint he could have not done otherwise. It was, however, said Mr. Peffer, the first utterance that proved the populists were right on this question, for the message clearly admitted that the government was at the mercy of the bankers and brokers. This the populists have always contended, and now, said Mr. Peffer, the president admits the truth of the claims the populists have made.

Mr. Hill said: "The message states the situation very accurately. Permanent as well as temporary relief should be granted at once. I trust that there is good sense and patriotism enough in the present congress not to refuse consideration of this subject. The business interests of the country desire and demand action, and the democratic party cannot afford to antagonize that sentiment. My views were fully expressed in my speech before the democratic club of New York last Saturday evening, and it is unnecessary to repeat them."

At the house of representatives most of the leaders declined to discuss the situation. Chairman Wilson, of the ways and means committee, after passing the bill over to the banking and currency committee, declined to supplement what he said on the floor of the house by any further expression of opinion. Mr. Springer's opinions were of course embodied in the bill he presented. Ex-Speaker Reed declined to discuss the message.

Mr. Dingley (rep., Me.), said he cared to say nothing further than that he "was willing to aid in the passage of any measure intended to restore confidence."

Mr. Brosius (rep., Pa.), said: "I am unalterably opposed to the wholesale conversion of $500,000,000 non-interest bearing debt into an equivalent amount of interest bearing debt unless the necessity for so doing is demonstrated—and in my opinion such a measure cannot pass. It is enough to arm the secretary of the treasury with authority to redeem and cancel the legal tenders as they are presented for redemption without more."

Mr. Grosvenor (rep., O.) said: "I favor a measure which while protecting the treasury from the incursions of gold sellers will also add to the cash in the treasury by an increase of revenues from the tariff."

Mr. Coombs (dem., N. Y.) gave his entire approval to the bill and the message. He said he believed that the house would adopt the plan substantially as recommended.

Mr. Warner, of New York, said the retirement of outstanding treasury certificates was the score of the presidents message. That would solve the situation. Everything else was incidental.

The views of the silver men of the house regarding the message are thus epitomized by Mr. Bland (dem., Mo.): "The message sounds very much like the one sent to congress insisting upon the repeal of the Sherman law as the only thing standing in the way of the prosperity of the people. The president is right from his standpoint and from the gold standpoint. If the law which authorizes the redemption of all these notes in silver is to be ignored under the plea that it is necessary to maintain the gold standard, then, in order to do this, bonds must be sold for gold to redeem the greenbacks and treasury notes. But, on the other hand, the power given to the banks to issue their notes on gold bonds opens wide the door for the banks to flood the country with their money, redeemable by the government in gold, and have outstanding in a short time a larger amount of gold obligations in the way of national bank notes than we now have by virtue of the greenbacks and treasury notes. To maintain permanently the gold standard all money must be so contracted as to bring prices in this country down to the worlds level of prices. I insist that the proper remedy is to pay out silver the same as gold. That is the democratic creed and the Chicago platform, and the battle between bi-metallism and gold mono-metallism has begun right here and must be fought out."

Mr. Pence (pop., Col.) said: "I am opposed to the bill. It is contraction pure and simple. All the Sherman notes—all the greenbacks to be bought with gold bonds and cancelled and nothing put in circulation in their stead. It leaves this vast and growing country with no money added to the active circulating medium except such gold as may be found and brought to the mints and such notes as the banks may choose to issue."

Fullerton Sentenced to the Reformatory.

Buffalo, Jan. 29.—James A. Fullerton, who several weeks ago made a murderous assault upon Broker Frank Short and attempted to rob him of $1,500, pleaded guilty and has been sentenced to the Elmira reformatory until discharged by law.

Two Killed; Twelve Injured.

Indianapolis, Jan. 29.—By the spreading of the rails on the Vandalia railroad near this city yesterday, two people lost their lives and twelve others were injured in a wreck.

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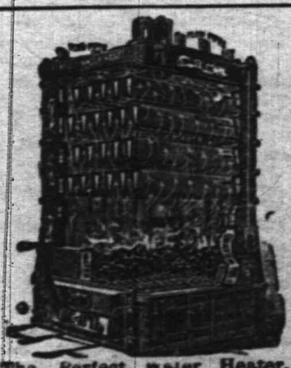

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CHAPTER II.

DR. MAXWELL GOES TO INVESTIGATE.

Dr. Robert Maxwell stood before the big fireplace in Rev. Mr. Warren's parlor. He had just returned with Anna from the funeral of Ned Ames. The girl had gone to give instructions about supper, with special reference to the tastes of her future lord and master who was to share that meal with herself and her father. When she reentered the parlor, Maxwell was grieved to observe that there were tears in her eyes. Indeed she had not ceased to weep since she had set foot in the Ames house.

"You should not let the memory of your sister's error prey upon you in this way," said Maxwell. "You must calm yourself before your father comes, for he will have all that he can bear without the sight of your grief."

"I will not let him see it," replied the girl; "but all the old sorrow has come back to-day. If we could only find her!"

"That is impossible now."

"You believe that she is dead?"

"Yes; and I could almost say I hope so."

"That is heartless! And you used to be such good friends. Why, you were much more fond of her than of me!"

"I looked upon you as a little girl in those days. You are right in saying I was fond of Charlotte. I always admired her, and I would believe no evil of her until doubt was impossible. You must not think me heartless because of what I said. Life must be worthless for her. Suppose we did find her; suppose, even, that she came back—"

"I would welcome her, and be a sister to her just as in the old days!" cried the girl, and the words came from her heart.

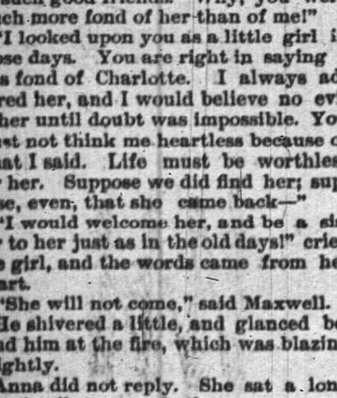
"She will not come," said Maxwell.

He shivered a little, and glanced behind him at the fire, which was blazing brightly.

Anna did not reply. She sat a long time in silence; and the young man, also, seemed to be abundantly occupied with his own thoughts. It was not a good augury for their future happiness that, with the wedding so near, they should make no better success of bearing one another's burdens.

Suddenly a murmur of voices arose in the street.

"Father is coming," said Anna, and she walked to the window. "Oh Robert what can this mean? The hearse is here. It has stopped before the house."



"OH, ROBERT! WHAT CAN THIS MEAN?"

Maxwell reached her side with a bound. His face paled at the sight. There were a hundred people in the street, surrounding the black-draped vehicle.

Mr. Warren was already at the door.

"Anna, my child!" he cried, "have you heard?"

She could not speak. What news the father had to tell, the reader already knows. He broke the direct shock of it as best he might, and the girl heard the astounding story without losing her self-command. At the first sight of her father's agonized face, she had resolved with all the firmness of her strong nature that she would not yield to any horror, for he would need her help.

The coffin was borne into the house. Anna saw her dead sister for a single moment. Then she led her father away, until with her love, and the strength that came in answer to their mutual prayers, he was himself again.

An hour later, the pastor and his daughter, with Maxwell and Frank Ames, sat in Mr. Warren's study and spoke of the awful mystery with reasonable calmness.

"I have sent for Mr. Harris," said Maxwell, naming a deputy sheriff who was the only officer of the law residing in Williston.

"There is no doubt, then," murmured the clergyman, "that my poor child died a violent death."

"None whatever," responded Maxwell. "Let me assure you, for what little consolation is possible, that her death was painless. There is an incised wound in the head, upon the left side of the head, about an inch behind the ear. She was struck down with a weapon, the nature of which I cannot determine further than to say that it was pointed and really sharp. It penetrated the skull and undoubtedly caused instant unconsciousness, and speedy death. That I know from other indications than the wound itself. I have known greater injuries not to kill, but the effect of shock in such cases varies greatly with different individuals."

Mr. Warren pressed his hand upon his forehead.

"I trust," he said, "that the feelings of my heart at this moment are not simply revengeful, but I would not be a human creature if I did not desire to see justice done upon the murderer of my child."

"We all desire that," said Ames. "Everything possible must be done, and done at once."

"Frank," said Maxwell, "were you with your brother when he died?"

"I was not. The truth must be told now, of course. I intended to deceive my parents in this matter, because I thought that they would suffer less if they believed that Ned had some one who knew and loved him by his side at the last. The fact is that I received a note by post from him which said: 'Come to see me at once if you care to see me at all. I am dying, and I want to say something to you for father and mother. If you don't come, or if you come too late, beg them to forgive me.'

"The note was wrongly addressed, and was delayed. The instant I received it I went to the house where he lay sick. He had already been put into his coffin, and it was sealed."

There was an anxious silence after these words.

"I know what you all think," said Ames. "But I can't believe it of Ned."

"Is any other conclusion possible?" demanded Mr. Warren, becoming greatly excited. "I have always suspected him of being the cause of Charlotte's flight. He wearied of her; murdered her, and took this means to hide her body from all eyes. It was a deep and villainous plot."

"There are grave difficulties," said Maxwell. "How was the death certificate obtained?"

"By bribery!" cried the clergyman. "Money will buy anything in cities. A doctor was bribed. It would not have been necessary for him to be privy to the murder. The plot might have been presented to him in various ways—as a fraud upon an insurance company perhaps."

"It is barely possible," Maxwell admitted. "What sort of a house was it in which your brother was supposed to have died?"

"A South Boston tenement house of an unsavory reputation—in short a resort for criminals. However, I found one honest woman in it, and she seems to have been the only one who did anything to help my brother when he was sick. What she said satisfied me. It was she who got the doctor for him; it was she who brought him food. She did not actually see him die, but she was in his room on the evening of the night when he passed away. What was done with his body?—the sealing of it in a metal-lined coffin—was by his request, and he left the money to pay for it. I have the address of the physician who attended him, and who secured the necessary permits."

"Will you give me that address?" said Maxwell.

"What do you mean to do?"

"Some one must go to Boston and investigate that story. For my own part—and I'm sorry to say it—I believe your brother to be the criminal. The plot looks simple. He pretended to die; Charlotte, who was doubtless in Boston, was lured to the house and killed."

"What's that?" cried Anna. "There at the window."

All sprang to their feet at this interruption. Ames was the first to reach the window.

"There is no one here," he said.

"I am sure I saw a man's face," said Anna in a frightened whisper. "It looked like—"

"Edward Ames," said the clergyman, as the girl hesitated.

"Yes; but I must have been mistaken. He was upon my mind, and I imagined that I saw him. Yet I am sure that some one was there. Oh, I am so frightened! This has been such a dreadful day!"

She sobbed hysterically. The three men stood with blanched faces.

"I see nothing impossible in it," said Mr. Warren. "Edward Ames was seen in Williston by Horace Riddle."

"Let me go out under the window," said Maxwell. "There may be tracks in the snow."

He turned toward the door; and then his impatience overcame him. He rushed to the window, flung it open and leaped out.

"A man has been here!" he cried. "These footprints in the light snow have been made recently. I can see nothing of him."

He climbed back into the room.

"Anna, dearest," he said, "your strength will bear no more of this. You must get to bed, and Mrs. Norton will sit by you till you go to sleep."

Mrs. Norton was the housekeeper. She was summoned, and, in spite of Anna's protest, she was made to resign herself to rest and the good old woman's care. But before they parted Maxwell bade her good-by, as for a considerable absence; indeed, he could not have spoken more tenderly if they were never to meet again.

"It is best for me to go to Boston and investigate the case there," said he. "As a physician, I shall be able to judge of the reality of Ned Ames' death, and, knowing both him and Charlotte, I can be of assistance to the Boston police, who will, of course, investigate the case. I shall drive to Holman junction to-night, in the hope of catching the express. I can do it if I start at once."

Anna strove to detain him, until she saw that her father was anxious that he should go. Then she bade him a tender farewell, and the young man went out into the winter night.

Ames remained but a few minutes after Maxwell's departure. The clergyman remained alone in his study. He had thought upon this mystery till his brain would think no more. He wheeled his great study-chair before the open fire and sat there, vainly dreaming that all these sorrows had never come upon him; that the child whose cold form lay in the room above his head was sleeping in her sister's arms that night, as pure as she.

There was a knock at the door. Thinking it was Mrs. Norton, the clergyman said: "Come in," and instantly beheld instead of the white-haired housekeeper the sturdy form of the stranger, at whose word the grave had given up its secret.

"Sit still, Mr. Warren," said he. "Don't be disturbed by my coming now by anything I may say. Who am I? Well, my name is John Mulligan, and I'm a detective from Boston. You'd

"HE DON'T NEED TO GO TO BOSTON."

like to know what I'm doing here, no doubt. I'll tell you: I'm after Eddie Ames. Now I believe him to be in this town."

"You know him to be here; that boy told you."

"As for that boy, his story don't help me much. You see the fact about that is just this: I inquired quietly for the biggest liar in town—one that would lie easily for small pay—and young Riddle was recommended; in fact, very strongly recommended. So I gave him a dollar to tell that story, and he earned the money. By Jupiter, he more than earned it. He gave me an experience, the equal of which I never had had before. For, though I suspected that Eddie Ames (alias Eddie Barker, alias a good many other names and everyone a thief's name) wasn't in that coffin. I had no more idea than you had who was in it."

"You are from Boston," said Mr. Warren. "You suspected that Edward Ames was not dead. Then you must have much important information. Dr. Maxwell should see you before he goes."

"Before he goes where?"

"To Boston, to find out how my child was brutally murdered in that wicked city, and thrust into a thief's coffin."

"We don't need to go to Boston for that," said the detective, earnestly. "It wasn't done in any wicked city; it was done right here in this town!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

All Within Professional Ethics.

Dr. F., a physician of Montpelier, was in the habit of employing a very ingenious artifice. When he came to a town where he was not known he pretended to have lost his dog, and ordered the public crier to offer, with beat of drum, a reward of twenty-five louis to whoever should bring it to him. The crier took care to mention all the titles and academic honors of the doctor, as well as his place of residence. He soon became the talk of the town. "Do you know?" says one, "that a famous physician has come here, a very clever fellow? He must be very rich, for he offers twenty-five louis for finding his dog." The dog was not found, but patients were.—London Telegraph

The Drayton Divorce Suit.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 29.—The hearing in the Coleman-Drayton divorce suit will not take place to-day. The hearing has now been postponed by mutual consent of counsel on both sides until Monday, February 4, before the vice chancellor at Jersey City.

No Bequest to Charity.

Elizabeth, N. J., Jan. 29.—The will of the late Col. John Kean has been admitted to probate by Surrogate Parrot. An estate of about $3,000,000 is divided among his family. No bequests were made to any charitable institutions.

Signs His First Bill.

Albany, Jan. 29.—Gov. Morton yesterday signed the first bill of the session, making it a law. It was the "Proceedure" bill, providing for public hearings on proposed legislation for cities of less than 250,000 inhabitants.

Heavy Snow Storm at Jackson, Tenn.

Jackson, Tenn., Jan. 29.—The hardest snow storm ever seen by the oldest inhabitants is raging here now. It began before dawn and has continued all day. The snow is now ten inches deep and falling heavily.

Armor for Russian War Vessels.

Bethlehem, Pa., Jan. 29.—The Bethlehem Iron company will to-day start work on the armor for new war vessels for the Russian government. Inspector Riazanine Gabriel has arrived.

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FUN. MUSIC AND HORSEFLESH.

Wonderful Combination Expected in Thatcher and Johnson's Minstrels.

George Thatcher and Carroll Johnson make a great team. Their new minstrel company opens in Wilmington tomorrow night, and comes to Plainfield, Monday night, Feb. 4.

One of the many features of the performance will be the novel opening first-part, a display of a costly and superb effort in scenic magnificence, beauty and elegance of costuming, the sumptuousness of which has never before been attempted in minstrelsy. The scene was especially devised for the company at a cost of $1,000, and represents a beautiful electrical palace with a grand stairway at the centre, surmounted with statues supporting many electrical chandeliers, thus making one of the grandest pictures of splendor, seldom seen on the stage.

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Thatcher and Johnson have made this one of their strongest features, and at every performance will appear in their inimitable monologues and specialties.

The performance will conclude with the great pony circus, in which ten of the most beautiful specimens of horseflesh in the world will participate in the grand march. "Banner," the great wrestling pony, will wrestle three bouts, catch-as-catch-can, with his comical colored wrestler and trainer. "Madison Square," positively the smallest horse in existence, weighing only 45 pounds, and but 27 inches in height, will perform difficult acts.

On the afternoon of the performance, the entire company, handsomely and uniformly costumed in black coats and white silk hats of the latest and most approved style, preceded by their own band and the pony circus, will parade through the principal thoroughfares of the city, making a pleasing and attractive spectacle. The sale of seats for this engagement is now on at Music Hall.

Chinatown in Plainfield.

"A Trip to Chinatown", which comes to Music Hall tomorrow night, was written "only to amuse", and has no pretensions to plot. Several new songs have been added, all of which are tuneful and catchy.

Frank Lane, who plays the part of Welland Strong, heads the list of comedians, and promises to be as funny as his character would indicate. James Smith, the Ben Gay of the company, is just as sedate as a staid old man could be when out with the boys. Lottie Mortimer as Flirt is more captivating than ever. Georgie Bryton as Willie Grow is thoroughly up to the times for a youngster, and Sara Maddern as the gushing widow, Mrs. Guyer, is deserving of special mention.

The scenery, costumes, properties, have all been renovated since its production at the home theatre, and are carried with the company.

Prizes at Cards.

A progressive card party was enjoyed at the home of Sydney R Titsworth Monday. Whist was the game enjoyed, and after three hours of play the lucky ones were rewarded with prizes. Volney F. Green secured as first prize a silk four-in-hand scarf, having scored seven games out of a possible eleven. Arthur W. Vail received second prize, an aluminium match safe, having scored six games. Refreshments were served at 11, after which the guests returned home. Those who attended were: Arthur W. Vail, E Frank Vail, Rolland Tomlinson, Carl Pfender, Arthur J. Spicer, John Sutphen and Volney F. Green.

Christian Conference.

A conference of the superintendents of Junior Christian Endeavor Societies of Union County will be held in the parlors of the Central Baptist Church, Elizabeth, tomorrow afternoon at 2. Mrs. H. M. Maxson of this city will make an address. Mrs. Lowry, the county superintendent, and others of the junior department, are arranging for a junior rally to be held in Plainfield some time in February.

Slippery Walks.

Miss Maggie Flynn going for Dr. Boone to attend Miss Lizzie Flanagan, who had fallen on the ice, fell and had to be assisted home. Miss Flanagan was unconscious two hours, and both girls were badly shaken up. Police Sergeant Kiely's father was severely bruised by a fall at the same spot where Miss Flynn fell, on Liberty street near the parochial school.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PLANTED—AN ACORN.

The Plainfield Manual Training and Grammar School, conducted by John Dalziel, in the second story of the Friends Meeting-House on East Front street, on Thursday afternoon and evening, from three until ten p. m., held its first reception. A goodly stream of friends and visitors made glad the hearts of Mr. Dalziel, of his daughter, (who teaches the clay modelling class, and who proposed and carried through to success the new enterprise of the reception) as also the hearts of his boy-pupils, each of whom stood at his table or cabinet, explaining what he had been doing. There was forestry, carpentry, drawing, clay-modelling, mineralogy, microscopy, and grammar department work to be seen, showing that the abilities and talents, the bent, of each scholar had been discerned, studied, and encouraged in expressing itself.

Added to all that was interesting to see and hear there was sprinkled in and out through the reception hours, bits of personal talk and conversation with and interesting explanations from Mr. Dalziel that formed quite as attractive a part of the programme, as any of the exhibits.

As it drew toward 9 all were seated and speechmaking was in order. After a neat little opening one from Mr. Dalziel, that was just "quite the thing", he introduced Rev. Dr. Richards, who rose and naively confessed the appropriateness of his speaking in favor of manual training, since like the occupants of the jury box who were chosen to try an important case, he knew nothing about such a school, practically. He often wished, however, that he had had so much manual training, that he could now drive a nail straight without danger to his thum , or use an axe without fear of the consequences to his foot. And what he saw of practical knowledge gained by the boys of the Manual Training School had very favorably impressed him. The Greeks, our masters in literature and art, whose influence dominated the student today and would doubtless do so through all time, thought the body of so much importance that he who was the teacher in the development of physical health, beauty, and power, stood as high in their estimation as he who taught his pupils the art of harmony, or he who led them in the foremost regions of thought. But with the Greek the soul was no factor in the problem of life, therefore came their decadence and fall. We had but one brain; and all that heart, mind, or soul knew or willed or desired, must be expressed by that one brain, through the agency of the physical body. How necessary then was it that the body should be so developed as to give the highest and most trained expression in the service of that brain.

Rev. Dr. Lewis followed with some very pleasant allusions to his own course in manual training in boyhood, first with an axe at the trunk of a tree and the reducing of that tree to a wood pile, in which course of teaching the father who knew it all, was apt to consider the rod somewhat in the light of assistant; and then in later years when he fed a threshing machine. The variation of a quarter of an inch meant possibly the loss of an arm. The ear had to be trained to a concentrated purpose of listening amid the hum of machinery, and hand and eye to the following of that indication; or life might pay the forfeit. Now in later life, writing amid the din of hotels, or the confusing calls of office or social and ministerial life, he found the benefit of that trained ear, eye and hand. The listening, the feeding, the threshing, the chopping, he was reaping now the harvest sown by them all then. "Train up a child in the way he should go", was often the quotation of his late friend Mr. Babcock, who claimed that no one should be forced into the life of an engineer, or any trade or profession, unless he showed a decided taste and bent for it, which Dr. Lewis strongly endorsed. In his opinion the Plainfield Manual Training School gave to Plainfield parents the needed opportunity to decide and to help their boys decide intelligently as to their future.

Aaron M. Powell dwelt earnestly upon the training this school gave to the spiritual part of one's being, leading the boys and girls to look upward from the work which God had made, to Him the creator of all. He drew attention to the microscope as revealing the beautiful minutia of God's works, as the telescope showed the greatness of them, while both proclaimed law, the law of God as ordering all things. He told of a morning walk with a friend, who caught a little yellow butterfly in his fingers, held it for a few moments, and then let it go apparently as well equipped for flight as before he caught it. Then his friend placed at once under a small, but powerful microscope he carried with him, some of the dust off his finger; this revealed under the enlargement of the instrument, a beautiful feather radiant with many and glorious hues. What we see here tonight, he said, marks a new era in educational methods, and I am glad that a man has been found who is willing to be the apostle and pioneer of such work in Plainfield.

Mr. Boss, principal of the North Plainfield Public School, followed Mr. Powell, but declared that he only rose to speak because he had a debt to pay. He endorsed all that the previous speakers had said, but he had a debt to pay that they had not. A friend of Mr Dalziel's had given two scholarships in the Manual Training School—one each to a scholar in a public school in Plainfield and in North Plainfield. He was bound to confess he had looked upon this somewhat in the light of an experiment, but the boy who held the North Plainfield scholarship the first year had done his full class work in that school, though taking out two hours each afternoon for Mr. Dalziel, and had done it better than the year before. Another boy held the scholarship this year, and it appeared as if the same thing was taking place in his case also. He believed that this was the "missing link" that had hitherto been left out of a boy's public school education. He hoped that some plan of union could be in time effected, by which manual training and public schools could work together, one supplementing the other, and united in the one end and aim.

With a few closing words from Mr. Dalziel of thanks all around, and of evident cheer in his hitherto up-hill road, of graceful allusion to his daughter as the wise woman who had coaxed him thus to invite the public to view his and his boys' work, the evening exhibition closed.

H. M. Maxson visited the school during the afternoon and expressed admiration of the work exhibited. Speaking of a pupil belonging to one of his schools who attended the Plainfield Manual Training School last year, he said it had been a great advantage to him, that his class work was improved and the benefit is lasting.

There was a visitors' book in which all inscribed their names; there was refreshment for the outer as well as the inner man; there was a modest bow from Miss Dalziel who could not be induced to say a word from the platform; there was courtesy and interest on the part of all the attendants in explaining to everyone; there were good nights and good wishes, and it was over.

The little seed sown a year and a half ago is bravely coming into leaf; whether it will grow into a great oak whose renown shall spread far and wide—whether like the many rooted Banyan tree its branches shall drop down and have a root-boy from every city and town in this State—all this depends on the people of Plainfield.

But the Manual Training School is no dream alone, it is a vivified fact. It is in our midst and it has come to stay. We must not lose it, for the sake of our dear boys and girls. We need it for them. The greater the number receiving instruction in the school, the lower can be put the scale of prices, and thus the wider grow its field of usefulness.

Visitors are welcomed at any hour of the afternoon by the principal, John Dalziel; and among those who registered on the Reception Day were:

Mrs L J Briggs, Mrs David W Pond, David W Pond, H M Maxson, Mrs Samuel Southern, Mrs T E Barton, Miss J Leslie, Mrs H B Lounsbury, Miss C Wardell, A D Thompson, Julia S Scribner, Edith L Gilbert, Mrs F C Harder, Mrs Wm A Pinto, Mrs Elliot T Barrows, C C Woltmann, F C Kirchoff, F Leslie Kyte, N L Rockwell, A B Clemens, Mrs Emil Woltmann, Miss Rosa M Woltmann, E Woltmann, A Woltmann, Alice M Whitney, Mrs D I Smalley, Mrs D C Ivins, F W Cornwell, M A E Wood, Minnie E Wood, Marguerite Kyte, Ethel Kyte, Lyman R Allen, Rev Dr W R Richards, Mrs LaBoyteaux, Chas E Boss, Geo E Greenleaf, Sue B Peck, Frank S Browne, Mrs F S Browne, Miss L H Everett, Mrs M E Kimball, Andrew Gavett, Cornelia A Gavett, A E Holmes, Capt Morrison, Anna C DeKlyn, Miss E P DeKlyn, Miss H N DeKlyn, A W Duxbury, Mrs Ruth C Leonard, Hervey Doane, Aaron M Powell, Anna Rice Powell, Rev Dr A H Lewis, Mrs A H. Lewis, Elizabeth W Stackhouse, A M McNaughton, E C McNaughton, P S Browne, Arthur W Thompson, C R Norman, Anna W Ticknor, W C Goss, A J Robinson, Mary E Robinson, Mrs G F Opdyke.

The room became crowded and many went away without signing names.

The Plainfield Manual Training School has no connection with the Boys Club nor other institution.

Bride and Groom from Quakertown.

A pleasant surprise was given Howard Vail and bride of Quakertown, at the home of Miss Belle Vail, East Second street, last evening. Merry games, charades, and refreshments made the hours pass most enjoyably to all present, and to the bride and groom the occasion will doubtless be remembered as one of the most notable of their honeymoon trip.

The Vail family was well represented. Among the other guests were R. Pound and wife, H. G. Adams and family, and visitors from adjacent towns.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

AT REST

Miss B. A. Smyth.

Solemn requiem mass was celebrated over the body of Miss B. A. Smyth, sister of Rev. Father Smyth of this city, in St. Peter's Church, Jersey City, yesterday morning at 10, the celebrant being Rev. Father O'Connor, Vice-General of the diocese of Newark, assisted by the Deacon, Rev. Father James Smith of Cranford, and the sub-Deacon Rev. Father Stafford, Vice-President of Seton Hall, South Orange. At the same hour in St. Mary's Church in this city, solemn requiem mass was celebrated, Rev. Father Miller officiating, in the absence of Father Murphy because of illness.

After the arrival of the body in Plainfield, the burial services were performed, Rev. Father Murphy being the celebrant, assisted by Rev. Father James Smith of Cranford as Deacon and Rev. Father Miller as sub-Deacon. Rev. Father Glennon of Asbury Park officiated as master of ceremonies.

The church was filled with friends of the departed, to witness the solemn ceremonies, among those present being Ex Commissioner Coleman of New York. Daniel Cooney, the well-known New York city iron manufacturer, and Patrick Farrelly, president of the Union News Company. Many Sisters of Charity were present, as well as friends and relatives from New York, Jersey City, and Asbury Park.

Previous to the solemn ceremonies, "Calvary" was beautifully rendered by Miss May Flannagan, soloist of St. Mary's choir, and after the absolution "Dies Irae" was sweetly sung by the choir. Rev. Father Smith of Cranford officiated at the grave.

THE GREAT CLOTHING SALE.

Watson & Co. are Making the Loss Now which the New Tariff Will Bring to All Clothing Houses.

Since Watson & Co., commenced their great closing out sale of Ulsters, Overcoats, Suits and Pantaloons, without regard to cost or value, all kind of rumors have been circulated about the firm. Some say they are going out of business, more that they need money, and other foolish stories, none of which is true. They simply have made up too many Winter garments, even for their large trade, on which they see an inevitable loss in view of the great reduction in the Tariff, which took effect on January 1, and are accepting the loss now so as to open the coming season with an entire new stock, on the low basis of values that a 50 per cent. reduction in Tariff is sure to bring unless it is offset by an increase of wages, which now seems likely.—Newark Item

Annual Meeting and Election.

The annual meeting of the Epworth League of the Monroe Avenue Chapel was held last evening in the chapel and opened with prayer by D. D. Hicks.

The reports of the various committees were read and filed. The treasurer's report showed that on Dec. 17 all bills had been paid and there was 58 cents in the treasury.

The election of officers then took place. Walter McGee, Miss Lottie Beekman and Miss Brouard composed the nominating committee, and the following was the result of the election:

President—J. J. Praed.

First Vice - President—Edwin Cook, chairman of Devotional Committee.

Second Vice – President — Miss Leora Wetzel, chairman of Mercy and Help Committee.

Third Vice-President—Miss C. Aldrich, chairman of Entertainment Committee.

Secretary—Miss Lottie Beekman.

Treasurer—Frank Batson.

The committees will be appointed at the cabinet meeting of the League to be held at an early date.

The members then enjoyed a short programme consisting of violin solos by Mr Brinkerhoff, piano solos by Messrs. Higham, and recitations by Margaret Phillips. The committee in charge of Miss Lizzie Phillips then served refreshments, after which the meeting adjourned.

First Baptist C. E. Sociable.

Miss Grace Yerkes, as chairman of the social committee of Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist Church, arranged a pleasing programme which was enjoyed by the large number of people present at the sociable last evening in the church.

At intervals during the sociability there were violin solos by Lindley Hillman, vocal solos by Wm. Holmes, and recitations by Miss May Hull. The numbers were exceedingly well rendered, and frequent encores were given. The committee then generously served refreshments to all, completing an evening of real pleasure.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

OBITUARY.

Edward Dorr McCarthy.

Edward Dorr McCarthy, who quietly passed away yesternoon in the fifty-fifth year of his age, just as the sun burst through the lowering clouds, after an illness of but ten days from pneumonia, was for years one of New York's leading jurists, a man of extensive travel, and probably one of the best Greek scholars of the United States, having accumulated a library of rare and valuable Greek works and old prints almost priceless in value.

Mr. McCarthy was born in Minasville, Montgomery County, New York. his father being the son of Capt. McCarthy who served with the Continentals from the battle of Bunker Hill to the close of the War of Independence, and his mother the sister of Ex Governor Dorr of Rhode Island. Counselor McCarthy was a graduate of Harvard College and Harvard Law School in the class of '62, among his classmates being Prof. John Fisk of Harvard, D. M. Dennett, who for many years previous to his death was editor of the New York Nation, and who wrote for Horace Greeley the celebrated "Southern Letters" at the close of the war.

Mr. McCarthy in private conversation was a quiet man who gave little suggestion of his wonderful powers as an orator or his shrewdness and brilliancy as a jurist.

Some years ago he was connected with President Cleveland, who has been a lifelong personal friend of decedent, in several important railroad suits in nearly all of which he was victorious. He was many times counsel for the Cunard Line, but perhaps one of the most noted of recent cases, and one in which he had excellent opportunity to display his wonderful powers, was the celebrated Sturges-Farwell Texas tangle, involving over $1 000,000, which was tried in the courts of Chicago and London and resulted in complete victory for his clients.

He was a man of worldwide travel, having crossed to the continent no less than eighteen times, and being almost as familiar with Paris, London, Berlin, Rome the Holy Land, the Soudan, the Orient and the countries of the Nile, with all their treasures of art and science, as he was with New York city.

On his last journey, made about one year ago through Italy, the Holy Land, and the African countries of the Mediterranean and the Nile, Mrs. McCarthy accompanied him. One of his strongest possessions next to his study of Greek, was his great love for animals, and he has been observed to stand for hours watching the movements of a pet 'possum or a favorite mouse.

He was a most successful as well as a brilliant jurist, and had amassed a fortune. He was married five years ago to Miss Edith Wright, granddaughter of the celebrated late Peter Wright of Philadelphia, and his wife survives him. He had no children.

Counselor McCarthy was a man of medium stature, well built, with regularly cut features, gray hair and mustache, and an air of reserve which instantly impressed one with its quiet dignity. For years previous to his death he was senior partner of the law firm of McCarthy & Berrier of 50 Wall street, New York, which was dissolved about a year ago, Mr. McCarthy continuing.

In accordance with the express wishes of decedent, no crepe was put on the door, and no religious services will be held, the funeral Friday morning being strictly private.

The body will be cremated in Germantown, Pa.

15 MILES OF SEWERS.

Much Work to Be Done This Year in This Great Public Service.

Fifteen miles of sewers, and the disposal beds, are to be built this year in Plainfield. The resolution asking for bids will be adopted at the February meeting, and contracts will be executed as speedily as possible. It is the plan of the committee to have work on the new contracts begin May 1, though the completion of the present contract will be begun April 1. The disposal beds will be established in a locality inoffensive to Dunellen or other communities.

Compute Weight and Value.

J. F. MacDonald, the uptown grocer, always up to date, has purchased a pair of self-computing scales for weighing everything he sells. These scales tell the exact weight of the article, and at the same time compute the price of the purchase. This is the only pair in Plainfield, and will attract much attention, standing on the counter and operating in full view of the customer.

—Contractor Hummer has staked out the cellar for Mr. Blatz's prospective house which he contemplates building on Somerset street. Ground will be broken as soon as the weather permits.

—The civil service examination for letter-carriers and postal clerks, which is to be held in this city Saturday, promises more applicants than any previous examinations. Already fifteen have filed their application papers with George Godown secretary of the civil service board.

ON A CHARGE OF FRAUD.

Francis Schoonmaker Arrested in Chicago After Obtaining $2,000 from a Jeweler.

Chicago, Jan. 29—Francis Schoonmaker of Plainfield, N. J., a prominent politician, was arrested today on a charge of obtaining $2,500 from Christopher Strobel of Waterbury, Ct., on false pretenses. Schoonmaker had stumped Western States for the Republican party previous to coming to Chicago. He claims that he is a stockholder in The United Press and one or two other Eastern news associations. He obtained $2,500 from Strobel, who is a jeweler, it is alleged, on the allegation that he had a $3,300 claim against the estate of Job Male, a deceased Plainfield, N. J., millionaire.

Schoonmaker had told the people in the Chicago Beach Hotel of his alleged connection with The United Press, and said he handled the greater part of the cable news received by that organization. Schoonmaker claimed acquaintance with many prominent Eastern newspaper publishers and politicians. He was very well dressed and soon gained the favor of the guests. For the last week he had not been seen in the hotel.

[Schoonmaker's home is at 1103 Putnam avenue. He has been connected with The United Press in New York, and with other newspaper enterprises, having started as a reporter on the New York Times. He has stumped for the Republican party, and is a man of much ability as a writer and speaker. Financial difficulties have beset him, largely because of a serious illness which kept him under the constant treatment of specialists. He did hold a claim against the Male estate, on account of the cloisonne collection in the Library. It is not believed here that he has made any intentional fraudulent attempt.]

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The Junior League of the Methodist Church gave a most interesting entertainment, composed of recitations, vocal and instrumental music, tableaux, etc., in the hall, Monday evening. The children all did their parts very well, for which much credit is due to Miss Emma Gibbs, who arranged the entertainment for the little ones.

Rev. J. S. Braker spent Tuesday in Camden attending the funeral of his brother, who died Saturday, Jan. 26, of erysipelas.

John Flannery is confined to his room again with the grip.

Miss Emma Clark of Front street is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Peter Smith of New Market.

Dr. Parks occupied the pulpit of the M. E. Church Sunday, owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Marriot.

Mrs. George A. Clark is convalescent from her recent illness.

The Choral Union will take up the sacred cantata of "Esther" Thursday evening. A full attendance is desired.

Miss Minnie Hominger entertained her cousin, Miss Balsam of New York Sunday.

Mrs. Billings of Bartle avenue is steadily improving under the excellent care of Dr. D. C. Adams of Plainfield, from a severe attack of the grip.

John Marsh has been gathering his ice crop from the lake on his property.

Push It Along.

This morning at 9:15 a loaded feed wagon drawn by a balky team belonging to the City Mills blocked the track for a few minutes right near the corner of Front and Somerset streets. Several passengers in the waiting car came out to offer suggestions and some of the crowd put a shoulder to the wheel but finally a fellow driver came up and, setting his pole against the tailboard of the loaded wagon, gave the word to his team and pushed the balky outfit way into East Front street on a run. Several who had offered assistance had to step lively to avoid being stepped on by the horses.

Quick Run of a Grocery Trotter.

Yesterday noon one of Neuman's delivery horses, exhilarated no doubt by the clear cold air and the sudden sunburst, started to run from Ninth street to the store. Nearing the corner of Sixth street and Watching avenue the wagon struck a pole and one of the hind wheels rolled off.

A few bars of soap and some sugar were spilled during this rapid transit, but no one was hurt and the damage was nominal, the wagon receiving but slight injuries aside from the loss of the wheel.

Wreck on the Central.

Eastbound fast freight No. 422, drawn by engine 412 in charge of Engineer Rodenbaugh and Conductor Transue, which is scheduled to pass here at 2:30 a. m., broke in two half a mile west of Bloomsbury, and when the sections came together five cars were derailed and thrown down the bank by the force of the collision. Fortunately no one was hurt and though traffic was delayed for several hours the wreck crew had the track clear at 6 a. m.

A Lawyer's House Burned.

Lawyer Vandeveer's house on Main street, Somerville, was partially burned by fire, Monday evening, and but for the prompt arrival of the fire department the house would have been burnt to the ground. The fire was discovered in the kitchen by passers-by. Mr. Vandeveer is well known in Plainfield, and his friends sympathize in his misfortune.

—A match is to be bowled next week Thursday between M. Sutphen's and the Hope Chapel teams, on the Hope alleys.

—Joseph Sobl, the energetic new partner in the management of Music Hall, was highly complimented last night on the clean condition of the renovated house.

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THE APPEAL ALLOWED

Decision in Favor of the Manitoba Catholics.

The Privy Council Reverses the Decision of the Canadian Supreme Court in the School Question Litigation—May Cause a Dissolution of the Dominion Government.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 30.—The judgment given by the judicial committee of the privy council in favor of the appellants in the Manitoba school case against a decision of the supreme court of Canada which gives Roman Catholics in Manitoba the right to apply to the Dominion government for remedial legislation, does not in any way interfere with the constitutionality of Manitoba provincial legislation, as a committee in the previous decision had decided that the Martin act was constitutional. It is now likely that the Dominion government will at once decide upon either a session or dissolution. The probability now is that there will be a general election. It is hinted that the government will make an offer of some kind to Roman Catholics in regard to schools and this will aid them in carrying the election.

It is said that Premier Bowell could by this means secure support of the Roman Catholics and at the same time retain the support of Orangemen and ultra-Protestants. What form this offer will take is not stated but it will likely be in a way of setting apart a portion of the school funds in the province of Manitoba for separate school purposes. But there would be difficulty about this because these lands are only held by the Dominion in trust for the province, the federal power having nothing to do with the expenditures of revenue, as the matter of education is wholly within the rights of the province. Nearly all of the cabinet ministers are out of the city attending political meetings in western Ontario. Sir Charles Tupper, minister of justice, was the only one who could be seen regarding the decision. He said: "We have not avoided the Manitoba school question. We have courted it. If it had not been for Sir John Thompson's action in referring the question to the courts we would not have had to decide the question as we now have.

"We asked the courts before doing anything if we had power to interfere and we have received our answer. I decline to discuss it further, for it would not do to say, for instance, that we did not like their decision."

Hon. D. H. McMillan, provincial treasurer for Manitoba, who is at present in Toronto, said: "The decision was not unexpected. Our counsel advised us that the remarks of their lordship during the argument indicated that the repeal would be allowed. The decision does not affect us in the least. There is no way by which the Dominion government can compel the public support of separate schools in Manitoba, unless they sell the school lands they own up there and give the revenue for that purpose, then separate schools would be kept up at the expense of the country at large.

"The people of Manitoba knew what kind of a school system they wanted and any attempt on behalf of the Dominion to over-rule their wishes would be so much more time thrown away."

Hon. Clifford Sifton, attorney-general for Manitoba, who is also here said: "The decision makes no difference to us; we have established a common school system for all and will maintain it. In some quarters there is an idea abroad that the Roman Catholics of Manitoba are being unfairly treated. That is great mistake. We are treating them no worse, no better, and no different from the Protestants. At the time we abolished state separate schools, there were about 80 in existence, 30 of these have already become common schools. Nearly all would have come in by this time had it not been for this contest. They are being kept out by being told that their own school system will again be recognized. It never will. The great majority of Roman Catholics prefer our common schools because they are better than their own and they know it."

The pending school question has involved long litigation and fostered much religious animosity. The first legislature of Manitoba passed a law providing for Protestant and Catholic schools. In 1890 the government under the Greenaway administration, passed a law requiring the application of all school taxes to the support of a common school system.

The Roman Catholics refused to pay the tax and sought to test the constitutionality of the act in the courts. The courts decided against them, and the supreme court reversed the decision. The decision of the supreme court was upset by the imperial privy council, which upheld the provincial government. This virtually wiped out parochial schools in Manitoba. The Catholics petitioned for remedial legislation, but the government refused to consider the petition. They then appealed to the privy council, whose judgment, just rendered, permits the case to be reopened.

To Restore Judge Long's Pension.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Judge Bradley of the district supreme court has rendered a decision that the pension office had no right to reduce the pension of Judge Long, of the Michigan supreme court, and issued a mandamus on the commissioner of pensions directing him to restore Judge Long's pension to the original figures.

Indorsing the President.

St. Louis, Jan. 30.—The Merchants' exchange unanimously adopted a resolution indorsing President Cleveland's message to congress on the bond question and asking for an early enactment of the law covered by the message of the president.

Claims 800 Illegal Votes Cast.

Indiana, Pa., Jan. 30.—An examination of the bill of particulars, filed by Judge White, shows that Judge White claims about 800 illegal votes, cast by non-registered voters, non-taxpayers and defective affidavits.

THE GUATEMALAN TROUBLE.

Offers of Mediation by the United States Will Not Be Considered.

City of Mexico, Jan. 30.—The government still refuses to disclose the tenor of the Guatemala note. The impression prevails that it has been considered, and that Mexico has demanded instant payment of the $1,800,000 indemnity, which, if refused, will mean war. Offers of mediation by the United States government will not be considered as Guatelama has already settled the question at issue by the treaty of 1882, which she now tries to repudiate.

From 1823 until 1882 some territory was in dispute, but the treaty settled the limits once and for all. Guatemala has fifty thousand troops, with good mounted artillery, on the border of the state of Chiapas. The Guatemalans are mortgaging and turning over their coffee estates to Germans and Spaniards, so that in the event of war President Barrios cannot levy forced loans upon them. Barrios owns property in the disputed territory.

All the railways and piers on the coast in Guatemala are the property of Americans. The death of Dunn, the American, and Murphy, an Irishman, is confirmed. They were murdered and robbed by Guatemalans who crossed the international boundary.

The government has closed a large contract for the delivery of coal in Vera Cruz, and will make a similar contract for delivery at Pacific ports. The wildest rumors prevail, the latest being that President Diaz personally will take the field. Offers of assistance from the states and from private individuals still pour in.

VIGILANTS FORMING.

Ohio Farmers Will Take Active Measures Against Tramps.

Springfield, O., Jan. 30.—The wildest excitement prevails ten miles west of this place, where numerous depredations have recently been committed by tramps, and a vigilance committee of farmers is forming.

A month ago a big robbery was committed, and Saturday a man was found murdered on the railroad tracks there.

Four tramps appeared at the residence of two old maids named Morris yesterday, who live alone. The men endeavored to gain admittance by claiming to be neighbors, who had called on important business. Finding this ruse would not work, they battered the door down with a fence rail and promptly bound and gagged one of the women.

At the point of a pistol the other woman was compelled to give up a certificate of deposit for $500, two gold watches and other valuable jewelry, besides a considerable sum of money. The shock prostrated both ladies, and there is a report current that they both were criminally assaulted, but this cannot be confirmed.

CALLED ON MRS. GRANT.

Confederate Soldiers Pay Their Respects to the General's Widow.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 30.—There was a striking scene in the parlors of the Hotel Aragon when Mrs. U. S. Grant, who had stopped over here a day en route to Florida, received a large delegation from the Fulton County Confederate Veteran association.

The old soldiers were introduced to Mrs. Grant by Gen. Clement A. Evans, one of Lee's brigadiers, and late candidate for governor of Georgia, and to each she gave a cordial hand-shake and a kindly word.

After the formal reception there was a free and easy exchange of compliments and reminiscences between the veterans and the wife of the great federal commander. Mrs. Grant left for St. Augustine last evening.

AUTOCRACY OF THE CZAR.

Nicholas II. Firmly Resolved To Retain Unlimited Power.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—Private dispatches from St. Petersburg say that the czar was called upon by delegations representing the nobility of the principal cities and many provincial and district assemblies, who congratulated him upon his recent marriage.

In replying to their congratulations the czar said he had learned that in some of the provincial assemblies voices had been raised proposing that the assemblies have a share in state affairs, and expressing other absurd desires. He therefore wished everybody to understand that he devoted all his powers to his dear country, but that he was firmly resolved, as was his dear father, to uphold the autocracy of the czar.

Justice Jackson's Condition.

Thomasville, Ga., Jan. 30.—The condition of Justice Jackson, of the supreme court of the United States, is somewhat improved. His throat troubles have left him, but the liver has become involved and dropsical symptoms have developed. The patient will leave to-day, if possible, for his home in Tennessee. Dr. T. M. McIntosh, the physician in charge, thinks there is no immediate danger.

Refused Lawyer Wright a Bath.

Boston, Jan. 30.—James Lockhart, an employe of a Turkish bath house, for refusing on Jan. 8, to allow Curtis J. Wright, a lawyer, to take a bath in the establishment, has been fined $20 in the municipal court for discriminating on account of race, color or creed. The defendant appealed to the superior court.

Royal Betrothal Denied.

London, Jan. 30.—The Daily News has been requested to deny the truth of the report that Prince Alfred, eldest son of the Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha (Duke of Edinburgh) is betrothed to Duchess Elsa, daughter of the late Duke William of Wurtemburg. This denial is semi-official.

Appointed Vice-Chancellor.

Jersey City, Jan. 30.—Chancellor McGill has appointed John R. Emory of Newark, to succeed the late Vice-Chancellor Abram van Fleet. Mr. Emory will enter upon his new duties as soon as he can arrange his private business.

Negotiating for a Gold Loan.

London, Jan. 30.—A dispatch to the Central News says that China is negotiating for a gold loan of $15,000,000, at 6 per cent., through the Hong Kong and Shanghai bank.

WHISKEY TRUST FAILS

Receivers Appointed for the Big Corporation.

Stockholders Representing Four or Five Million Dollars Make the Application Before Judge Grosscup in Chicago—Nominal Valuation of Property $35,000,000.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—A grand coup has been sprung by President Greenhut and his friends and to-day the big organization known as the Distillers and Cattle Feeding company is in the hands of two receivers appointed by Peter B. Grosscup, judge of the United States district court.

Yesterday afternoon the receivers, E. F. Lawrence, a director of the First National bank, of Chicago, and Joseph B. Greenhut, of Peoria, filed their bonds for $300,000 each before the court and were duly qualified to act. On Mr. Greenhut's bond are Messrs. Lynch and Rothschild of the National Bank of the Republic of Chicago.

So secretly was the bill filed and the argument made that the exact time and place is not known, but it is supposed to have been heard in the judge's private chambers. Messrs. John S. Runnels and William Burry represented a large block of the whiskey trust controlled by the Greenhut following. Among the foremost names which appear in the bill are those of Wormser and Olmstead. John Stevens, of Peoria, the regular attorney of the whiskey trust, was present at the time of the argument and Levi Mayer was on hand for the opposition.

The argument was brief and resulted in the filing of the bill and appointment of two receivers. The entire action was kept secret until the filing of the bonds, so that there could be no possible slip and even in the filing the matter was postponed until after the regular hearing of the Debs trial had been concluded.

Coincident with the day's action comes the filing of the bills in the various states in which the company has transacted business. John Runnels, who engineered the entire proceeding, declines to locate the place where the bill was argued, but said:

"This action was not taken by the New York stockholders who have been threatening the organization for some time past and whose committee issued the circular a short time ago, but by the friends of the present management."

He declined to forecast the action of the receivers and the probable result, but said they would administer the property under the jurisdiction of the court and at the proper time file inventories, and if the court so decides, in the future, sell the property and pay the debts of the organization.

The property represents a nominal valuation of $35,000,000 with a present actual valuation of probably four or five million dollars.

New York, Jan. 30.—Perhaps an explanation of the hurried appointment of receivers for the whiskey trust may be found in the aggressiveness displayed by the stockholders' committee of which Richard B. Harthorne is chairman. It was ascertained last Saturday that the committee holds proxies for more than a majority of the capital stock of the company, and it was then decided to arrange, if possible, a conference with the board of directors. With this in view a telegram was sent to President Greenhut, at Chicago, informing him of the intention of the chairman and counsel of the committee to visit Peoria, the headquarters of the trust, without delay, and requesting an interview with the directors.

Mr. Greenhut replied, seeking delay, explaining that he could not communicate with the members of the board before Monday and that he would advise later. On Monday the following telegram was received:

"Chicago, Jan. 28, 1895—Richard B. Hartshorne, 9 West 51st, street, New York—Our board of directors will meet your committee Thursday morning. J. B. Greenhut, president."

Thereupon Mr. Hartshorne, accompanied by Nathan Bijur, of counsel for the committee, left New York for Peoria at once. Before they reached their destination the application for the receivership had been made.

The Decision Set Aside.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 30.—The recent decision of a commission and a jury of twenty-four men, finding Irene House Redmond, the woman of nine husbands, to be insane, has been set aside by Vice-Chancellor Bird, on the ground that the woman, who was in jail on a charge of improper relations, was not allowed to appear before the commission as she expressed a desire to do.

Death of a Prominent Society Man.

Baltimore, Jan. 30.—Mr. John Swan, the head of the Baltimore family of that name, is dead, aged 75 years. He was one of the first members of the Maryland club, and in earlier life he was well known in Washington, Philadelphia and New York society. He was never engaged in business pursuits.

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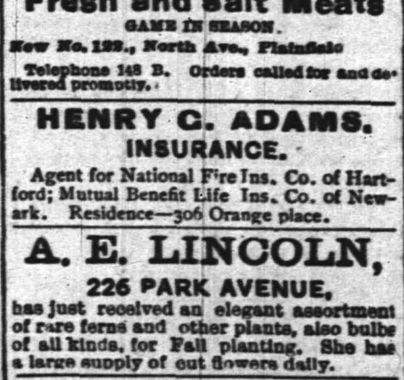

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PASSED BY THE HOUSE

Decisive Vote To Repeal Differential Sugar Duty.

The Financial Question in the Senate—Mr. Manderson's Compromise Measure, After Discussion, Referred to the Committee—Pooling Bill Amendment Suggested.

Washington, Jan. 30.—By the decisive vote of 239 to 31 the house at the close of an interesting session yesterday, passed the bill repealing the differential duty of one-tenth of a cent a pound imposed in the tariff bill on sugars imported from countries paying an export bounty on that article. The representatives voting against the passage of the bill were:

Republicans—Adams, Belden, Bingham, Boutelle, Bowers, Dalzell, Curtis, Daniels, Gillette, Hooker, Lefever, Loud, Loudenalger, Marvin, Payne, Quigg, Ray, Reed, Robinson, Storer, Sherman, Vanvorhis, Wadsworth, Wever, Wanger.

Democrats—Covert, Davey, Meyer, Ogden, Price and Robertson.

While the bill was in committee of the whole all amendments were voted down except one, and that was pending when the committee rose. It was offered by Mr. Dingley (rep., Me.), and provided that the repeal of the differential duty was not to be held to imply that the United States surrendered its rights under treaties to offset bounties by the imposition of equivalent differential duties whenever congress deems it desirable to enforce them. A yea and nay vote upon this amendment was had in the house, resulting: yeas, 112; nays, 156.

On this amendment the republicans and populists, with the exception of Baker, of Kansas, voted aye, and the democrats, generally no. The following democrats voted with the republicans: Barnes, Covert, Geary, Harris, Lester; Martin (Ind.); Meyer, Price and Ryan.

An amendment, offered by Mr. Hitt, to repeal the one-eighth of a cent additional duty on refined sugars was rejected by a vote of 85 to 109; and an amendment by Mr. Vanvorhis, of New York, to place all sugars and molasses on the free list was rejected, 75 to 120.

This action was taken at the request of Mr. Wilson, chairman of the committee on ways and means, in charge of the bill, who stated that the chances of its becoming a law depended entirely upon its going through the house as an independent measure in the shape in which it was reported.

In the Senate.

The financial question was brought to the front early in the session of the senate by a resolution which was offered by Mr. Manderson (rep., Neb.), and which, after discussion, was referred to the finance committee. It embraced seven propositions which Mr. Manderson admitted looked like a hodge-podge, but which really were, he said, a compromise that might be, and ought to be embodied into law. These were:

A reserve of two hundred millions in gold and two hundred millions in silver; the issue of bonds payable in gold or silver; the destruction of legal tender notes when paid in gold or silver; the exchange, for five years, when demanded, of gold coin for silver coin, and of silver coin for gold coin; the use of the new bonds for national bank currency (of not less denomination than $10); the requirement of payment of duties in gold on goods imported from countries having a gold standard and in gold or silver on goods imported from countries having a silver standard; and, finally, the free coinage of silver and gold at the ratio of 16 to 1, and the enlarged coinage of subsidiary silver coin. Interesting remarks on this proposition and on the finance question generally, were made by Senators Manderson and Teller (rep., Col.)

Amendments to the pooling bill—which Mr. Butler (dem., S. C.) said he would call up to-day—were suggested by Mr. Chandler (rep., N. H.), looking among other things, to the preliminary submission of proposed changes of railroad rates to the interstate commerce commission. The bankruptcy bill was discussed for a couple of hours, and the commercial traveler's bill (allowing the issue of 5,000 mile mileage tickets) was passed.

Beecher and Schenck Indicted.

New York, Jan. 30.—The gand jury has found four indictments for forgery against Col. H. B. Beecher and Vincent R. Schenck, of Beecher, Schenck & Co., insurance, the managers of the defunct American Casualty Insurance & Security company of Baltimore. The charges against Col. Beecher were for forgery in the first and the third degree, and against Schenck in the third degree.

To Inquire as to Her Sanity.

New York, Jan. 30.—Mrs. Jennie Bricher Gould, a sister of Alfred T. Bricher, the artist, and a sister-in-law of Judge Richards, of the Massachusetts superior court, has been committed to the care of the commissioners of charity and corrections to have her sanity inquired into.

Orders Conferred Upon Japanese.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—Emperor William has conferred the collar of the Black Eagle upon the emperor of Japan and the star of the Red Eagle upon Viscount Aoki, the Japanese minister to Germany.

Will Sail the Valkyrie.

London, Jan. 30.—It is probable that Captain Carter, of the Prince of Wales' yacht Britannia, will act as sailing master of the new Valkyrie in the races for the America's cup next fall.

James G. Fair's Will Stolen.

San Francisco, Jan. 30.—The will of the late James G. Fair has been stolen from the clerk's office and there is not the slightest clue to the identity of the thief.

Premier Crispi Ill.

Rome, Jan. 30.—Premier Crispi is ill in bed with bronchitis. He is in no immediate danger.

ANOTHER BOND ISSUE.

General Belief That It Will Shortly Occur Unless Congress Acts.

New York, Jan. 30.—The continued heavy withdrawals of gold have caused the general belief that a bond issue will have to come very shortly unless congress takes quick action on the proposition of the president for an issue of three per cent. gold bonds. It was expected that the issue would be made this week, but the president decided to make one last appeal to congress for a three per cent. gold bond before sacrificing the credit of the government by the sale of four or five per cent. gold bonds.

If congress does not accomplish anything this week in the direction of the president's gold bond scheme it is understood that $100,000,000 four per cent. bonds will be issued next Monday, or at all events before the close of the week. If the scheme should be killed this week the issue may come before next Monday.

Notwithstanding the denials of August Belmont, it is believed that he will be at the head of a syndicate of foreign bankers which will take a huge block of the bonds. It is apparent that a large portion of the issue must be placed abroad if the treasury is to make any permanent gain in gold, and in no other way can an effectual halt be put upon the gold export movement.

The withdrawal of $100,000,000 from circulation will also cause an active money market, and, in this way, add to the check upon gold shipments.

SAYS THE DOCTOR IS CRUEL.

Mrs. Riegel Brings Suit for Alimony on the Ground of Desertion.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Mary Riegel, of Bloomsbury, N. J., has brought suit for alimony against her husband Dr. E. Lear Riegel, on the ground of desertion and cruel treatment. It was Dr. Riegel who a few days ago had an interchange of shots with William Bibbler, of Germantown, Pa., whom he accused of undue intimacy with Mrs. Riegel.

Bibbler and Mrs. Riegel are first cousins. In her complaint filed in the court of chancery, Mrs. Riegel charges the doctor with having been most cruel to her, getting violent passions, using profane language and striking her on several occasions. She also says he has threatened her life and that once he knocked their child out of her arms.

A short time ago she went to her home for a week with her husband's consent and afterward through unwarranted jealously he charged her with improper relations with Bibbler and sent word to her through her father not to return to their home as he would not permit her to live with him any more. The doctor, she says, is in receipt of an ample income and is able to properly provide for her needs.

THE JAPANESE REPELLED.

Reported Victory for the Chinese on Land and Sea.

London, Jan. 30.—The Times publishes this morning the following from its Shanghai correspondent:

"The Chinese military and naval commanders telegraph via Chee-Foo that the Japanese fleet advanced upon Wei-Hai-Wei in two divisions of nineteen ships early in the morning of the 26th. Their search-lights betrayed their presence. The guns of the Chinese fleet and shore batteries opened fire when the first division was within one thousand yards of the Chinese fleet. The fastest Chinese warships and torpedo boats dashed against the enemy and drove them off after heavy firing. The first Japanese division sailed to the northwest and the second division to the south. The Chinese claim that they damaged several ships.

"The Japanese made a simultaneous land attack from Ninghai. This was a surprise, but the Chinese repelled them. The Chinese lost twenty-seven sailors. On the Japanese side more than three hundred were killed or wounded. It is stated that several foreigners are assisting the Chinese."

AMERICAN GOODS PREFERRED.

Buenos Ayres Merchants Wants Our Goods Instead of European Articles.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Antonio Navario, of the firm of Guiterrem & Navario, wholesale importers and exporters of Buenos Ayres, Argentine republic, is in this city with a view to arrange to buy directly of manufacturers. It is the intention to handle American goods in Argentina instead of European articles which now control that market.

The reason given is that agent's profits in the handling of American goods has been too great. Mr. Navafio will visit the principal manufacturing cities of this country.

Lost Off Delaware Cape.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 30.—Henry Sutton, of this city, ship broker and managing owner of the three-master James Ives, has been notified that the vessel had gone down, off Five Fathom light, near the Delaware capes. The Ives was built in West Haven, in 1883. She was of 483 tons, and cost $30,000. The majority of the Ives was owned by Mr. Sutton.

Mr. Bissell Denies the Story.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Postmaster-General Bissell when asked if it were true that he would resign at the expiration of the present congress, said very emphatically. "No, sir, there is no foundation whatever for the story, and I can not conceive the object of its publication in New York.

Serious Outlook in Rio Janeiro.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 30.—The government is preparing for a possible outbreak on the part of Peixotoists and Jacobins. There was rioting in the streets last evening. The police attacked and dispersed the rioters, some of whom were injured. The outlook is somewhat serious.

United States Cable to Hawaii.

Washington, Jan. 30.—An amendment to the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill for the coming year carries an appropriation of $500,000 for the construction of a telegraph cable between the United States and the Hawaiian islands.

Hoytdale Miners Strike.

New Castle, Pa., Jan. 30.—One hundred and fifty miners employed in the Hoytdale mines have gone out on strike. They object to reductions in conformity with the Pittsburg scale.

TO ANNUL THE CHARTER

Action Against the Brooklyn Heights Company.

Legal Fight To Be Begun in Albany To-Day—Lawlessness Still Continues, but the Lines Are Making Nearly Schedule Time—Green Motormen Cause Accidents.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 30.—The strikers are playing a double game. Through counsel they have appealed to the attorney-general to move against the Brooklyn Heights company to revoke the charter for failing to operate the road. Through the agency of lawless mobs they have continued cutting wires, assaulting non-union employes, blockading tracks and otherwise preventing the cars from operating. On the one hand they invoke the law of the land; on the other they defy it even though there are three thousand troops here to aid the police in preserving order.

Were the proceedings in the courts brought by citizens acting in good faith for the benefit of the community the officers of the companies would undoubtedly be uneasy as to the results. They now treat the matter lightly and will make answer that the very men who ask the aid of the law are themselves lawbreakers whose acts have made necessary the calling out of the national guard.

The withdrawal of the 1st brigade was followed by many small disturbances. President Lewis declared with much emphasis that it was a serious mistake to withdraw the brigade. He said that he had received anonymous information that if the remaining troops are disbanded Sheol will break loose. He had a body-guard of detectives about his person, and President Norton never moves without an armed guard at his side. On the other hand, the mayor, Gen. McLeer and other officials believe that quiet is restored and turbulence at an end.

Master Workman Connelly still insists that the strikers are not beaten. There are no signs of a break in their ranks. Only a few of them have made personal application. The formal tender of their services by Mr. Connelly was a move upon which to base an application for a new writ of mandamus. This was made against the Atlantic Avenue company yesterday and was the first proceeding in court against that company. Similar steps are to follow against the Brooklyn, Queens County & Suburban.

The Brooklyn Heights company was served with formal notice in the mandamus proceedings against them. They have twenty days to answer. They have also to appear before the attorney-general at Albany to-day in the application for action looking to the forfeiture of their charter. In addition to this warrants are to be applied for before Justice Tighe for the arrest of the officers of the line for violating the ten-hour law.

One motorman has made affidavit that he was forced to work eleven hours and six minutes for the company. Violation of the ten-hour law is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of $500 for each offense, or imprisonment for three months. There are 1,600 employes who threaten to bring action. Still further proceedings which are on the programme are suits by each ex-employe for one week's salary, and suits for damages by merchants whose business has been prostrated.

While the strikers are pulling all these strings to give trouble to the companies and force them to surrender, There are many other complications.

The board of aldermen are seeking for some means of demolishing the companies, the labor organizations have decided not to ride in their cars, the grand jury is looking into the loss of life and limb due to violations of the laws regulating speed of cars, the board of arbitration has gone to Albany to report upon the causes of the strike, and a new committee from the legislature is on its way to investigate the whole matter. All in all the lot of the trolley magnate is not a happy one.

The companies made a good showing in the number of cars run and lines operated yesterday. They have shown that all they need is time to engage and break in new men, and protection for the men and property of the roads. Snow and cut wires in the early morning gave them some trouble but by noon about two-thirds of the number of cars operated previous to the strike were in operation. Cars ran close to schedule time all day and later at night than has been attempted in two weeks.

Only once yesterday was the troops called out. At about 3 p. m., a gang of men placed a wagon on the track of the Fifth avenue line, at Twenty-first street, and mobbed the crew of the first car which arrived. The policeman on the front platform was powerless. He whistled for help, however, and another officer notified the 23d regiment boys at the stables of the line at Twenty-third street. The militiamen rushed to the rescue at double-quick. The mob scattered in all directions. Lewis Grim, one of the men in the crowd, who attempted to remove the lever used by the motorman to turn on the current, was arrested and locked up.

There were many accidents due to the inexperience of motormen.

Car No. 902, of the Third avenue line, had a lively experience at Seventh street and Third avenue last evening. It was attacked by a mob of several hundred persons. Volleys of stones broke the car windows and damaged the front of the car. Special Officer Smith, who was at the front of the car, was hit on the head by a brick and knocked down. In addition he was kicked and clubbed, but finally escaped. The police finally dispersed the mob and the car was taken to the stables.

Both the Brooklyn Heights and Atlantic avenue companies ran cars till midnight. No serious interference was reported.

It is stated that Justice Gaynor has been asked by the board of mediation and arbitration to state in writing what in his judgment was the cause of the strike and report the same to the board.

ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE
Dime Savings Institution
Of Plainfield, N. J., January 1, 1895

ASSETS

Loans on Bond and Mortgage, (first liens)		$124,200 00
Value of property mortgaged, $320,150		
Buildings mortgaged, insured		
at	120,000	
Market Value.		
23,000	Union County Bonds	$ 23,540 00
25,000	Hudson "	25 500 00
10,000	Jersey City Water Bonds	10 600 00
14,500	North Plainfield School Bonds	14,500 00
13 000	Town City of Plainfield (sewers)	13,000 00
12,000	Scotch Plains School District No. 14 Bonds	12,000 00
4,000	Dunellen, N. J., School District No. 2, Bonds	4,500.00
10,000	Morris & Essex Rail Road bonds	13,900.00
10,000	Lehigh Valley Terminal Rail Road bonds	10 800.00
	Demand Loans	9,300 00
	Interest due and accrued	4,061 11
	Furniture and fixture account	1,400.00
	Cash in Banks	56,542.92
	Cash in Office	302 45
		$328,086 28

LIABILITIES.

Amount Due Depositors	$312,598 28
Surplus	15,488 11
	$328,086.39

State of New Jersey, } ss
County of Union, }

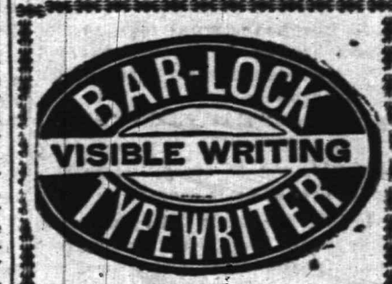
John W. Murray, President, and Elias R. Pope, Treasurer, of the Dime Savings Institution, being duly sworn, depose and say, each for himself, that the statement above is true and correct, and shows the actual condition of the said Institution on the First day of January, 1895. JOHN W. MURRAY, Pr s.
ELIAS R. POPE, Treas

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 14th day of January, 1895.
JAMES O. POPE, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned Committee, made an examination of the Books, Vouchers, Assets and Liabilities of the said Institution, with Schedules attached, and found this a true Exhibit of the Assets and Liabilities of said Institution on January 1, 1895.

J. FRANK HUBBARD,
JOSEPH B. COWARD,
G. W. ROCKFELLOW,
} Committee.

Plainfield, January 14, 1895. 1 19 10



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Leader of the Legion.

Jan. 30, 1863, was the date of a spirited fight between the Confederates of General Roger A. Pryor's command and Corcoran's Irish Legion. The scene was near Suffolk, Va., where the gallant Corcoran went in search of more fighting adventures after his narrow escape from death as hostage in Libby prison. The fame of his valorous exploits with the old Sixty-ninth at Bull Run and of his noble bearing under sentence of death called to his standard a new legion, among others a militia regiment bearing the number of the Volunteer Sixty-ninth.

Pryor's troops, with 12 cannon in their train, marched past the camp of the Legion on a foraging raid, and Corcoran went out to spoil their fun. Three times Pryor's men charged upon the Irish skirmishers, finally bringing their 12 guns into play. There were also 12 guns with the Legion, supported by the Sixty-ninth. The artillery took position, 12 pieces on a side, and for over two hours kept up a furious duel. The Confederate firing was unusually savage. In both Union batteries the gunners fell by the score, the shells likewise tearing through the ranks of the Legion behind the pieces, with awful execution. Finding the shots running low in the artillery chests, Corcoran led his infantry forward, but the enemy wouldn't stand for close combat, although the Legion and a squadron of cavalry with two sections of fresh artillery harassed their march for miles. Corcoran fought in defense of Suffolk when Longstreet laid seige with an army some weeks later, and soon after that his career ended by an accidental death at the camp of Meagher's Irish brigade in the Army of the Potomac.

GENERAL CORCORAN.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Ada Nash is suffering with the whooping-cough.

Miss Grace Irwin of Putnam avenue has gone to Brooklyn to visit friends.

Walter Serrell of Plainfield avenue is rapidly recovering from the grip.

Miss Reba Tinsman of Trenton is the guest of the Misses Livezy of Park avenue.

Mrs. Curtis of West Eighth street has just recovered from a severe attack of the grip.

Arthur E. Crane of Carleton avenue has just returned from a trip among the West Indies.

Letter-carrier J. W. A. Bauersachs is still too ill to attend to his duties at the postoffice.

George Snediker of Grove street has added his bass voice to the choir of the First Baptist Church.

Miss Cora Laire of East Fifth street, who has been seriously ill, is gradually regaining her strength.

Miss Charlotte Messersmith of Washington street is able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Seymour G. Smith of Central avenue has returned to his home after spending several days in Hartwick, N. Y.

Miss Irine Shepherd, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Arline Crane, has returned to her home in Brooklyn.

Clifford Brady, while bowling at the Crescent alleys, received a very painful wound by crushing his finger between two of the balls.

David Curtis of West Front street is another victim of the grip, but he pluckily sticks to his post as clerk in J. B. Guttridge's store in Netherwood.

James Caufield and family of Grove street have moved into the new house recently built by him, corner Johnston avenue and East George street.

Anthony Armstrong, who so seriously cut his foot with an axe a fortnight ago, is rapidly recovering the use of his foot under the careful treatment of Dr. Hallock, at his home on South avenue.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Salkeld of Norwood avenue Sunday. The neighborhood as well as the family is immensely proud of the boy and feels that the increase in the population was the means of the restoration of free delivery to the avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wyckoff of North avenue, Netherwood, gave a sociable last evening. Dancing was enjoyed, to Frazee's music, and the following guests participated: Mr. and Mrs. Reigal, Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. J. Haskard, Misses Storey, Glynn, Libbie Reigal, Tena Uhdal, Carrie Uhdal, May Shultz, D. Hucker, Vic McCord, H. Brown, Messrs. E. Randall of Jersey City, J. Barber, Clifton J. King and G. Gunther.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

John Kirkner is so much improved that his recovery is now assured.

Miss Hannah Thorn of Second place is slowly recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Freeholder John H. Tier returned last evening from a visit among friends in Nyack.

Nellie, youngest daughter of William H. Montfort of Somerset street, is ill with the grip.

Joseph E. Morse of Franklin place is detained at home with a severe attack of the grip.

Wickam Beekman of West Eighth street is confined to the house with a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. E. H. Chadburn is seriously ill, with a complication of diseases, at her home in Netherwood.

Mrs. Charles Lefler, who has been suffering with a severe cold, is slowly improving at her home on LaGrande avenue

Miss Lily B. Livingston of 147 Somerset street, who has been very ill with bronchitis, is gradually recovering her health

The friends of William Greenough will be glad to know that he is able to be out again after a severe attack of pneumonia.

Miss McIlravy of Brooklyn, who has been visiting Miss Eda Beekman of West Eighth street, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Fred August has returned home after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Duffey, 74 East Fourth street.

The many friends of Mrs. George P Mellick of LaGrande avenue are rejoicing over her recovery. She will return to her home next Saturday.

E. A. Gross has returned from Cincinnati, where he was on a business trip. His train was detained four hours on account of a snowstorm.

The many friends of John W. Kirkner will be glad to know he has passed the crisis safely, and is slowly improving, although not yet out of danger.

F. L. Cobb and family of Orchard place have rented the new house on Somerset street, just completed and owned by Peter Emmons, into which they will move Feb. 1.

Mrs. B. C. Fisher, who was taken ill in Asbury Park last Summer, is slowly regaining her health, under the care of her two faithful daughters, Miss Fisher and Miss Katheryn Fisher.

Joseph Shultise and family, who recently removed from North Plainfield to New Brunswick, have moved back again, and Mr. Shultise has again connected himself with Edward Love's wall-paper manufactory.

George E. Terry, son of Noah Terry, who has been suffering at his home on Cushing road, Netherwood, for the past three weeks, with muscular rheumatism, is now able to be about with the aid of crutches.

Mrs. Wilbur of East Third street, who has just returned from Astoria, will be compelled to leave Plainfield again on account of her health. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur will leave Saturday for the Catskills, where Mrs. Wilbur will remain, Mr. Wilbur returning Monday.

Ed. Ericsen, son of Jeppe Ericsen, station agent at Netherwood, who sailed on the steamship Iroquois of the Clyde Line, Friday, for Jacksonville, Fla., is expected to arrive at his destination today. Mr. Ericsen was accompanied by his friend James Field of Fanwood.

Councilman and Mrs. George H. Frost will sail by steamship Paris next Wednesday, to spend February and March at the Winter resorts Eastbourne and Hastings, on the south coast of England, after which some time will be spent in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin O. Bowers of Franklin place entertained the whist club of which they are members, last evening. The hours passed very pleasantly with whist, after which refreshments were served. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Baynon, Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Green, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ross, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson.

The Monday Afternoon Club met Monday afternoon in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church. The society will give an entertainment in the Seventh-Day Baptist Church February 4. The programme will be readings from "Faust" by George Riddle accompanied by Frank Taft on the organ. Complimentary tickets have been issued to all the members.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

John J. Kenney's infant son is ill with a severe cold and malaria.

Frank Vail of Franklin place is confined to the house with grip.

Mrs. Johnston of East Fifth street is confined to her home with the grip.

Earl Truell of Nebraska is visiting his uncle, George Truell of Central avenue

J. B. Platt of Waynewood place has been a sufferer from the grip for several days.

Miss Euphemia Johnston of East Fifth street has entirely recovered from the grip.

J. R. Townsend, of the Somerset street marble works, is out after four weeks from the grip.

Wm. DeLong of Sandford avenue, who has been detained at his home by grip, is slowly recovering.

J. Winthrop Travell, principal of the High School, is out again after suffering with an attack of the grip.

Albert Runyon of Mountain avenue, bookkeeper at Boice, Runyon & Co.'s coal office, is ill with the grip.

Irving Clark of East Ninth street is able to attend school again after being confined to his home with the grip.

Ralph Campbell of Netherwood avenue is home from New York University for a few days, having completed his examinations.

The death of Mrs. Maria Brookes occurred yesterday at the home of her grandson, G. N. Hartley, 73 Rockview avenue.

An attack of the grip which was supposed to be all that ailed the little son of Adam Fritz of Somerset street, has now developed into diphtheria.

Miss Sadie D. Grant has returned to her home in Buffalo after a six-weeks visit with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Geo. W. Grant.

Miss Bertha LeRue, of the Third Class of the High School, is not able to attend to her studies, being confined to her home on West Fourth street by illness.

Miss Fanny J. Crosby, the well-known hymn writer, will speak and sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting to be held in the new Assembly Hall next Sunday afternoon at 4:15.

Mrs. Bonham of Philadelphia gave a reading to coterie of society women at the home of Mrs. Edgerton this forenoon. The topic of the day was pleasantly discussed, and a delightful luncheon was served.

A part of the Grace Church choir, consisting of Harold Chandor, Howard Mason, Malcolm Barnes, Kendall Mason and Harry Messersmith, assisted in singing at the confirmation service in St Stephens Church, Netherwood, Sunday.

There is good reason for the popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Davis & Buzard, of West Monterey, Clarion Co., Pa., say: "It has cured people that our physicians could do nothing for; we persuaded them to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and now they recommend it with the rest of us." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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REMOVAL.
Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to
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(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.
Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

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The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.
TO THE PUBLIC:
From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.
We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.
Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.
EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.
16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
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I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.
I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.
I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.
JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.
PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.
TO THE PUBLIC:
For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.
THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,
of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J.
I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.
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A SYSTEM OF MILITARY INSTRUCTION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Details of Equipment and Methods Prepared at the Instances of the G. A. R. and Committees of Public School Teachers.

Having got the American flag raised over nearly every schoolhouse in this country, the G. A. R. is at work with enthusiasm and determination to build up beneath those flags something which shall sustain them in all stress, under all circumstances, and against all opposition. They propose to create this sustaining force through military instruction in the schools.

At the last annual encampment of the Grand Army held in Pittsburg, the question of military instruction in the public schools was discussed, and Gen. George W. Wingate was appointed a "special aide to the Commander-in-chief in charge of military instruction in schools." At the request of several committees representing teachers in different cities he has prepared some suggestions as to the method to be persued. It would be best, he thinks, for the principals to devise a system.

If a plan has been decided upon, General Wingate says, the boys should be carefully measured in order to establish the extent of their physical improvement. The instruction should consist of:

The setting-up drill, facing and salutes marching by squads, manual of arms, regular drill by company and battalion. All scholars, including girls, should be drilled in the first three for fifteen minutes each day. Care should be taken by the teachers to see that the movements are performed with smartness and exactly as prescribed. Their value, both physical and mental, consists largely in snap and precision. Every boy should be required to salute all teachers whenever meeting or addressing them, and the teachers should be equally careful to return the salutes. This teaches self-respect and subordination to lawful authority.

Boys over 11, and who are at least 4 ft. 6 ins. tall, and whose parents do not object, should be drilled regularly in the manual of arms and by company and battalion two hours a week, outside school hours, great care being taken not to overtax the strength of the boys.

The drill should be regarded as a privilege. Faults should be punished by the deprivation of certain insignia, which may be adopted by the school, and a loss of membership in the battalion for a month. Discipline should be quiet but firm. Everything possible should be done to inculcate a military bearing, which involves an upright carriage, neatness in dress, attention, silence, and the utmost promptness in rendering strict obedience to all orders, whether from the instructors or the cadet officers. It should also be impressed upon the boys that absolute truthfulness, a high regard for personal honor, and an aversion to anything dishonest or tyrannical are expected of the citizen soldier—that they must be soldiers and gentlemen.

The boys should be divided into companies not exceeding forty or fifty strong as a larger number is difficult to handle. Each should have the usual number of officers and non-commissioned officers. The officers and non-commissioned officers of the companies and battalions should be selected from the boys showing good scholarship combined with proficiency in military matters, and manly bearings and characteristics. Warrants should be given to them by the Board of Education at the close of their term of service. A school for officers should be established.

In time the officers can put the battalion through the drill, but at the beginning an instructor is necessary. Properly there should be paid instructors who will devote their time to the matter. One of these can look after about six schools. It is hoped that the services of army officers can be soon had for this purpose in large cities. If the drills can be had in the morning or in the evening, it will be easy to procure sufficient volunteer instructors from the National Guard.

The question of uniforms should be left to each school. A cap alone is sufficient to begin with, and costs but little. In most cases it will be found that a plain uniform costs no more than ordinary clothes, and lasts longer, as the boys take better care of it. Ordinarily a cap and blouse will be sufficient, which may be worn by the boys at all times. A white webbing waist belt and plate adds very materially to the soldierly appearance where a dark blue blouse is used, and is inexpensive. Swords and belts for the officers should be provided by the authorities and belong to the school. The uniforms used in Brooklyn Grammar School No. 15 cost $6, and the cap 50 cents additional.

Grammar School No. 15 of Brooklyn has an organized battalion of 224 boys, commanded by Principel Wm. F. Feiter, and divided into four companies. The battalion is limited to boys 4 feet 6 inches tall, which practically takes in those over eleven, who are in good health, who will uniform themselves, and who have a prescribed standing in their school work. The uniform is of blue cloth, with yellow stripes on the sides of the trousers. The cap has in front A. G. I. in a circle. All uniforms are alike, the cadet officers having their rank indicated by stripes on their sleeves.

Under our system of government we will never have a large standing army, and our strength and safety are in a general dissemination of military knowledge and training among the people. What the man and citizen ought to know in order to the full discharge of his duty to his country should be imparted to the boy. Nothing will so much aid to enlarge our State militia, and to give it efficiency and character, as the plan proposed. The military taste and training acquired in the school will carry our best young men into the militia organizations, and make those organizations reliable conservators of public order, and ready and competent defenders of the national honor."

Human Nature.

It is related that a certain man was recently very sad because his wife had gone on a visit, which she would not shorten in spite of his appeals to come home. He finally hit upon a plan to induce her to return. He sent her a copy of each of the local papers with one item clipped out, and when she wrote to find out what it was he had clipped from the papers he refused to tell her. The scheme worked admirably. In less than a week she was home to find out what it was that had been going on that her husband did not want her to know about.—Tit-Bits.

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Operations of a Money Lender Among Union Prisoners.

"Whenever I see a steamer approach the Pacific wharf out there," said a former officer in an Iowa regiment, now an inmate of the Soldier's Home at Santa Monica. "I recollect an incident of the war. I was one of 600 prisoners sent from Macon to Charleston, 1864. Not one of us were injured during our stay.

"But all of them got hard up for money. When they were in Richmond, in Libby prison, communication with the North was comparatively easy to those who had friends willing and able to send provisions and money. In Charleston it was very different. The prison fare was very poor, and the medical attendance was as bad as could be. In the cradle of secession the people seemed to be very poor. Before we had been there very long the money even of the richest of the prisoners was gone. There were many among us who were the sons, brothers, or near relatives of those in the North, who had plenty of money, but they were cut off from communication with us. Many people in the North sent gold to friends in prison, but it never reached us.

"There then appeared among us a new prisoner. He was, he said, a Union officer from a New York regiment. He had very little of the soldier about him. He rather reminded you of a whiskey drummer or a Chatham street clothing dealer. But he had a charm. He had money to lend—Confederate money. The money would not buy much, but it would buy something. A dollar in gold could be sold for about $20 in this currency outside the prison. We did not have any gold, but he did not demand gold. He lent his Confederate money for Northern drafts at double the rate of gold in the Charleston market. That is, he would give you $1,000 in Confederate money for a draft of $100 on a father, brother, wife or son in any of the great Northern cities. He said he would take the risk of collecting the drafts, and plumed himself on his generosity. He soon had customers and did a fine business. From officers he took notes endorsed by other officers. For these he charged at the rate of $500 in Confederate money for a note of $100—four times the rate for gold in the Charleston market.

"These operations occupied about six weeks. Altogether the man had secured drafts to the amount of $50,000 in gold, for every draft stipulated that it was to be paid in gold. Gold was then at a big premium in the North, so that drafts for $100 would be worth $150 or perhaps $200 in the North, if it were paid in gold. The speculator intended to make money both ways. If he could collect all he would have from $75,000 to $100,000 in greenbacks for his drafts.

"One day two Union officers were exchanged by the flag of truce in the harbor. One of the lucky fellows was the money lender. The other was a cavalry officer who had been a prisoner for many months. The latter had long watched the performance of the money lender and had resisted all inducements to borrow. The two went out of the harbor together and were received on board the Cosmopolitan by Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, the Adjutant-General of the Department of the South.

"The money lender and the cavalry officer had occupied the same stateroom on their northern voyage. During the vogage, the money lender became confidential, and the cavalry officer became convinced that he had never been an officer in the Union Army, but that he was simply put in the prison at Charleston to "work" the prisoners for the Shylocks of that city.

"As the Arago steamed up the bay toward the dock at Fortress Monroe, the money lender pulled from under the mattress a satchel. This was his only baggage. The cavalry officer had only the clothes on his back, and those he had borrowed from Gen. Woodford. The two were on deck. The money lender pushed his way eagerly to the forward deck and stood by the captain. Near him stood the cavalry officer admid the crowd of passengers who were watching the shores and participating in the excitement of a landing after a three days' sea voyage. Some incident of the occasion produced a sudden rush to the vessel's side. In that instant the money lender let go his grip on the satchel. Quick as thought it was seized by another hand and quietly dropped into the waters of the Chesapeake Bay.

"No one saw it done, for it was dropped on the side of the ship where none was looking. The cavalry officer was calmly leaning over the starboard rail contemplating the beautiful expanse of Hampton Roads, apparently caring nothing for the stir and clamor of the landing. The money lender exclaimed at his loss, and offered a reward for the return of the satchel and its contents. No one could offer him any comfort. He went down to the pier a very sad man, and no one seemed to sympathize so deeply with him as his comrade of the Second Cavalry.

—The Babcock Building evevators will probably be operated by electricity, and their use will be begun April 1. The fourth floor of the building is being finished into elegant offices.

—Engineer Moynihan of Drill Engine 200 discovered a flue had burst in his locomotive at 7 this morning, sidetracked the engine, drew his fire, and thus prevented explosion. The locomotive was towed to Dunellen for repairs, and 107 from Jersey City took its place.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—John Reed of Netherwood lost a valuable cow yesterday.

—Frank Marsh holds high score on the Hope Chapel alleys, by bowling 243.

—A dance will take place in Berkeley Hall, Berkeley Heights, tomorrow night.

—"Shaft No. 2", a tremendously realistic production which appeals especially to mechanics, will be presented in Music Hall Friday, Feb. 8.

—Tomorrow is the last day for paying North Plainfield taxes. If you are not paid up by tomorrow night, Collector Spencer will have to advertise you.

—The recent fall of snow has temporarily put an end to the excellent skating that has for the last few weeks been enjoyed by the lovers of that sport in this city.

—Harry Ackor, while loading barrels at Chapot's tannery in Washingtonville, yesterday, had the index finger of his left hand crushed so that amputation was necessary.

—The class in gymnastics at the Y. M. C. A. had to be omitted yesterday afternoon on account of the cold in the building. The cold was caused by the repairing of the radiators.

—Genuine antitoxine for the cure of diphtheria is now on sale in Plainfield by H. P. Reynolds, who announces in his advertisement today important details of the new treatment.

—The children that attend school in the Wadsworth building have been enjoying one advantage that the other school boys have not had; the driveway to the barn is covered over with ice in fine condition for skating.

—John Tier & Sons have only about half a crop of ice gathered. They stored away all the surface of the lake, and should the Winter continue cold for a few days they will gather the second crop of ice, which yesterday was six inches thick.

—Owing to the condition of the streets because of the storm yesterday a load of hay was stuck fast at the corner of Central avenue and Fourth street, and but for the kindly services of the driver of a passing coal team who unhitched, and assisted the unfortunate hay carter the latter would have been delayed still longer.

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The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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DEATHS.

BROOKES—On Tuesday, Jan. 29, 1895, Maria Brookes, widow of Bamber Brookes of Malden, England, in the 86th year of her age.
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Lady Cyclers on Four-Wheelers.

The Lady Cyclers of Plainfield went Monday night in a stage to New Brunswick, where they were entertained by the New Brunswick Lawn Tennis Club. The evening was spent in dancing and singing, after which refreshments were served at the Mansion House. The quartette from Rutgers College rendered several very fine selections, after which the young people left for home. Among those present were the Misses Ethel Green, Arline Crane, Irma Shepherd, Minnie French, Hazen, Retta Yerkes, Grace Landon, Mrs. Ned Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green.

Next Thursday, the club will go to Philadelphia to visit Mrs. Dillenbeck, formerly of this city.

—There will be a sociable at the East Third Street Mission next Monday evening.

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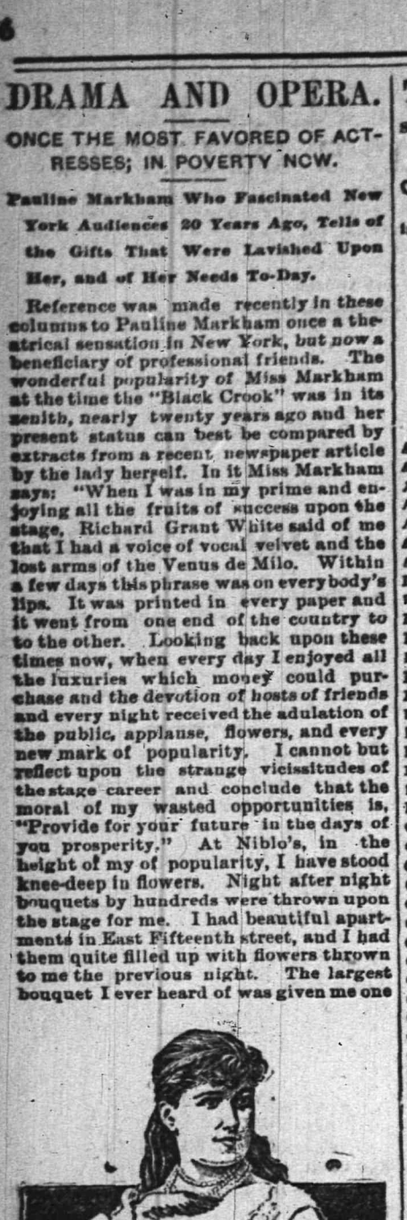
Pauline Markham Who Fascinated New York Audiences 20 Years Ago, Tells of the Gifts That Were Lavished Upon Her, and of Her Needs To-Day.

Reference was made recently in these columns to Pauline Markham once a theatrical sensation in New York, but now a beneficiary of professional friends. The wonderful popularity of Miss Markham at the time the "Black Crook" was in its zenith, nearly twenty years ago and her present status can best be compared by extracts from a recent newspaper article by the lady herself. In it Miss Markham says: "When I was in my prime and enjoying all the fruits of success upon the stage, Richard Grant White said of me that I had a voice of vocal velvet and the lost arms of the Venus de Milo. Within a few days this phrase was on every body's lips. It was printed in every paper and it went from one end of the country to to the other. Looking back upon these times now, when every day I enjoyed all the luxuries which money could purchase and the devotion of hosts of friends and every night received the adulation of the public, applause, flowers, and every new mark of popularity, I cannot but reflect upon the strange vicissitudes of the stage career and conclude that the moral of my wasted opportunities is, "Provide for your future in the days of you prosperity." At Niblo's, in the height of my of popularity, I have stood knee-deep in flowers. Night after night bouquets by hundreds were thrown upon the stage for me. I had beautiful apartments in East Fifteenth street, and I had them quite filled up with flowers thrown to me the previous night. The largest bouquet I ever heard of was given me one



PAULINE MARKHAM.

night. It was seven feet in height, and it contained a diamond cross, which was one of the most beautiful presents I ever received. Diamonds I received by the score. From Tiffany's alone I was told $30,000 worth of diamonds were purchased as presents for me at different times. One night upon the stage I wore all my gems, and they were so numerous that they impeded my movements. This was in the "Black Crook." While I had a very handsome figure I was not beautiful, yet soon the town was full of my praises, and Richard Grant White topped it off with the saying I have quoted, which appeared in an article by him in the Galaxy.

Yet all this was delightful. Such adulation and applause must produce a kind of intoxication in any one, as a result of which the ordinary rules of prudence are apt to be forgotten, for one cannot realize that such a good fortune as this will not last forever.

The popular actress in the crowning triumphs of her success receives enough of flattery and ovation to turn the head of any one. What appears to be boundless wealth is at her disposal. There is thus no inducement for her to save money against the future. She squanders it right and left on everything that is beautiful and attractive.

I did this. I was no doubt extravagant and spent thousands of dollars which I ought to have saved. But I had always been accustomed to living well, and, feeling that I had made a success, I thought that my name and my abilities would carry me on for many years.

Now that I am the victim of misfortune and in need of money, I do not waste many regrets over these follies, but I cannot help but think of them at times.

I had a very great success upon the stage, and this was continued over a long number of years. No doubt $250,000 have been earned by me, but now I have nothing to show for it.

It must not be thought, however, that I wasted all this money or even spent it. A large part of it was lost in business by my husband, and the rest was used in paying our expenses.

The diamonds have all gone. To the young woman who is stage-struck as it is called, and who wishes to enter professional life, no matter what may be her talents and capacities, I can only say, "Don't." The stage life has many attractions for women that no other walk of life possesses. No doubt success upon the stage brings with it extreme gratifications.

Thought She Could Sing.

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Many of the members of St. Francis Xavier's Church, in West Sixteenth street, planned a pilgrimage to Auriesville, Montgomery county, last August, and Griffin arranged to take his vacation at the time, so as to join the other pilgrims at the shrine of the Mother of Martyrs, to worship with them on Lady's Day and to remain for a week.

The shrine marks the spot where Father Isaac Jogues, a missionary priest, was slain by Indians more than two hundred years ago. His associate, Rene Goupil, a scholastic, was murdered at the same time near by, and tradition has it that his remains were covered by a huge bowlder. In any event the body was never found, but pilgrims have long assumed that a rock weighing three or four tons in a ravine not more than five minutes' walk from the hill had been rolled over him. A little stream passes through the ravine when the winter snows thaw, but dries during the warm weather.

The rock is probably three feet high and rounded on the sides; the flat surface looks as though it had once been the base, but had been overturned by some giant force.

Father Jogues' piety and good deeds gained him wide fame, and one of the Indian maidens whom he converted, and who subsequently suffered martyrdom, is, it is said, to be canonized. Pilgrims have been going to the shrine for several years, but never were there as many as last summer. Griffin estimates that on August 15 there were 1,000 from Amsterdam, N. Y., 800 from Albany and Troy, and probably 1,000 others from different points in this State and Pennsylvania. There were impressive ceremonies, including a procession of pilgrims up the Hill of Prayer to the shrine, and touching sermons, glorifying the martyrs.

After the services the pilgrims scattered, and many of them broke off pieces of the rock under which Rene Goupil's body was said to have been crushed. Griffin kept part of the stone he had brought to the city. He recently heard that one of the pilgrims who had been a cripple had been wholly cured, and he determined to test the efficacy of the stone in his own case. He crushed a portion of it in holy water from St. Ignatius' about a month ago and applied it that night to an open wound, praying to God to help him in his affliction.

The sore miraculously disappeared and Griffin became more robust than he had been for many years. His aches and pains were gone, and he recovered the light step and heart of his youth. He determined to test the efficacy of the stone on another sufferer. His landlady, Mrs. McDonald, of No. 129 West Sixteenth street, was afflicted with many of the ills brought by old age. She had become blind, and pains racked her limbs. Her worst trouble consisted of cramps or spasms in her legs at night, that made sleep impossible.

Griffin told Mrs. McDonald what the relic had done for him, gave her some of the powdered stone in holy water, and when the pain attacked her, her daughters rubbed her legs with the marvel working preparation. She was immediately quieted and she fell into a peaceful slumber, and since then she has had no cause to complain of any ache.

"She is very, very old," said Griffin. "I should say she is from seventy-five to eighty years old, and she has long been entirely confined to her house, but she now hopes to soon be able to go to St. Francis Xaviers' Church, that she used to attend regularly. She hesitated about publicly proclaiming the miracle that God had seen fit in His mercy to perform in her case, but I urged her to have the facts inscribed in the list resulting from our pilgrimage.—N. Y. Herald.

A Chaplain Denounces State Camp Life.

In an interview published in the Hartford Post recently the Rev. Henry H. Kelsey, pastor of the Fourth Church, Dr. Horace Bushnell's old pastorate, one of the oldest churches in Connecticut, confirms the statements made regarding dissipation at Camp Bradley, Niantic, last August. Dr. Kelsey is chaplain of the First Regiment, C. N. G. He says:

"The State pays the members of the National Guard to go into a military school once a year and not to go on a week's bum."

He declares that he has seen the debauchery of camp life and the orgies, and has noted their effect upon the men, and that the State camps as they have been conducted are an abomination and a disgrace to the State.

On the subject of reforming the Guard, he says that he would begin at the top with the Governor's staff and not have them in camp at all. He is in favor of regimental encampments. The colonels would then have more direct control over their men. He would have officers set the men an example by reducing their consumption of liquor, which he says is now enormous. He thinks that most of the inefficiency in camp is due to the familiarity between officers and men.

He would abolish all excursions of citizens to camp, which makes it a scene of revelry and gives it the appearance of a fair instead of a military camp. Mr. Kelsey favors a legislative investigation, and says that all assertions regarding drinking, revelry and dissipation at camps of the National Guard can be fully proved by indisputable testimony.

President Lincoln was exceedingly strict in keeping faith with his children, and required the same fidelity in others. At one time a visitor at the White House persuaded little Tad to sit on his knee by promising as a reward the charm on his watch chain. Shortly after, as the man was about to dismiss the child with no further thought of the lightly spoken promise, the President said, sternly, "Give him the charm, sir!" In confusion, the man obeyed the bidding.

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9 10 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Manticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 05 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

7 16 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 56 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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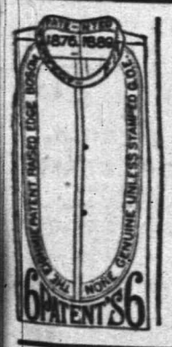

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HOW HE FOUGHT.

Bob Stark leaned against an abandoned cannon and would have shed real tears had he not felt that it was unbecoming to one who was eighteen and a soldier to cry. But this was the unhappiest moment of Bob's life. He did not see how anybody could be more unfortunate and miserable than he. To serve two years, to be in a dozen battles, to be half frozen at times and half starved at other times, to go without pay and in rags, to endure all these things, and then, when the most critical and most interesting period of all came, when the great movement of the war, the movement that was to make them or break them, was in progress, to be left behind by the army was more than Bob could stand. It seemed that fate had selected him as its bright, particular victim. Confound that troublesome wound, anyway! Just at that moment he felt as if it would be a great pleasure to him to send a rifle ball through the Hessian who had given him the nasty bayonet stab in the shoulder. Besides, he thought he ought to have received more consideration from his Colonel. He was sure he could have kept up with the army. The wound in his shoulder was partially healed, and it would have been entirely well in a week. His comrades would have helped him on the march, and when the time for fighting came, Bob felt that he could be ready to do as good service as the next man.

"No, you cannot go," said the Colonel, "for the orders of the Commander-in-chief are the strictest. 'We must take no wounded—nobody who might by any chance embarrass our march, no matter how little.' That's the way his instructions read, and Bob, my boy, I guess he's right."

The Colonel's words were kind, but they were poor consolation to a boy of eighteen who loved adventure and a soldier's life and had seen the troops—the American and French marching off together, full of enthusiasm and hope, uniforms brushed up and bayonets shining. He knew where they were going. The secret had been kept well, but it could not be kept until the last moment. Bob knew, just as those who had left him behind him knew, just as everybody knew except the sleeping redcoats down in the city, that they were bound for Virginia, and Bob felt as if all his soldier life were wasted since he was not to be in at the trapping of Cornwallis.

Bob looked around at the deserted camp. Everywhere were traces of the occupation of men, but the men themselves had departed. Even the camp followers and the slightest wounded who were left behind to keep the fires burning and to deceive the enemy were now gone. Bob was alone.

A half-dozen cannon which overlooked the river and had often exchanged shots with the enemy's war vessels were abandoned there. "Too heavy to carry," said the officer tersely. "Mustn't embarrass the army on the march. Leave 'em here. Maybe we'll claim 'em again some day."

"Well, old fellow, there's nobody but you and me left," said Bob, as he rubbed his face against the cold muzzle of one of the cannon. "We're no good any longer. Here we are stuck on this river's bank, and the army don't care for us any longer. Old metal thrown aside; no use—that's all we are."

Bob was still thinking when he saw a black speck far down on the river. Then another and another speck appeared, until he counted seven in all.

The specks grew larger and took shape. "Ships!" said Bob to himself. This was not a very original remark, but ships on that part of the Hudson attracted attention then. They were sure to be British, and warships at that.

"I'll just see what they're up to," said Bob, continuing his conversation with himself. "Perhaps they've found out the army has gone and have come to take possession."

Bob took another look at the camp. Though deserted, no one would be able to see that fact from the river. The embankments on the cliff were as solid and as formidable in appearance as ever. Through the embrasures the mouths of the big cannon looked dark and frowning.

The ships came on until they were just outside the range of the big cannon. There they halted, the Union Jack of England flaring from the topmast of every one of them. Bob could plainly see the officers in gold lace on their decks. Some of them were examining the fortifications through their glasses.

"Mighty little they'll see from the middle of the river out there," thought Bob. They'll not find out that the army has gone until they open fire on the camp and receive no shots in return."

Bob's heart sank and his breath grew short. Why had those ships come prowling so unexpectedly up the Hudson?

Bob did not show any excitement. He took a look at his six big cannon, which had been left loaded and primed. Then he peeped out at the ships. There were three frigates and four sloops. The officers on the decks were still staring hard through their glasses at the cliffs.

Presently men began to launch a boat from the nearest ship. Six sailors and an officer got into the boat. A little white flag was hoisted in the stern, and then the sailors began to row vigorously towards the camp.

The boat came within two hundred yards of the camp. Then the sailors rested on their oars and the officer stood up and waved the white flag.

"What must I do! What must I do!" thought poor Bob. The officer seemed to grow impatient. Bob was all in a tremor. The officer might come on and discover the camp was abandoned.

But Bob steadied himself and hesitated no longer. He knew what to do now. There were plenty of small boats at the foot of the cliff, abandoned there by the army.

He ran down a path, jumped into one of the boats and began to row towards the boat waiting in the stream.

Bob rowed up close to the British boat, then stopped, sitting up straight and looking as dignified as he could.

"I am Capt. Barrington, of His Majesty's frigate Arethusa. I have a communication for your commander, as I presume you are from the American camp," said the officer, haughtily.

"Gen. Washington sent me to see what you wanted," said Bob, quietly.

"Bah! you are but a boy, and you are not an officer cannot deliver an important message to such as you," said Capt. Barrington, sneeringly.

Bob's face flushed. Then he said firmly:

"My orders were to come and meet you and see what you wanted. I do not think the General will send any one else."

"Cursedly impertinent these rebels are becoming!" muttered the officer, savagely, but loud enough for the boy to hear.

Bob said not a word, but let his oar play idly in the shining waters of the Hudson while he waited.

The officer stared up at the cliff. Then he bit his mustache and said, snarlingly:

"I must deliver my message to an officer of rank. You are no fit messenger to send to a Captain in His Majesty's service. I shall go nearer and wait till a proper person comes to meet me."

"I would advise you not to do so," said Bob, quietly, "because if you go any nearer they'll sink you with a cannon."

The officer hesitated. Then he said, with an imprecation:

"It's contrary to all military rules to give an important message from one commander-in-chief to another commander-in-chief to such as you. But as the Americans are not gentlemen, anyway, I suppose we must not expect much from them. Here, take this letter from Sir Henry Clinton to Washington."

"It shall be delivered to Gen. Washington at once," said Bob, with an emphasis on the "general," "and let me repeat my advice to remain where you are, because if you come too close they may think you are trying to study the fortifications and fire on you."

"I don't want any advice from you, young sir," said Capt. Barrington, fiercely. "It is sufficient for you to deliver that message."

But his boat remained stationary in the stream.

Bob pulled to the shore with a steady stroke, though his heart was beating hard. He tied his boat to the bank and walked deliberately up the path that led to the top of the cliff. When he had passed out of sight behind the earthworks he sat down beside a cannon and read the letter. It was sealed with a big red seal and addressed in a big round hand to the "Leader of the American Forces."

Bob unfolded the letter and read it. It was a proposition from Sir Henry Clinton for an exchange of prisoners.

Bob was in a quandary again. Capt. Barrington would expect a written answer to that, and he had nothing with which to write an answer, even if with the proper materials he could have prepared one that would pass muster.

Bob peeped through the embrasure. Capt. Barrington was sitting stiff and straight in his boat and staring at the cliff.

"Well," soliloquised Bob, "I must give Gen. Washington sufficient time to consider this important proposition, and in the meanwhile I'll be thinking what to do."

So Bob sat beside the cannon for a full three-quarters of an hour. Then he turned and walked slowly down the cliff to his boat.

When Bob rowed up alongside of Capt. Barrington, the latter inquired, savagely:

"What! has he sent you back again, boy? This looks like an intentional insult to one of His Majesty's officers and to Sir Henry Clinton himself.

And the Captain looked suspiciously up at the cliff, where the muzzles of the cannon frowned down upon him.

"Gen. Washington directs me to say to you, began Bob, "that he——"

"What! has he sent no formal reply?" broke in Capt. Barrington. "This is most insulting. How dare he send a verbal message, and by such a boy as you, in reply to a written and most important communication from the Commander-in-Chief of His Majesty's forces in America? Bah! Confound the impertinence of these rebels!"

Bob said nothing, and again let his oar play idly in the shining waters of the Hudson, while the Captain's wrath boiled and seethed.

"How do I know that what you will tell me is the truth or not?" at length asked the Captain.

Bob made no reply.

"There is something suspicious about this," cried the Captain. "They are strangely quiet on that cliff up there. I mean to go nearer and see if your commander will not send me a more responsible messenger than you are."

"Better not," replied Bob, with an impassive face. "I heard some of the officers say you were too near already. If you approach the cliff they'll be sure to sink you. Your boat would make a mighty fine target for one of those guns up there."

The Captain hesitated again, looking up at the guns as if measuring the distance between them and his boat. The sailors leaned on their oars, apparently uninterested in the conversation.

"Well, what is it they told you to say?" asked the Captain at last.

"Gen. Washington directed me to say to you," said Bob, "that he wished for time to consider Sir Henry Clinton's message, and that in a few days he will send an answer to it by a messenger, under cover of a white flag, to New York."

"I suppose I must take the message," growled Capt. Barrington, more to himself than to Bob. "But it is a most undignified and preposterous way of doing things. Officially, I know nothing of the contents of Sir Henry Clinton's letter, and yet I must take back a verbal answer to him.

"Very well," he now said, directly to Bob, "I will take the message, but it is the last time I will ever come to the Americans on such business if I can help it. So, you young rebel, you may know from that my opinion of you and your kind. And you can tell your commander, also, that, in view of the great discourtesy offered to me, I shall consider my mission closed when I reach my ship. As soon as I put my foot on the deck we feel at liberty to open fire upon you, if we wish to do so."

"Oh, don't trouble yourself about that," said Bob. "The men are wishing for a little excitement anyway, and I dare say they would enjoy sinking one of your fine frigates out there."

The Captain snarled again, and then gave the command for his men to pull away. As they returned to the ship Bob rowed back to the cliff as fast as he could, and soon was safe behind the earthworks.

Presently the ships moved up a little closer, Capt. Barrington's vessel, the Arethusa, still in front. There was much bustle and stir on their decks. The Arethusa swung around a little. There was a flash of fire, a gust of white smoke, a deep retort that rolled and echoed far up the Hudson and through the hills, and an eighteen-pound solid shot struck the soft earth of the embankment in front of Bob, and imbedded itself there.

Bob was about to be bombarded.

In a moment there was another flash and roar, and then when the smoke cleared away Bob could see the officers again examining the earthworks with their glasses.

Now, there had been worse gunners in the army than Bob. With a youth's natural curiosity he had picked up such knowledge, though attached to a different arm of the surface. He sighted one of the big cannon at the Arethusa and fired it.

The ball clipped through the frigate's spars and rigging, and considerable confusion on the ship's decks followed. One man seemed to be wounded.

"I wouldn't be sorry if that was Capt. Barrington himself," thought Bob.

The other ships were now moving up, and directly there was a tremendous crash like the striking of a thunderbolt in the mountains, and a whole broadside was discharged from the ships at the earthworks. Dirt flew about like sand in a storm, and Bob crouched very low until the whirlwind was over.

"I guess I must answer all that how-d'ye-do," said Bob to himself, and he sighted and fired two cannon within half a half minute of each other. The first ball skipped along the water between two of the ships and ricochetted against the opposite shore, but the second smashed into the side of one of the frigates. There was a great tumult on the stricken ship, and Bob could see the officers running about and apparently giving orders.

"I'll give 'em more, just to keep up the excitement," thought Bob, and he fired another shot which was lucky enough to go plump into the same ship.

The damaged ship dropped back behind her sister vessels and the latter opened a cannonade which made a mighty noise but did no damage, for the earthworks were impervious. Bob had only four loaded cannon left, but he gave them the contents of two of these. There was so much smoke he could not tell whether either of his balls struck, but presently the ships fell back, halted until they could fire another volley all around, and then started down the river. Bob gave them his remaining two shots as they went, and a little later, under full sail for New York, they passed out of sight.

A few days afterward a countryman gave Bob a copy of a little paper that the British officers published once a week in New York, and his eye alighted on this paragraph:

"Hearing that the rebels had abandoned their camp up the river for some secret movement, Sir Henry Clinton sent a portion of the fleet under Capt. Barrington, in the Arethusa, under cover of a proposition for an exchange of prisoners, to see if the report was really true. But the rebels were really there. The proposition for an exchange of prisoners were received in the most insulting manner, a mere verbal reply being sent by a boy. Capt. Barrington afterwards opened a bombardment on the earthworks to which the rebels replied, with the full force of their batteries. The fleet sustained an exceedingly heavy fire with the greatest gallantry, until the Dreadnaught was disabled by two round shot through her hull. Capt. Barrington then returned with his vessels to New York. He reports that the rebels must have lost at least fifty men in the engagement."

"Well, I didn't loose anything after all, by not going with the army," thought Bob gleefully, and, long years after he used to tell how, all by himself, he held the British forces in New York at bay until Washington and Rochambeau could capture Cornwallis and end the war.—J. A. A. in N.Y. World.

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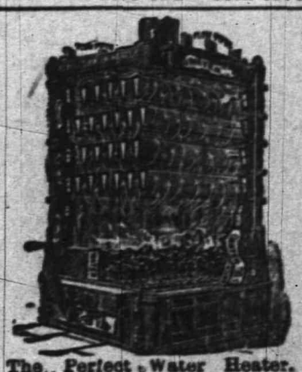

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CHAPTER III.

HORACE RIDDLE TELLS THE TRUST.

In the pause which followed the detective's declaration, both men heard the sound of sleigh bells.

"There is Dr. Maxwell," exclaimed the clergyman. "I know the bells. Can we not prevent his useless journey?"

At the first words the detective had run out of the room. Mr. Warren hurried after him. When he reached the front door, Mulligan was returning up the walk.

"I called to him but he did not hear me," said the detective. "At any rate he did not stop. I should say that there wouldn't be much use in chasing the team he's driving."

Mr. Warren shook his head. The doctor's horses were much the best in Williston.

"He will drive to the junction, I suppose," said Mulligan. "That's the only place in these parts that a man can get away from in winter. Very good, I have half an hour to spare. Suppose I tell you what I know about this case?"

"Do in Heaven's name! I can never rest until it is all made clear."

"If you expect me to make it all clear to-night," rejoined the detective, "I may as well warn you that you'll be disappointed. This is at once the simplest and the most complicated puzzle I ever saw, and I've had a hand in the best that Boston could afford, including the famous Bell case."

"How do you know that the crime was committed in this town?" demanded the clergyman. "I hold Edward Ames guilty, and yet you say that the story that he was here was a lie. Why did my daughter come here? Where did she meet her murderer? Why did she not come to me?"

"She came to you," said the detective, gravely. "Indeed, the fact that she did so is almost my only clew."

"What! She came here?"

"Mr. Warren, I don't want to startle you, but it is an unquestionable fact that, a little after nine o'clock last night, your daughter stood outside that window and looked in upon you as you sat at work."

What would the grief-stricken man have given in exchange for the power to take that knowledge back with him such a little way into the past? His life, gladly, for it would have saved hers.

"You can guess how I know this," continued the detective. "It was not a difficult problem. Assuming that the crime was committed here, I thought it fair to believe that the girl came to this town of her own free will. People are not carried about the country prisoners, in these days. Believing that, I knew where to go for traces of her presence. I have seen too many of such cases to have any doubt what she would do.

"So I made investigations under your window. The snow was soft and wet that night up to nine o'clock when the cold snap set in. Her footprints, formed in the wet snow, were perfectly preserved. It was only necessary to brush away an inch or two of light snow that lay over them. Then I made my measurements. I had just completed them when a noise that I made alarmed you in here, and I had to get away. By the courtesy of Capt. Thompson I was enabled to compare my measurements with your dead daughter's shoes, and the result leaves no doubt as to the state of the case."

"Sir," said Mr. Warren, "it seems to me that you solve this dark riddle completely. At the time you mention, and thereafter, the coffin which was supposed to contain the body of Ned Ames lay in his father's house. Who watched beside it? Who permitted my daughter's body to be hidden in it?"

"There," said the detective, laying his hand on the clergyman's arm, "you touch exactly the point where the mystery becomes as dark as the tomb. Here are the facts. It was Mr. Ames who watched beside the coffin. We insisted upon it, and sent his son Frank to bed after the latter had volunteered for that duty. Frank was worn out with his journey and at last consented to his father's arrangement."

"This is madness," exclaimed Warren. "It makes Samuel Ames a party to this crime. Preposterous! I have known him thirty years and I would stake my life that he had nothing to do with this."

"So would I," responded the detective, calmly, "though I've known him only a few hours. When this case stood in my mind as it stands now in yours, I own that I was stumped. But I knew there must be some way out, for the facts were plain. If the girl was here on Thursday night she couldn't have been murdered in Boston several days before. You see, from the first it looked doubtful whether the crime could have been committed there, for in that case why was the coffin ripped open after having been once closed?"

"I had thought of that, and it had seemed to me possible Ames might have feigned death by the use of drugs and have permitted himself to be put into the coffin."

"No, sir; not into that coffin. He wouldn't have lived in it five minutes. It was airtight. No, I say again, that explanation wouldn't stand. The deed was done on Thursday night in this town, and the bodies were exchanged—"

"Exchanged! Then you believe that Ned Ames is really dead?"

"I don't know. It's barely possible. However, the essential point is that your daughter's body was put into that coffin in the Ames house on Thursday night."

"While Samuel Ames sat by and permitted it!"

"No; while he was asleep—drugged of course."

"Drugged? Are you sure of that?"

"What he says makes it practically certain. He remembers the first hour alone beside the coffin. Then he knows nothing until he found himself sitting there with the light of early morning streaming into the room. He was ashamed to own that he had slept, and so he said nothing about it until I questioned him. Then he described his experience, and his sensations as awakening in such a way as to make me perfectly confident that he was drugged; and the thing that makes his story certainly true is that he described the effect of a drug about which I'm sure that he knows nothing at all. It's a mixture of choral and one or two other poisons of that class."

"I SAY THIS WITH MY HAND ON THE BOOK."

"How was it administered?"

"Easily enough. There's a pitcher of water and a glass on the table in the dining-room of the Ames house every morning. Mr. Ames drank from that glass about ten o'clock. Of course the drug was in it. Now, the man who put it there is the murderer, but the trouble is that any man in town could have done it. Secret entrance to that room was perfectly easy on that evening."

"Might not the drug have killed Mr. Ames? I shudder at the thought of such awful sin. How can human beings do such deeds?"

"It's beyond me, but they can. However, there wasn't much danger of killing Mr. Ames. The man who used the drug was evidently skilled in its use."

"Could anyone not trained in medicine—" Warren began, and stopped aghast.

The detective looked keenly at the clergyman.

"I see what you mean," he said.

"No, no; it was merely a horrible fancy. My mind is strained to the verge of madnes."

"His flight looks bad," said Mulligan.

"Flight? Whose flight?"

"Come, Mr. Warren, let's not fence with each other. Dr. Maxwell has got out of town in a hurry."

"I won't hear of such a thing. What motive is possible? The mere fact that a drug was skillfully employed is not enough."

"Certainly not. Thieves use it."

"And Edward Ames was a thief."

"But we don't know that he was here. Come, let's see what we do know. Your daughter ran away from home some years ago. You've never been able to find any trace of her. Didn't you look too far away from home? After I left the cemetery I communicated by wire with an assistant of mine who was in the Junction, which is the nearest considerable town in this place. He was on his way here. In reply to my questions, he wired that Charlotte Warren was seen there Thursday afternoon, but he couldn't find out how she got there. Now what do you say to the theory that she's been there all the time? And if so, what young man of this place has made most frequent visits to the Junction? Who's got the speediest team of horses in the place?

"Well, that's only a theory, and I hope that Maxwell is all right. But remember that you never knew on whose account Charlotte left her home, and—"

"I have always believed that Edward Ames was guilty. If she loved Maxwell, why were they not honorably married? On the other hand, she knew there was no hope of my consenting to her union with Edward Ames."

"Well, I give that up. We don't know enough yet to consider such questions with any hope of getting anything out of them. If Ned Ames was in town at the time I'd be pretty near sure of him, but I can't get a trace of him. Who's there?"

"I hear nothing."

"There's some one at the door. Not that one; the back door of the house."

Mr. Warren went to the window and looked out.

"A man and a boy. Who can they be?"

He hurried out of the room; and presently returned with Horace Riddle and old Abner Riddle, the boy's father.

"My son's got something to say to you, Mr. Warren," said Riddle. "Speak up and tell the truth for once in your life."

This tender parental admonition appeared to make little impression on the boy. He was staring at a book on the study table.

"That's the Bible, ain't it?" he said

"It is," replied the clergyman.

"That's the book you swear on, and it makes it worse for you if you don't tell the truth. I'm willing to do it. You know I wouldn't lie to you, anyway, Mr. Warren. I never did. And if I put my hand on that book, and cross my heart, you'll be sure that what I say is true."

"If you mean to tell us that you lied in the cemetery," said the clergyman, frowning upon the young barbarian, "it's unnecessary. This man has already told me all about it."

"That's what I came here for," said the boy, firmly. "I told father that the man would tell, and you'd think what I said wasn't so. It was this way: This man came to me, and asked me flat if I'd tell a lie for a dollar, and I said I would.

"Then he told me to say what I did say up in the graveyard, and when he put those words in my mouth, you could have knocked me down with a feather. I didn't dare to tell him, for fear that I wouldn't get my dollar, but the truth was that I really did see Ed Ames in the woods back of High street, not half an hour before this man spoke to me.

"I say this with my hand on the book, Mr. Warren, and it's true—it's true as what's in the book; every word of it."

The little fellow's manner carried conviction.

"Well, I've run up against a good many queer things in my life," said Mulligan, "but this beats them all. Young man, I believe what you tell me, and I want to say that it'll be worth more than a dollar to you, before we're through with this affair.

"Mr. Riddle," he continued, "you take your son home, and keep an eye on him all the time. What he says is likely to convict somebody of murder, and I don't suppose it's necessary to tell either of you that it isn't a thing to be talked about yet."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

WOMAN'S IDEAL MAN.

A Young Woman of Observation Says It Varies With Every Attachment.

"I suppose it's a perfectly harmless amusement," said a young woman of observation, "but for the life of me I can't see the use of all this discussion that's going on concerning man's most attractive trait to women. Why, it is not a question of any trait of general application at all. It simply depends on the woman's idea of what is most attractive in some certain man at some certain time. She may hold to the ideal all through her girlhood that the only worshipful man is the poetic and soulful creature, and then flop completely over and throw herself at the muddy feet of the tousle headed 'half-back' of a college football team.

"It's all nonsense to say that we women have got any well-sustained, well-defined ideals of manly character. We do not fall in love with a man because he fills out our plan, but because we like the fellow; because we cannot help ourselves, in fact; and then we make the astonishing discovery that his characteristics are just those that we admire. Our ideal changes with each new case of heart affection, for if it were not so how could we manage to endure a change of sweethearts? I believe there are some girls in this world who have made a selection from the other sex by rule and rote, but they are simply freaks, and I look on them with mingled wonder and pity.

"Courage, tenderness, deference, devotion, physical charms, mental attainments; these are all characteristics that we like in men, but it is silly to try to pick out any one of them as being the most attractive to woman in general. To every woman that manly quality is most charming which is possessed by the man most charming to her. He is not charming because his qualities first made him so, but his qualities are the most charming because she finds them in him.

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THATCHER'S NEWEST HAT.

The Sad Story of How He Came to Be Wearing It—One Mash that Was Most Complete.

"Yes, this is a new hat"—said George Thatcher, Plainfield's favorite minstrel, to a group of listeners at the North Avenue station on the occasion of his last flying visit home. "It is the second one I have bought already this Winter, and thereby hangs a tale. It chanced that I dropped in to see Francis Wilson one Saturday when that comedian was playing an engagement in Abbey's Theatre, New York. As I sat down in the seventh row of the orchestra I noticed that directly behind me was an awfully pretty girl whom I had never seen before. It was in the middle of the play, I think, when I chanced to put my feet under my chair and I touched what was evidently her foot. Presently the same thing occurred again. I noticed that she did not withdraw her foot, and finding the sensation agreeable I repeated it. To my gratification I observed a gentle resistance on her part which showed she did not object to the contact. I glanced around and thought she smiled slightly. As I have said before, she was deucedly pretty, and I said to myself, 'Old boy, you have made an impression.' Of course I was bound to follow it up.

"Renewing the contact as before, I experienced the same result. I exerted a harder pressure, which was received with the same gentle resistence. I looked around once more and again I thought that she smiled slightly, though I could not be sure. I tried with the other foot; it was quite delightful. I forgot all about the play in the excitement of the sport.

"Various plans I revolved in my brain for establishing some better mode of communication with the fair damsel in order that I might find out who she was with a view of establishing the flirtation on a more satisfactory basis in the future. I thought of writing a small note, folding it in the shape of a cocked hat and sticking it in the back of my collar, from which it would be easy enough for her to abstract, but I was afraid somebody would observe it, particularly an old lady who was her companion and evidently her chaperon.

"On reflection I decided to communicate with her in some way as we were leaving the theatre. So I waited patiently, still renewing the contact occasionally as before. I was perfectly satisfied I had made a mash of the largest size. In fact I was not mistaken, for when the curtain dropped at the end of the play I looked for my new silk hat and found it under the seat crushed into a shapeless mass. It was that which I had been kicking all the afternoon instead of the young lady's foot, and I demolished it so completely that it was beyond repair. I purchased this one the next day. How does it look?"

The Villian Killed by Lightning.

Jacob Litt's elaborate production of "Shaft No. 2", which comes to Music Hall Friday, Feb. 8, is called an electrical melodrama because its hero is an electrical engineer, and its main effects are produced by electricity. The scenery is beautiful, the story well told, the dialogue good, and the situations startling in their originality and realism. One in particular has the rare merit of novelty, for the villian's life is taken by a tremendous fork of jagged lightning. The illusion is perfect.

Another scene of thrilling interest is the interior of a shaft in a big coal mine, and the rescue of the heroine as the car, which has become unmanageable, comes crashing down the terrible incline.

The electrocution chamber in the State Prison also is shown; indeed, the play possesses more than its share of new situations and effects.

The company is a strong one, headed by the sterling young actor, Frank Losee.

Could n't Get a Quorum.

The game which was scheduled for last evening between the C. Y. M. L. bowlers and the St. Joseph's of Jersey City on the latter's alleys was forfeited because of the difficulty experienced by Capt. Hibbits of the home team in securing the requisite number of players. The bowling committee have disbanded the team for the season and no other scheduled games will be played.

Another Story for the Vault.

As a result of the city's search for quarters where a fireproof vault would be provided for the municipal valuables, it is understood that Landlord Coward has agreed to add another story to the vault in the building where the city now has its offices, and that the third story of the vault thus provided will be placed at the disposal of the Council. The first story is used by Jeweler Doane, and the second by Engineer Dunham.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm, much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE NEW WHITE'S.

As Big as All Out Doors, and Supplies Plainfield With Her Indoor Comforts.

It 's as much fun as going to a church fair, and a good deal more profitable, to attend the continual bazar provided on West Front street by Edward White. Mr. White is one of Plainfield's most successful merchants because he gives the people not only their money's worth but also as varied a choice of bargains as in any metropolitan house. The old White's store was a great thing as far as it went, but the new White's goes a good deal farther. It is immense, and if you have n't been in to see you must go now and keep up with the times.

Having doubled the capacity of his store, White is now able to display to advantage the wonderful stock of all sorts of goods that he carries, and buyers are amazed and delighted. Every department is now placed on the one big floor, and each is kept distinct from its neighbors, so that a customer can always know exactly where to go for any piece of goods, just as well as the clerks.

The display is beautiful, and is worthy of a visit just to see what White's has grown to be. If something is wanted for the feminine wardrobe, or toilet, or house, you will readily find what you need, and it is yours at a price that will make you glad you came. White is a genuine bargain-giver, and the people are the profiters thereby. The quality of his wares is proved in their daily service in every Plainfield household, and the saving on purchases made there enables bank accounts to accumulate for the patrons of this house.

White's is central, a fact that also makes it popular. Its owner and its clerks are alike experienced and courteous. It is a pleasure to trade there. The two big stores thrown into one make such a wonderful place that one might well exclaim it to be like the treasure caves of Aladdin. All day it is busy with traffic, and bright with the animation of clerks and customers. The rainbow hues of the wares make a gay display, and the lights at night add to the fascination of it all. An especially pretty effect is made by the electric lamps in the show cases. These cases have two stories, and are themselves a novelty.

Mr. White says he has never seen the time when there was not a customer in the store. Indeed, White's is proverbial for its unceasing business. Besides the great local trade, the big store is favored with a large out-of-town trade, many people from the country making that their headquarters for supplies. Dress goods, fancy goods, novelties, coats and cloaks, linen, table and kitchen ware, toys, household utensils, lace curtains, portieres, hats and millinery, anything that is wanted for feminine fancy or utility, is to be found at White's, and Plainfield's experience has been and will continue to be that White's is the most central and most satisfactory department store of this section to supply the general and special needs of the dress-wearing and housekeeping portion of the community.

Faust.

As before noticed in these columns the Monday Afternoon Club has planned what promises to be a delightful entertainment for next Monday afternoon. George Riddle, the distinguished elocutionist, has been engaged to give readings from Goethe's "Faust", with organ accompaniment by Frank Taft. The club designs to make this entertainment a gift to the people of Plainfield, and to this end complimentary tickets are being distributed by the members. The Seventh-Day Baptist Church, with its fine organ, has been generously loaned for the afternoon, and it should be filled with an appreciative audience. Admission will be by ticket only. In speaking of the novel combination of words and music, Mr. Riddle says, "My own recent experience is to the effect that music may be a most powerful factor in making impressive and giving color to a reading". He is certainly an authority on this subject, since his great abilities and high ideals have made him deservedly popular.

East Side Whist Club.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ball of East Fourth street, who with their hosts constitute the East Side Whist Club, were most pleasantly entertertained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ball Tuesday night The game was a close and exciting one, resulting in a score of 40-45 in in favor of the "45" Refreshments and social chat followed the game and the occasion was heartily enjoyed by all who participated.

Those who constitute the club are Mr. and Mrs. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. William Mosher, Mr. and Mrs. William Millard, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Swick, and Messrs. A. Albertis and Earnest Millard.

Chinatown Tonight.

"A Trip to Chinatown" has a lasting hold upon the theatre-goer everywhere, and is sure of a big house in Music Hall tonight. Its pretty story, its beautiful scenic investiture, and its innumerable bright features, combine to make up an evening's entertainment of far more than ordinary enjoyment.

A PLEA FOR THE BOYS.

By the Superintendent of the Plainfield Boys Club.

A great necessity apparent to all seems to be a place where boys can be taken and cared for and trained, who have committed minor crimes, and are on the road to join the already too large class of confirmed criminals. When we wish to have a tree bring best results as to appearance and fruit-bearing, we do not wait until it is full grown and old, but we take it in hand while it is yet young and tender and can be straightened and trained for its special use. Only a simpleton would attempt to train an old dog or other animal. Interview some wild beast tamers and they will tell you that the instances of taming old animals are very rare, and best results are only attained with the young. Look around you and see if it is not exactly so with us, who have at best only a superior order of animal life. To be sure we have reform schools at Trenton, Jamesburg and other places, and good ones they are, too. But go there and question officers or inmates, and you will find that a great many of the boys must be classed as criminals, confirmed and hardened, having been arrested time and again, some of them having committed burglaries and such like crimes. But the boy I plead for is he who is in the main but unruly and by evil associates will be led away until he too must be classed among criminals. For instance, here is a boy whose parents love him dearly. His father is a hard-working machanic, away from home from 6:45 in the morning until 6:15 at night He has outgrown the authority of his mother, and his father can not look after him. The boy roams the streets, plays "hookey" from school whenever he can, gets in company with really bad boys, commences to pilfer in a small way from street stands and so goes on from bad to worse until he finally brings up in court and is sentenced to prison. Then someone thinks it his duty to hold out a helping hand, but among other things the boy has learned to be deceitful and so may think something may be gained by appearing to repent, but in truth he has learned to love this way of getting along without work, without "slaving" for someone as he calls it, and when he is paroled or released, it is but a comparatively short time before he is back at his old tricks. He breaks the heart of his mother and fills his father with sorrow and shame to think that their boy, whom they strove to bring up in the way he should go, has turned out such a scapegrace. And society at large? Why, it has only another good for nothing to menace its peace and welfare and will have to take care of him in prison or when he gets old enough in the poor house. And the boy? In his better moments (for he has them at times) he thinks: If there only had been someone to take hold of him and point out the right way and "keep him in it for a time", all might have gone well. But as it is, there is no hope for him. Who will have to answer for this boy's soul in that last great day? Reflect upon this! Then ask yourself Is our criminal class increasing? Look around you for the answer. What am I doing to decrease it? You know best. Then see if you can find out what France is doing for this class of boys at Mettray, Germany at the Rauhe Haus and England in her institutions. Can you contemplate this matter calmly? Can you pass by boys on the street with vice and crime already asserting itself in their young faces, with serenity and satisfaction in what you are doing for them? Have we any such boys in Plainfield? It is not long ago that a lady told me that they could not leave the house and leave a porch rocker out but it would be missing on their return. Oh, that a mighty wave of action might strike our city, our State, our nation, the effects of which might be felt in the coming generations!

G. E. MARX.

The Stites Will Case Settled.

The contested will of Henry F. Stites of Fanwood was finally disposed of in the Union County Court yesterday, the administrator pendente lite, James E. Martine of Plainfield, turning over all his accounts to ex-Postmaster Elias R. Pope of Plainfield. The real estate of the deceased is worth about $8,000 and there are from $10,000 to $12,000 in cash and personal property. The Muhlenberg Hospital of Plainfield gets most of the estate. The Court allowed Mr. Martine full commissions, $470.00, and Counselor W. K. McClure the comfortable fee of $450 for his services.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

STREET RAILWAY EXTENSIONS.

Work to Be Begun This Spring, in Any Event.

The Plainfield Street Railway Company and the Plainfield Street Committee have been for some time discussing the proposed extensions. The committee insist on concessions to the city, which Mr. Nevins angrily refused, saying that before he'd grant them he'd sell out for what the road had actually cost him. Mr. Fisk asked for 30 days option on that offer, and Mr. Nevins subsided.

The company state that they will surely begin work on the extensions this Spring. They claim to have the rights of way for the following routes: To Netherwood by Fifth and Richmond streets and Putnam avenue. To Fanwood by Third street and Terrill road. To Dunellen by Front street. The track is to be single, with turnouts.

Confer Not with Flesh and Blood.

The meetings in Grace M. E. Church are growing in interest. The largest attendance of any week night was that of last night. Rev. H. F. Randolph preached from the words of Paul, "And immediately I conferred not with flesh and blood". Flesh was interpreted as signifying the world; and blood, social or race affiliations. Paul was guided by the Holy Ghost, knowing that human wisdom was fallible. The preacher advised the unconverted not to let temporal questions affect their decielons to obey God; nor their own weaknesses; nor the opinions of others; nor the fact that there are unworthy people in the church. In what profession or calling, he asked, can any one engage, in which he will not find dishonest and unworthy men? A man would be foolish who refused to be a lawyer, or a merchant, or a physician, because there are diereputable lawyers, tricky merchants, and quack doctors. Every man should decide questions affecting his eternal welfare in his own heart and in the presence of his Maker. There will be short sermons tonight and tomorrow night.

Plainfield Still Winning.

The Plainfield Bowling team and the Alcyones of Elizabeth rolled a most exciting game last evening in the tournament for the Journal trophy. Enthusiasm ran high all through the game, especially at the windup, when the crowd fairly went wild. The score:

P. B. T.		ALCYONES	
Van Emburgh	144	Tunison	136
Buckle	149	Potts	180
Barnes	158	Coleman	150
Maltby	146	Fishbaugh	153
Petrie	134	Klippie	112
Wilbur	112	C. Gillies	163
Pope	161	R. McAdams	144
VanAlstyne	130	Clauss	150
Watters	164	Hicks	145
Vail	172	W. Gillies	130
	1479		1470

BY FRAMES.

P. B. T....127 276 446 619 750 893 1000 1154 1315 1479
Alcyone..147 320 477 604 743 891 1029 1191 1352 1469

Plainfield is still tied with the Y. M. C. L. A. in the number of games won, and leads on highest average.

Plainfield's Red Men.

A very interesting Council fire of Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Tribe No. 193, was held last night in their wigwam, several important matters concerning the order coming up for discussion. Several palefaces are awaiting their degrees, and as new applications are constantly being received it has been deemed best to defer the ceremonies of initiation so that a large number can be received at once. The date will shortly be announced. After the regular council sleep the Haymakers Association which, by the way, has just received its new charter, went into session. The usual pleasant features of these gatherings were enjoyed last evening, many motions of importance being passed and several new applications being received.

Immortalizing a Motorman.

The Youth's Companion of Jan. 17 prints the story of the rescue by Motorman Harry Martin of the Plainfield Street Railway of the little girl who fell from a second story window in Grant avenue, with the following comment:

"On the battlefield a general must sometimes think quickly, and act without hesitation. This motorman showed himself to be gifted with these admirable traits"

Songs and Readings.

The Brooklyn Daily Eagle says: "The Verdi Ladies Quartette won favor, both for their appearance and their skill as vocalists. Each of them is a well-known soloist, they sang in perfect harmony, and had to decline repeated recalls."

The quartette will sing, and Miss Addie Parker Jackson will read, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., Tuesday Feb. 5

Had n't Heard of It.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—I was very much surprised to see stated in your paper yesterday that some of the members of Grace Church choir assisted us in singing at St. Stephen's Church, Netherwood, Sunday. It is the first we knew of it. A CHORISTER.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy, I can recommend to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50c bottles for sale at Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North avenues. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

H. J. Phillips of South avenue is confined to his home with the grip.

Miss Sadie Howell is much improved from a severe attack of the grip.

George W. Rockfellow is confined to his bed at his home on Park avenue.

George Moore, proprietor of the East Front street cigar-patent-wheel shop, is ill.

Miss Rudd of Clinton avenue is spending the day with Miss Bertie Freeman of New York.

Miss Annie Angerbauer of East Third street has been very ill with the grip.

Wm. Barcalow, the widely-known New Jersey lawyer, was in town yesterday calling on friends.

Policeman Flynn, who has been a sufferer from grip for the past week, was on duty again last evening.

Mrs. Gillem and daughter Miss Emma will spend next week with friends in Locust Farms, Bedminister.

Samuel Sleppy of Wilkes-Barre is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. M. Buckman of West Front street.

Chas. J. Noel, local representative of the New York Herald, is planning to publish a Christian Endeavor newspaper.

Mr. Newman of Astor place has returned from Asbury Park, where he has been spending a few days with friends.

Julius Williams returned to his home in Elmwood place last evening for a few-days rest prior to another business trip.

Mrs. E. E. Hann of Somerset street, who has been a sufferer with erysipelas for the past two weeks, is decidedly improved.

O. S. Teale and family have returned to their home on Mercer avenue, after spending the past two months in New York city.

Miss Flo Honegger, formerly of this city and now of Staten Island, is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Hill of Belvidere avenue, Netherwood.

Isaac Smalley of East Front street has been improving rapidly the past few days. It will be almost two months before he can get around again.

Edward Kline of East Sixth street, who has been ill at his home, returned to his business duties at the office of the Ackerman Cement Works, New York city.

G. W. V. Moy returned yesterday from a visit to his mother in Red Bank, who is seriously ill. Mrs. Moy, who accompanied her husband, remains at Red Bank.

Station Agent Jeppe Eriksen of Netherwood is suffering at his home on South avenue with the grip. During his illness his son James will take charge of the station.

Misses Rudd and Pound, and Messrs. Morrison, Blatz, DeMeza, Kitchen and Havens, will attend the dance of the Bushwick Wheelmen in Brooklyn tomorrow night.

Frank Covey of Dunellen, who recently married a Pittsburg belle, expects to move to Plainfield and occupy the house on West Front street formerly occupied by Mrs. Rickert.

Miss Caroline A. Barber of the Franklin School, who has been absent from her post recently in obedience to the advice of her physician, returned this morning to her accustomed duties.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thompson and Mrs Thompson's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Stelle of Millington, left today on the Florida Special for the Orange State, to spend the balance of the Winter.

Mrs. Charlotte Emerson Brown of East Orange will address the members of the Monday Afternoon Club on the subject of parliamentary law, at a special meeting to be held for this purpose in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church, Monday afternoon, Feb. 11, at 3.

The many friends of Mrs. Wm. J. Allen of Grandview avenue, who has been seriously ill for several weeks past, will be glad to learn that she is slowly recovering, though still weak from the severe ordeal through which she has passed. Dr. E. W. Hedges has been and still is in attendance.

Miss Rudd of Clinton avenue entertained a number of friends at home Saturday evening. Dancing, singing and refreshments made an enjoyable time. Those present were Misses S. Pound, M. Beekman, E. Blatz and E. Havens, and Messrs. Wm. Morrison, Wm. Havens, A. Sherman, Frank Havens and Frank Blatz.

George Thatcher journeyed from Wilmington to Boston this week to fill a one-night engagement at Kieth's Boston house, receiving therefor $100 and expenses. The Hub got so infatuated with Thatcher that Mr. Kieth has offered him $300 a week for 50 weeks, to appear as a special attraction at his Boston and New York continuous performances.

Mrs. Bermann of Philadelphia gave the first of her series of talks on the dramas, yesterday morning, at the home of Mrs. Edgerton, corner of Front and Richmond streets. Her subject was "Actors and audiences of the 17th century", which she treated in a most bright and interesting manner. The second talk will be given next Wednesday at Mrs. Edgerton's home.

PARTICULAR MENTION

Charles P. Rice, who has been in Philadelphia for some time, returned home yesterday.

The children of Mrs. J. B. Mills of Watchung avenue are confined to the house by illness.

Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., of East Second street has so far recovered as to be able to see his friends again.

A. D. Fredricks and family of 421 La Grande avenue have stored their furniture and will spend the next few months in Montclair.

Howard Vail and bride of Quakertown took dinner yesterday with Charles Vail and family of Orchard place. They left for Trenton later in the day.

The Press is glad to record the fact that Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., though still confined to the house, are very much improved after their recent illness from the grip, and will doubtless be able to visit their less fortunate friends in a very few days.

Album Pictures in Church.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church gave a sociable in the church parlors last evening. After refreshments were served, the programme was announced. "Aunt Samantha's Album" was the title, and it consisted of a series of tableaux representing the childhood, girlhood and old age of Aunt Samantha, and a few miscellaneous pictures.

A large frame was set up between the parlors. On the outside was a curtain on which was the word "Album". Behind the "album" was a small room in which the pictures were grouped, and a strong light was thrown on them. The large room, where the audience was seated, being dark, the effect was very striking. Miss Bessie Randolph as the "Flower Girl" was especially pleasing. About thirty tableaux were shown, and afforded a very enjoyable entertainment.

Those whose took part in the entertainment were Miss Bessie Randolph, Miss Lulu Clawson, Miss Louise Lewis, Miss Ernestine Smith, Mrs. P. D. Ross, Miss Mineola Tomlinson, Miss Bessie Titsworth, Frank Hubbard, Rolland Tomlinson, Clarence L. Titsworth, Frank Clawson and others.

The programme was arranged and ably directed by the following committee: Mrs. J. G. Miller, Miss Ida Randolph, Miss Elizabeth E. Titsworth, Frank J. Hubbard and Clarence L. Titsworth.

For the Babcock Library.

The following is a list of the periodicals decided upon at a recent meeting of the Library Committee for the Babcock Scientific Library. These will be kept on file with other periodicals in the reading room of the Free Public Library:

American Anthropologist, American Engineer and R. R. Journal, American Journal of Science, American Machinist, The Builder, Electrical Engineer, Electrical World, Engineering and Mining Journal, Engineering Magazine, Geographical Journal, Iron Age, Journal of Franklin Institute, Journal of the Society of Arts, Knowledge, National Geographic Magazine, Nature, Photographic Times, Popular Astronomy, Popular Science Monthly, Popular Science News, Psychological Review, Scientific American, Scientific American Supplement, Scientific American, Builder's ed., Textile Colorist.

Mrs. Tracy's Pleasant "At Home".

The last of the enjoyable "At Homes" on January Wednesdays given at the residence of Mrs. Tracy on West Eighth street yesterday afternoon, was the occasion for a pleasant gathering of friends to whom the cordial informality of these occasions was a most happy relief after the many demands of the season now drawing to its close. Mrs. Tracy was assisted in receiving by her daughters, the Misses Emily, May and Edith Tracy, and her daughters-in-law, Mrs. Howard Tracy and Mrs. J. Evarts Tracy. During the afternoon Russian tea was poured and and a dainty collation was served. The departing guests did not fail to express their appreciation of the pleasure afforded them at being present.

A Plainfield Woman's Plea.

Mrs. David P. Hall of this city addressed the Legislative Committee yesday on the the plea for the admission of women to the bar. She argued that New Jersey legislators ought to grant this request, that if not, they would shut the door to at least one avenue of self-support for women, and possibly drive them unto others far less respectable.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

HUNDREDS LOST AT SEA

The North German Lloyd Liner Elbe Sunk in the North Sea.

BUT TWENTY-ONE SAVED

Crashed Into by the British Steamer Crathie Fifty Miles Off Lowestoft in the Early Morning—Appalling Struggle for Life in the Darkness—One Woman Saved—She Relates Her Thrilling Experience—List of the Rescued Passengers—Description of the Lost Vessel.

London, Jan. 31.—The North German Lloyd steamship Elbe, bound from Bremen for New York, was sunk in a collision with a small steamer fifty miles off Lowestoft yesterday morning. She carried 380 souls. But twenty-one survivors have been landed and a few others may still be afloat in one of the ship's small boats. At 10 o'clock last evening the number of lives lost was given out as 350.

The survivors of the wreck were landed at Lowestoft by the fishing smack Wild Flower. They are:

Stollberg, third officer; Neussell, first engineer; Weser, paymaster; Schultheiss, Linkmeyer and Sitting, assistant paymasters; Furst, chief stoker; Vicebe, steward; Wenning, Singer and Seibert, sailors; Dreson and Batko, ordinary seamen; Deharde, German pilot; Greenham, English pilot; Hofman, Lugen, Schlegel, Vevera and Miss Anna Buecker, saloon passengers, and Bolthen, a steerage passenger.

Hofman's home is in Nebraska. His wife and boy went down with the ship. All of them were in a pitiable condition. The passengers were but half clothed. Their few garments were frozen stiff, their hair was coated with ice, and anxiety and effort had exhausted them so completely that they had to be helped ashore. The officers and sailors were fully dressed, but their clothes had been drenched and frozen and they had been almost paralyzed with cold and fatigue.

They had been ashore three hours before they had recovered sufficiently to tell the story of the wreck. Their accounts agreed upon the following points:

The Elbe left Bremen on Tuesday afternoon. The few hours of the voyage before the disaster were uneventful. At 4 o'clock yesterday morning the wind was blowing very hard and a tremendous sea was running. The morning was unusually dark. Numerous lights were seen in all directions, showing that many vessels were near by. The captain ordered, therefore, that rockets should be sent up at regular intervals to warn the crafts to keep out of the Elbe's course.

It was near to 6 o'clock, and the Elbe was some fifty miles off Lowestoft, coast of Suffolk, when the lookout man sighted a steamer of about 1,500 tons approaching. He gave the word, and, as a precaution, the number of rockets was doubled and they were sent up at short intervals. The warning was without effect. The steamer came on with unchecked speed, and before the Elbe could change her course or reduce her speed notably, there was the terrific crash of the collision.

The Elbe was hit abaft her engine room. When the smaller steamer wrenched away, an enormous hole was left in the Elbe's side. The water poured through and down into the engine room in a cataract. The room filled almost instantly. The engines were still and the big hulk began to settle.

The passengers were in bed. The bitter cold and rough sea had prevented any early rising and none except the officers and crew on duty, was on deck when the ship was struck. The shock and crash roused everybody. The steerage was in a panic in a moment and men, women and children half-dressed or in their night clothes, came crowding up the companion ways. They had heard the sound of rushing water as the other steamer backed off and had felt the Elbe lurch and settle. They had grasped the fact that it was then life or death with them and almost to a man had succumbed to their terror. They clung together in groups, facing the cold storm, and cried aloud for help or prayed on their knees for deliverance.

The officers and crew were calm. For a few moments they went among the terror stricken groups, trying to quiet them and encouraging them to hope that the vessel might be saved.

It was soon apparent, however, that the Elbe was settling steadily. The officers were convinced that she was about to founder and gave orders to lower the boats. In a short time three boats were got alongside, but the seas were breaking over the steamer with great force and the first boat was swamped before anybody could get into it.

The other two boats, lowered at about the same time, were filled quickly with members of the crew and some passengers, but the number was small as the boats held only twenty persons each.

The boat carrying the twenty-one persons who were landed at Lowestoft put off in such haste from the sinking steamer that nobody in it noticed what became of the other boat. The survivors believe, however, that she got away safely. They say that they tossed about in the heavy seas for several hours before they sighted the Wild Flower.

The little smack bore down on them at once and took them aboard. They were exhausted from excitement and exposure. Several of them were in a state of collapse and had to be carried and dragged from one boat to the other.

Miss Anna Buecker, the only woman in the party, was prostrated as soon as they got clear of the Elbe. She lay in the bottom of the boat for five hours with the seas breaking over her and the water that had been shipped half covered her body. Although her physical strength was gone, she showed true pluck, however, and did not utter a word of complaint and repeatedly urged her companions not to mind her but look after themselves. Hofman's leg was hurt severely while he was changing boats.

The survivors can not say too much in praise of the Wild Flower's crew who gave them every possible attention. Upon landing, the survivors were taken in charge by B. S. Bradbeer, the German consul at Lowestoft, who sent some to the Sailor's home and others to the Suffolk hotel. Miss Buecker, who took passage to Southampton, will probably be able to go to London in a few days.

The United Press reporter called at the Sailor's home to see Miss Buecker. The doctor said that she was in such a state of physical and nervous exhaustion when she arrived that he had put her to bed. She had rested and felt much better, and would not suffer any permanent injury from her experience. Miss Buecker said:

"I was in bed when the steamer struck. I was aroused by a great crash, followed by shouts and the trampling of feet on deck.

"It was dark when I reached the top of the stairs leading to the deck. I found that two of the life-boats were being lowered, and ran to one of them. The steamer was sinking gradually. One side was already low in the water.

"Some men shoved me in the boat, which was then lowered. We had hardly reached the water before the boat upset and all were thrown out. As that part of the Elbe was partly submerged, most of the others managed to get back on the steamer.

"I went under, and when I came up clutched the bow of the capsized lifeboat. I clung to it desperately until another life-boat that had been launched picked me up. We suffered terribly until the Wild Flower rescued us. I lost all my clothes, but I saved my money and watch, which I had in the belt round my waist."

The steamship Elbe, of the North German Lloyd line, was built in Glasgow in 1881 by J. Elder & Co. Her gross tonnage was 4,510; net tonnage, 2,810. She was 418.2 feet in length, 44.9 feet beam and 35.4 feet depth of hold.

K. Von Gessel was captain of the vessel. She was licensed to carry 848 passengers; 182 first class, 166 second class and 500 steerage. She had a crew of 175 men all told.

The Elbe was elaborately decorated within, more so than many of the larger and swifter steamers.

Some of her sister ships have been very near to total destruction, notably the Elder, which ran on the rocks off the Isle of Wight on January 31, 1892, just three years ago. All of her 300 or more passengers were saved.

Again, within the past year, the Ems broke her crank shaft in midocean and drifted about helplessly for five days before she was taken in tow off the Azores by the tank steamer Wildflower and safely towed into port.

The Elbe was inspected by United States steamship inspectors on Friday, January 11, and left the port of New York for Bremen on Jan. 16.

Among the passengers on the Elbe were two United States mail messengers in charge of the mail coming to America. They are H. H. Hall, of Dennis, Mass., and P. J. Holtzman, of New York.

Rotterdam, Jan. 31.—The steamer Crathie, from Rotterdam for Aberdeen, has returned to Maasluis, her stem having been stove by coming into collision with an unknown vessel early yesterday morning, thirty miles from Hook, Holland.

It is supposed that the Elbe is the steamer with which the Crathie was in collision.

ICE HARVESTERS STRIKE.

They Demand an Increase of Twenty-five Cents a Day.

Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 31.—The first ice strike of the season of any proportion on the Hudson river is now on at Glasco where about 1,000 men have quit work demanding an increase of 25 cents a day. The strike started at the house of the Glasco Ice company when 500 men threw down their tools and demanded that the men who worked indoors storing the ice be paid $2 instead of $1.75 a day. The demand being refused the men marched to the Oakes & Thompson house, nearby, and compelled the men employed for that firm to quit work as the in-door men there were also receiving $1.75 a day.

Later half of the men of the Glasco company went back to work at the pay offered, but when the Oakes & Thompson men learned of this they went to the ice field of the Glasco company and told the men that whereas they had compelled them to quit in the morning they did not think it right for them to return to work.

The Oakes & Thompson strikers then compelled the two hundred Glasco company harvesters to stop work. The strikers held a meeting and decided to visit the Knicerbocker and other houses and compel the men to quit unless they are receiving $2 a day for in-door work.

Criminal Court Judge Indicted.

Franklin, Pa., Jan. 31.—The grand jury has returned a true bill against Judge Charles E. Taylor for assault with intent to kill on M. M. Shoemaker, deputy sheriff. Judge Taylor opened criminal court here Monday notwithstanding the serious charges against him. The case will hardly be tried at this term of court.

Disastrous Freight Wreck.

Warren, O., Jan. 31.—A disastrous freight wreck occurred on the Lake Shore branch railroad at Farmdale last night. Thirteen cars were badly broken up. While assisting in clearing away the debris Judson Brown, a section foreman, was struck by a windless and instantly killed.

Tried to Drown Her Child.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Jan. 31.—Mrs. Nathaniel Haines, in a fit of insanity, attempted to drown her 2-year-old child at this place yesterday. She knotted a napkin about its neck and threw it into a tub of water.

Profits for Employes.

Elkhart, Ind., Jan. 31.—The C. C. Conn horn manufactory has distributed $15,000 among 200 employes. Congressman Conn owns the plant, and a few years ago adopted profit sharing among his operatives.

Hayward Case Opened.

Minneapolis, Jan. 31.—The last man in the Hayward case having been secured, Assistant County Attorney Hall opened the case in behalf of the state yesterday afternoon.

NO FINANCIAL MEASURE

Action of the Senate Dispels All Hope of Relief.

Mr. Vest Takes a Firm Stand Against the Issue of Gold Bonds—Japanese Treaty Ratified in That Body—Pacific Railroad Refunding Bill Discussed in the House.

Washington, Jan. 31.—If there had been any lingering hope left that the finance committee of the senate would be able to agree upon some measure of financial relief at the present session, such hope was definitely dispelled in the course of the discussion which broke out immediately after the reading of the journal.

One of the leading democratic members of that committee, Mr. Vest, of Missouri, in presenting resolutions of the St. Louis Merchants' exchange favoring legislation on the lines of the president's recent message, took a firm stand against any such legislation, and expressed the opinion that the Merchants' exchange had not given proper consideration to the subject, and did not represent the intelligent opinions of a majority of the people of Missouri. He declared that he would never vote to issue one bond for the purpose of securing gold, in order that the country might remain on a single gold standard, and replied to a question as to whether the finance committee would agree upon a plan, that there was not the slightest possibility of its doing so.

A leading republican member of the same committee—Mr. Sherman, of Ohio—expressed the same opinion, saying that the committee on finance was utterly helpless to deal with the question; and that the best thing that the senate could do would be to discharge the committee from its further consideration, take up the question itself, and give the necessary relief to the country.

After this subject was dropped the senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business, and having ratified the Japanese treaty, adjourned.

House of Representatives.

The discussion of the Reilly Pacific railroad refunding bill was begun in the house, after a most remarkable and acrimonious debate on the resolution reported from the committee on rules, providing for the consideration of the measures. It proposed to debate the bill all day yesterday and this morning and vote on its passage at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, and it was violently attacked for unduly restricting debate by Messrs. Boatner (dem., La.), Maguire (dem., Cal.), Bryan (dem., Neb.) and Cooper (rep., Wis.), and defended by Catchings (dem., Miss.), Kyle (dem., Miss.) and Reilly (dem., Pa.)

The attitude of the democratic party toward the question involved in the bill was interjected by Mr. Holman (dem., Ind.), who asserted that the party had always frowned upon every attempt to settle the matter.

This was vigorously denied by Mr. Catchings, who criticised Holman's "previousness" and asserted that the statement was untrue. Mr. McMillin (dem., Tenn.) joined in the colloquy which was conducted with much gesticulation and denunciation and pounding of the speaker's gavel, and was finally ended only by the efforts of the sergeant-at-arms.

The demand for the previous question on the passage of the resolution was seconded by a vote of 133 yeas to 121 nays, and then, before the direct vote was taken upon the passage of the resolution, a modification was accepted by Mr. Catchings and it was agreed to by unanimous consent.

As adopted the resolution provides for general debate up to adjournment of to-day's session (which shall begin at 11 o'clock), and in whatever time the committee on the District of Columbia shall not occupy of Friday's session. Saturday's session, also beginning at 11 o'clock, shall be devoted to the consideration of the bill under the five-minute rule until 4:30 o'clock, when the vote shall be taken on its passage.

The debate was begun by Mr. Reilly (dem., Pa.), in favor of the bill and by Mr. Harris (dem., Kan.), in opposition, and their speeches exhausted the day's session.

A house bill was passed authorizing the chief official of any state penitentiary or jail to open the mail of a prisoner he has reason to believe is intended to be derogatory to the discipline of the institution.

A senate bill was passed granting a right of way across the Sioux reservation, South Dakota, to the Forest City & Sioux City Railroad company.

Mr. Hatch (dem., Mo.) reported the agricultural appropriation bill for the year ending June 30, 1896, and it was placed on the calendar.

The house banking and currency committee finished consideration of the Springer banking bill and it will be reported to the house with amendments to-morrow.

Canada's Longest Criminal Trial.

Beauharnois, Que., Jan. 31.—After the longest criminal trial which has ever taken place in Canada, Daniel Boyd and Andrew Somerville, accused of fraudently obtaining $51,000 from the Eastern Township bank at Huntingdon, have been found guilty.

Ship Carpenters' Strike Settled.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 31.—The strike of the sixty ship carpenters employed in the yard of A. D. Story, of Essex, has been settled, the men being conceded a nine instead of a ten hours day and an increase in pay of 20 cents a day.

Major Brodhead Dead.

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 31.—Major William Brodhead is dead here in his 80th year. He was a native of Utica, N. Y., and for eighteen years was manager of the Mariners home in Boston.

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Other Equally Eminent Men Differ From His Views.

A QUESTION INVOLVED EACH OF US MUST DECIDE.

A Letter of Powerful Interest to Our Readers.

The eloquent Robert G Ingersoll, in a recent communication to the New York World, takes the ground that suicide is not always a sin. New York's most eminent clergymen, statesmen and judges, immediately filled the columns of that paper with protestations against the great thinker's theory.

What Mr. Ingersoll really said and meant was, that under certain circumstances suicide was not a sin For instance, he thought that in case of a person suffering with sickness and hopeless of a cure, it would not be a sin to end such suffering by self-destruction.

Mr. Ingersoll's idea was the humanitarian one of arresting pain. But he forgot that it is often difficult—nay, impossible to draw the line when a disease is curable or incurable.

Mere suffering should not be a warrant for self-destruction. Countless cases of terrible, yes, excruciating suffering, have been cured even after all hope was lost, and doctors have pronounced the disease incurable. Many a sufferer from disease has been brought to the verge of suicide and afterwards recovered perfect health.

An estimable lady, Mrs. Lila O. Boot, who resides at 36 Elm st., New Bedford, Mass., tells the following facts:

"I was very nervous" she said, "and my kidneys were in a terrible state, and I had awful pains in my back and side and could not sleep at night. My headache was a source of great annoyance, and I suffered much at certain periods.

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Case after case like the above might be cited when all hope of cure had been abandoned, and the persons given up to die and yet this wonderful medicine has brought back health and joy unto the stricken households.

Suicide is self-destruction. It is just as much suicide to neglect one's health when slightly ill, or when apparently trivial symptoms arise, as to deliberately take one's life. To feel nervous, to have weak nerves, to be tired, listless, languid, to have headache, indigestion, constipation, and dyspepsia, to pass sleepless nights, to wake tired mornings, to be ever so slightly run down in health and strength—these are the sure precursors of serious disease to be later followed by prostration and premature death, unless attended to at once.

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NOW A LEGAL STRUGGLE

Little Violence in the Brooklyn Trolley Trouble.

Warrants and Briefs Have Replaced Mob Rule To Some Extent—Strikers After Norton—Preliminary Move in Albany Against the Brooklyn Heights Company.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 31.—The great trolley trouble in this city is settling down to a legal struggle. There was so little violence offered yesterday that all the car lines ran without protection. No car had more than one policeman or one militiaman aboard. Colonel Eddy called four of the companies of the 47th regiment back to the armory at nightfall, and it is believed that at least half of the remainder of the 2d brigade will be called off to-day.

Justice Gaynor granted an order, answerable to-morrow, on President Norton, to show cause why he should not be made to operate all his cars on schedule time. Police Justice Walsh issued warrants for the arrest of President Norton and Superintendent Quinn on a charge that they have made their men work more than ten hours a day, and proceedings were begun before the attorney-general in Albany, for the dissolution of the Brooklyn Heights charter and the appointing of a receiver to wind up its affairs.

The application to the attorney-general was made by Messrs. Best and Giblin, of District Assembly No. 75, who were represented by Colonel James A. Dennison and ex-Speaker Sulzer. The Brooklyn Heights company was represented by Thomas S. Moore and William C. Trull. Mr. Moore spoke first and pleaded for an adjournment, saying that he had not sufficient time to prepare his answer.

Colonel Dennison objected to any delay, saying that the company was simply following its usual habit in asking for it. He said that the company had been given three opportunities to submit its answer and that every day's delay meant more expense to the county and more inconvenience to the public.

"I do not appear here," said the colonel, "on behalf of the strikers. I appear for the public, in which they are included. This company owns only three-fourths of a mile of road, but has leased about 300 miles of other roads. Its real capital is only $100,000, but it claims to have a capital of $45,000,000. The state in this matter is concerned only in the service which should be rendered to the people.

"Now, this company has violated the state law in refusing to arrange to have its employes work within the legal number of hours. It forced this strike by demanding that its electrical workmen should take the places of the gripmen. This endangered the public safety, for incompetent men should not be given control of the dangerous vehicles, and, more than this, the company has before this been endangering public safety by insisting on running its cars at a greater speed than that set by law. This is a crime, the crime of manslaughter. For months, the papers have been full of accounts of deaths by trolley cars. And yet, with this gory record, while skilled labor is employed, the company gets rid of the skilled labor and puts so much greater risks upon the public."

Mr. Moore yawned politely, and then said that he would answer all the statements clearly and satisfactorily if he could be given until Monday to prepare them. Attorney-general Hancock said that in so grave a matter he wanted to have both sides given every chance to prepare themselves, and granted the adjournment.

ALLIANCE WITH GUATEMALA.

Reported That Several Central American Republics Will Assist Her.

City of Mexico, Jan. 31.—An announcement published here that the Central American republics of Nicaragua, Honduras and Salvador, with Costa Rica to follow, would form an alliance with Guatemala, in the event of trouble with Mexico, has caused considerable comment.

Senor Castellanos, the Salvadorian minister here, on being interviewed, denied having any knowledge of the matter, and government officials state that no official confirmation of the announcement has been received.

The formation of such a Central American league would doubtless tend to increase the fast rising public sentiment in Mexico against Guatemala.

Japan After the Giralda.

London, Jan. 31.—Japan has offered to buy H. McCalmont's yacht Giralda for a dispatch boat. The government is willing to pay £50,000 plus the original cost for it, but Mr. McCalmont would not close the bargain. The Giralda is partly armored, carries quick-fire guns, and recently made a record of twenty-one knots.

Southard Mills Sold.

Richmond, Me., Jan. 31.—The Southard mills have been sold to New Bedford and Fall River capitalists. The plant will be used for the manufacture of cotton yarn, and the purchasers of the property have orders on hand for six months to come. The mills will probably start within a few weeks.

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SHEEP—Steady. Common to prime, 3.40@4.85; dressed mutton, 5½@8c.

LAMBS—Firm. Ordinary to choice, 4.62@5.70; dressed lambs, 9@7c.

GOULD TO THE RESCUE.

Offers the Vigilant for a "Running Mate" for a New Cup Defender.

New York, Jan. 31.—When it was announced that the Royal Yacht squadron had accepted the terms laid down by Commodore James D. Smith, chairman of the America's Cup committee, and, by accepting those terms had tacitly admitted that the much objurgated document was fair, square and sportsmanlike, and when it was revealed that Nat Herreshoff would devote all his talent to the design of one cup defender only, whose expense will be defrayed by Messrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Edwin D. Morgan and C. Oliver Iselin, all hands were glad. But, after the syndicate was formed and the contract placed in the hands of the Herreshoffs, there soon went up the cry—"What craft have we to try our new cup defender against, so as to 'get a line' on her speed or want of it?"

George Gould then stepped in to the rescue with a letter offering the Vigilant as a "running-mate" to the latest hope of the New York Yacht club. That the Vigilant would be beyond price as a guide to the America's Cup committee was duly conceded. At a meeting of the America's Cup committee on Tuesday night there was read a letter from George Gould in which he tendered them the use of the Vigilant for the coming summer, adding that the only right he wished to retain over the Vigilant was the right to pay all the expenses of her equipment and the cost of running her so long as the committee thought she could be of use.

SPAIN SURRENDERS.

She Restores the Lowest Rates of Duty to American Products.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Secretary Gresham understands that the modus vivendi between Spain and the United States, which has passed the senate at Madrid, will go into effect immediately. The text of the bill proposed by the Spanish government, as published officially in Madrid, is as follows:

"The government is authorized to apply to the products and manufactures of the United States which, coming from the ports of the United States, are admitted into the ports of Cuba and Porto Rico, the second column of the customs duties in force in Cuba and Porto Rico, in return for the United States applying their lowest duties to the products of the soil and industry of Cuba and Porto Rico.

"This modus vivendi will remain in force until a definitive treaty is concluded between the two countries interested or until one of them announces, three months in advance, the day on which it wishes to put an end to it."

The action of Spain in restoring the lowest rates of duty to American products is a complete surrender to the contention of the United States that as long as we did not discriminate against Cuba and Porto Rico we were entitled under the favored nation clause to the rates existing heretofore.

BLAME THE BANK EXAMINER.

Binghamton Citizens Indignant Over False Business Reports.

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 31.—Intense indignation has been created in this city by the publication in a New York paper yesterday of a special dispatch from this city that the city is bankrupt and business practically paralyzed.

These statements are absolutely and unqualifiedly false; not a single assignment having been caused by the recent bank failures.

The Binghamton Trust company has offered to advance to the city and county all the moneys needed to meet current expenses until the public funds now tied up can be released.

The following petition is being circulated in this city to Charles H. Preston, superintendent New York state banking department:

"We, the undersigned citizens and business men residing in the city of Binghamton, respectfully request that you dispense with the services of Bank Examiner Philo H. Backus, believing from his conduct, telegram, and public utterances relative to the difficulties and embarrassments connected with the Chenango Valley Savings bank and the National Broome County bank, that he is unfit to properly administer the duty of bank examiner."

DRAYTONS MAY COMPROMISE.

A Belief That the Divorce Suit Will Never Come to Trial.

Bernardsville, N. J., Jan. 31.—An impression prevails here, that the domestic troubles of Mr. and Mrs. Drayton will never be ventilated in court.

The general belief is that a formal separation without a trial will be the basis on which both sides may talk. The hearing now set for Monday in Jersey City may be postponed again for a week.

Hallet Alsop Borrowe will be present at the trial, should there be one. Mr. Borrowe says that he has been importuned by Mrs. Drayton's counsel to appear for her as a witness, and he will do so. The nature of his testimony he would not divulge.

Robbed a Dead Body.

Indianapolis, Jan. 31.—Word received from the scene of the Coatesville wreck says that a $1,000 diamond ring was stolen from the finger of John W. Morton, the St. Louis theatrical manager, while the corpse was lying in the little church near the railroad. Suspicion rests on a young man of the village and his arrest will probably follow.

Jackson-Mitchell Fight Collapsed.

London, Jan. 31.—The National Sporting club has declined to take charge of the fight between Charley Mitchell and Peter Jackson. The whole undertaking therefore has collapsed as far as England is concerned.

Found $60,000 in Gold.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 31.—Sixty thousand dollars in gold was found yesterday by Jesse J. Drew, at his saw mill near Hollandale, Washington county. The treasure is supposed to have been buried during the civil war by Captain Barfield.

Chinese Law Student in Trouble.

Boston, Jan. 31.—Charles G. Meing, alias Charles Sing, a Chinese law student attending Boston university, 21 years of age, has been arrested charged with uttering a forged mortgage note.

THE EVILS OF FOOTBALL

What the President of Harvard University Says.

Compares the State of Mind of Spectators at a Game To That of the Throngs Which Enjoy the Prize Fight—Players Hardly Responsible for Violent Acts.

Boston, Jan. 31.—In his report upon Harvard university for the academic year, 1893-94, President Eliot says that the year has wrought only one favorable change in the conduct of athletic sports. The men who took part in the highly competitive sports were not this year brought to the principal events in the state bordering on exhaustion in which they were brought to them in former years. He says:

"The evils of the intercollegiate sports continue without real redress or diminution. In particular, the game of football grows worse and worse as regards foul and violent play, and the number and gravity of the injuries which the players suffer. It has become perfectly clear that the game as now played is unfit for college use.

"The rules of the game are at present such as to cause inevitably a large number of broken bones, sprains and wrenches, even during trial or practice games played legitimately; and they also permit those who play with reckless violence or with shrewd violations of the rules to gain thereby great advantages.

"What is called the development of the game has steadily increased its risks, until they have become unjustifiable. Naturally the public is losing faith in the sincerity of the professed desire of coaches, captains and promoters to reform it.

"It should be distinctly understood, however, that the players themselves have little real responsibility for the evils of the game. They are swayed by a tyrannical public opinion—partly ignorant, and partly barbarous—to the formation of which graduates and undergraduates, fathers, mothers and sisters, leaders of society, and the veriest gamblers and rowdies all contribute.

"The state of mind of the spectators at a hard-fought football match at Springfield, New York or Philadelphia cannot but suggest the query how far these assemblages differ at heart from the throngs which enjoy the prize fight, cock fight or bull fight, or which in other centuries delighted in the sports of the Roman arena.

"Several fatal accidents have happened this year to schoolboys and college students on the football field; and in every strenuous game now played, whether for practice or in an intercollegiate or other competition, there is the ever present liability to death on the field.

"It is often said that by employing more men to watch the players, with authority to punish instantly infractions of the rules, foul and vicious playing could be stopped. The sufficient answer to this suggestion is that a game which needs to be so watched is not fit for genuine sportsmen. Moreover, experience indicates that it would be hard to find trustworthy watchers.

"Extravagant expenditure for the teams thoughout the season, and by the spectators at the principal games, continues to disgust the advocates of simple and rational manly sports."

MOTORS IN PLACE OF STEAM.

Consolidated Road Will Determine Whether Electricity Is Practical.

Boston, Jan. 31.—President Clark of the Consolidated road with officials of the Old Colony division, went to Nantucket yesterday, for the purpose of looking over the route of the proposed electric line from Hingham to Hull. After inspection it was unanimously conceded that the conditions were in every way favorable to trying the experiment, and upon the success of this tentative trial will largely depend similar action on other branch lines of the corporation.

President Clark said: "We are going to demonstrate whether electricity is a plaything in its relation to transportation or something that is practicable and is with us to stay. We propose placing the motors on our ordinary steam cars, the first trial of the kind, I believe, that has ever been attempted in this country. The results we obtain will largely govern our future policy in relation to other branch lines under our control."

It is believed that with the plant contemplated the cars can be run at 30 miles an hour at least, and much faster, if necessary.

Referred to the Attorney General.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The postmaster-general decided to refer the matter of the appointments made by Postmaster Warfield, in the Baltimore postoffice, claimed by the civil service commission to be a violation of the civil service law, to the attorney-general of the United States for decision.

Walked in Front of a Train.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 31.—An unknown man, apparently 45 years old, deliberately walked in front of a train at Wickford junction yesterday afternoon and was almost instantly killed. There was nothing on the person of the man by which he could be identified.

Correspondents Must Wait.

London, Jan. 31.—The Times correspondent in Constantinople says the government has informed the British embassy that no correspondents will be allowed to visit Sassoun until the commission of inquiry shall have reported.

Heavy Damage for a Scar.

Jersey City, Jan. 31.—Miss Lillian Percy secured a verdict of $1,750 against the Consolidated Traction company in the circuit court here. A trolley car struck her and she received a cut in the face which has left a scar.

Whole Family Burned To Death.

Bismarck, S. D., Jan. 31.—Peter Olson and his family consisting of his wife and three children were burned to death last night and their dwelling destroyed. He was manager of the farm of Judge Dwyer, of Dayton, O

DR. W. H. MORSE.

Endorsement Based Upon Experience.

(Newark, N. J., Evening News.

"Most certainly," was the emphatic reply of Dr. Morse when asked by a "News" reporter if the words of commendation of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, that recently appeared in the press was veritable.

"I studied medicine," he said, "with Dr. A. N. Allen, for many years the leading practioner of Massachusetts. Visiting him several years after, he related to me the case of a patient of his who had been cured of stone by solvents. Naturally I inquired into the matter, and he told me, in the town of Dalton, Mass., his patient lived, and that he had literally 'suffered many things of many physicians,' and they the best of the state. There had been a diversity of opinion as to his ailment, but the doctor had diagnosed chronic inflammation of the kidneys, and his prognosis had been 'incurable.' I had known of this case—a mere wreck of a man, suffering and pessimistic. But now, greatly to my surprise, the doctor told me that he was actually cured. He had taken Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, and not only had grown stronger and better, but had passed several pieces of stone The remedy had promoted the passage of the calculi and had acted as solvent. I saw this man a few days later looking well, feeling finely and speaking in the highest terms of the Remedy. I was led to examine it chemically and to test it therapeutically. My deductions have been such as to corroborate the clinical experience of many other medical men, that Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will do that which is claimed for it; and I consider it a great discovery."

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FOR PLAINFIELD'S PROGRESS

PLAINFIELD, N. J., JAN. 31, 1895.

A Raid With Ironclad Rams.

On Jan. 31, 1863, two Confederate ironclad rams tried to emulate the Merrimac and wipe out the Union blockaders in Charleston harbor. The Palmetto State and Chicora dashed across the bar before daylight and steamed silently toward the nearest enemies. The Mercadita lay in the path of the Palmetto State, which stood directly for her, intending to strike her prow. Taken by surprise, the outlook on the former hailed: "What steamer is that? Drop your anchor. You'll be into us." The answer was, "This is the Confederate steamer Palmetto State." Commander Stillwagen quickly ordered the Mercedita's guns opened. At the same instant the ram crashed into the ship, and one of her guns put a 7 inch shell through the Mercedita's condenser and steam drum, tearing a hole in her port side 5 feet square. She instantly filled with steam, and voices from below called out: "Shot through the boilers! Fires put out! Water over fireroom floor! Vessel sinking fast!"

"Surrender, or I'll sink you!" shouted Commander Rutledge from the Palmetto State. Stillwagen responded: "I can make no resistance. I surrender."

Meanwhile the Chicora passed on to sea, moving in a circle in the midst of the fleet and firing at everything in sight. Commander Le Roy of the Keystone State peppered the ram with shells, which rolled idly down her iron sides. He then drove his vessel hard at the Chicora, aiming to strike her stern, but the latter turned, and with her forward pivot gun sent an incendiary shell into the Keystone, disabling her port wheel and setting her on fire fore and aft. Pulling out of the fight just long enough to extinguish the flames, Le Roy again steered for the ram. Before he could strike, however, the Chicora hulled his ship several times with shells, finally sending one through both her steam drums. The other Union vessels within reach gave the rams plenty of sea room until the latter returned leisurely to their old moorings in the harbor.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

If The Press is correctly informed, George W. Rockfellow will decline to serve longer on the Board of Health. He is reported as feeling that the pressure of other duties will prevent him occupying the office, in which he has served with such signal ability and zeal. In that case there will be a vacancy, the filling of which will give the Mayor a chance to make an innovation which has been repeatedly advocated in these columns, the placing of a practical sanitary plumber on the Board. The utility of such a move is apparent, and Plainfield has a wealth of expert sanitary plumbers to choose from. Especially does this suggestion commend itself at this time, when the sewers are becoming such a feature of town improvement.

"Oh, move the freight-house!" is a prayer still unanswered by the Central Railroad of New Jersey, but The Press and the people of Plainfield are not done praying. The freight-house would have been moved, but for one thing, and that was procrastination. Plans were adopted, and all was ready, and work was to be begun in a week or two. Just then order was issued commanding that no more construction be done except work already commenced, and as the freight-house project had not been actually touched it had to be abandoned with the rest. Some sweet day it may be revived by the company—if the people of Plainfield keep up their just and righteous clamor. Plainfield certainly pays enough into the treasury of the company to entitle her to this really necessary improvement, and the company is certainly able and generous enough to grant this petition of the star town of the road. Soon is the time to move, and that freight-house ought to move along with the rest of the procession.

There will be no township election in North Plainfield the coming Spring unless the present lawmakers at the State's capital repeal the law enacted by their predecessors. All the present township officials hold over, and no vacancies will occur until next year, when only citizens of the township are allowed to vote for officers to govern themselves. Then only the voters and taxpayers of the township will be allowed to elect officers outside of the borough, and residents of the borough will not be permitted to vote for township officers. All the present township committee and the clerk are residents of the borough, excepting one, Elias Alien, who resides in the township.

In the borough the election will take place Tuesday, March 12, when successors are to be elected to Mayor Needham, Councilmen Howell, Neal, Lounsbury and Winckler. Mr. Lounsbury is serving the unexpired term of ex-Councilman B. M. Fountain, who resigned as a member of last year's Council to become a member of the more lucrative body of paid officials, the North Plainfield Township Committee. Elmer E. Winckler is rounding out the unfinished term of Captain Edwards, who became weary of borough affairs. Councilmen J. C. Peck and John Valiant are the only members of the present body who hold over, each having two years to serve.

There is talk of a ticket headed by either ex Councilmen B. Arrowsmith Hegeman or Peter A. Emmons for Mayor, and with Peter B. Matthews, W. Hull Western, Samuel Schuyler, and Elston M. French, for Councilmen. They represent the young element of the borough, and should they allow their names to go before the voters there is absolutely no doubt of that ticket being successful.

Many men are besieging the Mayor on the Chief of Police question. Some urge the return of Charles W. Dodd to the office; others argue for the continuance of George W. Grant. The whole matter rests with the Mayor, for he has the appointment of policemen, and the Police Board can only select a chief from those he names as regulars. Mr. Dodd, it is well known, would not accept as a regular unless he received the office of chief. Therefore if the Mayor favors the retaining of Mr. Grant at the head of the force he has only to refrain from appointing on the force Mr. Dodd or any other likely candidate for the chieftaincy. Mr. Gilbert is not the man to make an important change of the sort proposed unless he is shown good and sufficient reason for it. No such reason has yet been advanced. Chief Grant deserves to keep the place he has so well filled, and The Press believes he will be retained as a justice to himself and as a credit to the city. Besides, The Press learns that to nominate Mr. Dodd as a regular would precipitate a motion in the Council to table or reject his nomination, as there is bitter opposition to him there; and Mr. Dodd is too good a citizen to be subjected needlessly to such unpleasant treatment.

HYMENEAL.

MacIlvaine—Laing.

The marriage of Elizabeth Harned Laing of Denver, formerly of Plainfield, to Archibald G. MacIlvaine, General Manager in the United States for the London and Lancashire Insurance Company of England, was quietly solemnized at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. George W. Fletcher, 62 West Eighty-third street, New York city, yesterday, Rev. Dr. Houghton of "The Little Church Round the Corner" officiating.

The ceremony was performed after the beautiful rituals of the Episcopal marriage service in the presence of relatives of the contracting parties. Senator MacIlvaine of Virginia and Dr. MacIlvaine of Petersburg, brothers of the groom, were present, accompanied by their mother Mrs. MacIlvaine also of Petersburg, Va.

The groom's uncle, Judge Roger A. Pryor of the New York Bar, with his wife and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Laing of this city likewise witnessed the ceremony.

The wedding trip will include a short sojourn at the Ponce de Leon, St. Augustine, Florida, a sail to Havana, Cuba; thence to New Orleans, Virginia, and finally to the Hotel Waldorf, New York, which will be their future home.

Playing Hearts.

Volney F. Green entertained last evening at his home on East Fifth street the card club of which he is a member. Hearts was the game of the evening and prizes were awarded to the lucky ones. During the evening there was a vocal solo by Herbert Schutt, and music on the piano and banjo by Miss Ethel Green, Mrs. F. S. Green and Volney Green. After the cards refreshments were served and the gay party broke up about 11:15.

Those who attended were Miss Lillian Schoonmaker, Miss Lillian T Glenn, Miss Percy Emmons, Miss Elsie Jobes, Miss Florence Serrell, Miss Mary Luckey, Miss Bessie Baldwin, Miss Clara Long, Allen Taylor, Benjamin O Bowers, Jr, George P Smith, Seymour G Smith, Jr, Sydney R Titsworth, Herbert Schutt and Clifford Crane.

BY THE WAY.

—Rev. E. Klonka begins his Y. M. C. A. German class tomorrow night.

—Woman, woman, lovely woman, conquering all the world, we know of something that can conquer you, the lovely embroideries at Peck's.

—The elegant T-cart and harness of Frank Huff were sold this afternoon by Constable Mattox to Lawrence Paoli for $67. Their cost was $385.

—The double male quartette that will sing at the opening of the Y. M. C. A. Building Feb. 12 and also at the State Convention, will practice at the building tonight.

—In January, 1894, there were six fires in Plainfield; this January, none. The people have been successfully cautioned by the fire department concerning the use of their furnaces.

—A joint committee from the Plainfield Relief Association and the Citizens' Organized Aid Association held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the residence of one of the members. Some very important questions came up for discussion, which The Press is not at liberty to publish at present.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Car No. 2 of the street railway suffers from a flat wheel.

—The Music Hall boxoffice will be open Saturday night till 10 for the sale of seats.

—Music Hall seats for tonight were nearly all sold in advance. The house will be a large one.

—F. L. C. Martin has received a line of Cleveland wheels, which he invites everyone to call and examine.

—Pay your borough tax bill today, or your name will be advertised in the borough report as a delinquent.

—David King is no longer an employe of J. E. White, and Fred J. Pope is now driving Mr. White's delivery wagon.

—It is expected that there will be initiation at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., this evening.

—The physical training class in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium had to be shortened yesterday afternoon and omitted last evening on account of the cold.

—A dance will be given in C. Y. M. L Hall, Friday evening, music being furnished by Frazee's orchestra. A most enjoyable time is assured to all who attend this pleasant affair.

—George W. DeMeza is in New Brunswick today representing Walter S Arthur, David Arthur and David Arthur, Jr., who are charged with stealing signs, windows and blinds at Iselin recently.

—Arrangements have been made to have Fanny Crosby, the well-known hymn writer, in the Trinity Reformed Church Sunday evening. She appears at the Y. M. C. A. meeting in the afternoon.

—The boys and girls of East Sixth street vicinity who cannot skate well enough to risk themselves on any crowded pond, enjoy a miniature skating pond in the rear of Mr. Moore's yard on East Sixth street.

—F. W. Grant is delivering a course of lectures at the meeting-room next to the Grove street bridge, every Thursday evening at 8. Subject, "Scripture as Interpreted in the light of its Numerical Structure", being a seal upon its perfect inspiration, and thus an absolute answer to higher criticism. Second lecture this evening.

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AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

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16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon,

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly: they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY AND THE SENATE.

Senator Hill as a Banqueter. The Illiteracy of Our People. Legislation Probably Looking to the Compulsory Settlement of Strikes by Arbitration.

The people of the United States are so in the habit of eulogizing the Republic as the most enlightened country on the globe that many will be surprised at the statement that one-tenth of our population is made up of illiterates. The actual number, as reported by the last census, is 6,324,702. There will be still greater surprise to know that these figures represent an increase of nearly one hundred thousand illiterates since 1880. As will be readily inferred, the greatest proportion of illiteracy is to be found among the Southern States. There is but one of these States in which illiterates did not constitute more than 20 per cent. of the population, while in Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, New Mexico and South Carolina they formed 40 or more per cent. Naturally most of the illiterates are blacks, indicating a callous indifference to the intellectual improvement of the colored race on the part of the whites. These facts and figures are the more significant when it is borne in mind that foreign illiterates who emigrate hither seldom strike below Mason and Dixon's line, but go to swell the proportion of illiterates in the North and West. This subject is a matter of serious moment to the country at large. Such a large percentage of illiteracy is a taint on the body politic, for it is impossible to expect intelligent popular rule where such a large mass of ignorant voters exist. If the South will not grapple in earnest with the illiteracy of its people, then the nation, in self-defense, should do so. It is to be hoped that the new Congress may find time to turn its attention to this problem.

Senator Hill made another great social hit at the dinner party given by John R. McLean. There were a number of brilliant society people present that the Senator would not be likely to meet at the ordinary official dinners, and the Senator proved as capable of saying as many clever things as any of them. If some of his old friends around Elmira had heard the brilliant small talk he indulged in with the ladies they would not probably have realized him to be the same who was their old political boss. Considering that the Senator has had little practice, it only shows how novel reading will improve a man socially. The dinner itself was a grand affair, like all the entertainments the McLeans give. There is not a more hospitable house in Washington, or probably in the country, and the most brilliant people to be found at the Capital can be met there.

There is a difference of opinion among those who are interested in the financial question as to whether there is any special significance behind the measure introduced by Senator Sherman. Those who have faith in the financial wisdom of the distinguished Senator from Ohio, claim that he is sincere in his efforts to help bring forward a proposition that may afford immediate and substantial relief to the Government, and that he is acting in accordance with what he believes to be the wishes of a majority of the Senate, without regard to party affiliations. On the other hand, Senator Teller, who is the accepted leader of the advocates of the free and unlimited coinage of silver, denies that there is any significance in the introduction of the Sherman bill. Senator Platt of Connecticut agrees with the Colorado Senator that there is no significance in the bill introduced by Senator Sherman. Senator Platt says that Senator Sherman was not instructed or requested by the Republican Senators to offer any solution of the pending problem, and the introduction of his bill was an individual act. Under the existing rules in the Senate the silver men have the power to defeat any proposition that is not made satisfactory to them, and they declare that they will use that power to the best of their ability and physical endurance.

The bill for the settlement of labor disputes by an arbitration commission has been favorably reported in the House at Washington, with the declaration that the business interests of the country demand some means of settling such disputes so as to avoid disastrous strikes. The theory of the bill is that in the case of many strikes the public is a vitally concerned party and often the greater sufferer, and hence that the interests of the public, as well as those of the immediate parties to the strike, will be furthered by the amicable adjustment of the dispute. This fact finds forcible illustrations in the case of the great Chicago strike of last year and the Brooklyn strike. Both of these, with their disastrous consequences to the public, might have been averted by arbitration. But in the former case Mr. Pullman haughtily declared that there was "nothing to arbitrate," and his example has been followed by the Brooklyn trolley companies.

The friends of the Administration in the Senate succeeded in cutting off debase on the Hawaiian question just as it was becoming most vigorous and interesting, and after a lively skirmish, in which half a dozen Senators got after Mr. Gray, the Administration spokesman, and made things very uncomfortable for him. The Delaware Senator endeavored to make light of the whole Hawaiian affair, and the burden of his reply to Senators Frye, Lodge, and others was, "You wanted a war ship sent to Honolulu, and now that one has sailed, why are you not satisfied?" Senator Gray made as good a case for his clients as he could, but he received very little support from the Democratic Senators, who, with few exceptions, disapprove of the Administration's Hawaiian policy, although they are not anxious to make a public acknowledgment of the fact.

There has been much curiosity in Washington to learn the sources from which the revolutionist R. W. Wilcox and his friends obtained the necessary money to purchase the arms with which they were supplied. It has been suggested that Theophilus Davies, the guardian of Princess Kaiulani, furnished the money. Another report is that the son of Claus Spreckels, the sugar king, who is said to be engaged to the princess, may have paid for them, but nothing definite is known in Washington on this point.

ROGER LEWIS.

Doubtful.

He claims to be a Christian,
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PARTICULAR MENTION.

J. P. Laire is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Helen Hickey of Plainfield avenue is visiting friends in Brooklyn.

Ernest and Herbert Rapalye of Bound Brook have left their studies in the Third Class High School to prepare for college at Rutgers Preparatory School, New Brunswick.

The wedding of Miss Annie Corlies to Wm. C. Delanoy, announced for 5 o'clock Tuesday, Feb. 4, at the home of the bride, will be preceded by a wedding breakfast at 1.

Howard Park of 125th street Harlem, who was formerly in the piano and organ business in the location at present occupied by the postoffice, is in town for a short visit with his old friends.

—Henry Hansen, Jr., has purchased from Chris Sorensen, Jr., his trotter Jerry.

—Endeavor Day will be celebrated in Trinity Reformed Church Sunday, and Miss Fannie Crosby will speak.

—A very gratifying rehearsal of the amateur theatricals "Tea at Four o'Clock" took place in the Casino last night. The end men for the minstrels are to be chosen in a few days. After tomorrow tickets will be on sale at Reynolds's, Randolph's and Hebard's pharmacies.

—Yesterday morning about 11, E. B. Titsworth of 311 New street went to the roof of the second story of his house, by a ladder. In coming down the ladder he slipped and fell heavily to the kitchen roof. He is an old man, and is badly broken up. Dr. Long is in attendance.

PROFIT SHARING BY EMPLOYEES.

Successful Operation of the System in Some Big Chicago Dry Good Stores.

In each of the big down-town stores where the profit-sharing system is in force, the employees will soon be made happy by the distribution of the fund set aside for that purpose from the profits of the firm. Early in the year business was exceedingly dull, but toward the holidays it brightened up so perceptibly that the share for the employees will in many cases be snug little sums.

The system under which this money is distributed is something unique, and at the end of the first years's work the company is greatly pleased with the results.

Mr. J. H. Wood says that it has greatly improved the work of the salesmen, has swelled the amount of the sales made, and largely increased the wages paid.

All of the salespeople who had been in the employ of the company one year or more were then informed that if the amount of their sales for six months exceeded the total for the same period of time during the previous year they would receive a commission—averaging 2 1-2 per cent. throughout the store—on the excess. Immediately the young men and women behind the counters began to increase their efforts to sell goods, and when the first distribution was made last July some surprising results were shown. Shop girls drawing $10 a week in wages received as high as $30 in premiums for the six months. At the distribution soon to be made, Mr. Wood says that there are saleswomen in the store who will draw more than $100 as their share of the profits.

The salary of the employee is raised in ratio with the excess of the sales and according to the wage percentage which governs the department in which he works. For instance, a girl receiving $10 a week would ordinarily make $200 in twenty weeks. If, however, she was successful in exceeding the amount of sales necessary to make her salary at the percentage fixed in her department, by say $1,000, she would receive a commission on this amount of about 2 1-2 per cent., or $25. Besides this she would have her salary raised for the next six months by an amount equal to the commission per week that she has earned on her sales. In this example it would be one-twentieth of $25, or $1,25 advance per week.—Chicago Record.

The Place Was Filled.

"Madam," he said, as she held the door open a little way and asked him what he wanted, "perhaps it so happened years ago that you had a son wander away from the family fireside?"

"Yes, it did," she replied, as she opened the door a little further.

"He went out into the cold world and became a wanderer o'er the face of the earth?"

"Yes, he did."

"Days and weeks and months ran into years and you have heard no word of him? You knew not whether he lived or died?"

"As you say, I knew nothing," replied the woman, as she stood in the door and looked fixedly at the tramp.

"Well, ma'am," he continued, "I don't want to raise any false hopes, but—but——"

"But you are just a little too late," she finished, as he swallowed the lump in his throat and tried to wipe away a tear. "My wandering son returned about two hours ago and is now taking a soak in the bathtub. Had you called early this morning, you know——"

"Then the situation is filled?"

"It is."

"Just my luck, ma'am, but of course you are not to blame for it. I congratulate you and your wandering son and will bid you good day and try the family next door."—Detroit Free Press.

At the Matinee.

Miss Worcester—Oh, that was a lovely play! And yet they say that nothing good is produced at a morning performance. Why, I have been crying my eyes out at the pathos of it.

Miss White—And so could I have done, only I knew the dye in my veil would have come off on my face.—Judy.

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RADICAL IDEAS FOR GRANDMOTHERS.

Instead of Black Gowns for Old Ladies Mrs. Bishop Chooses White and Blue.

"Dress" and Mrs. Emily Bishop held the attention for nearly two hours of the audience who met recently in the Assembly Hall of Pratt Institute, Brooklyn.

"A bright young woman once told me," said Mrs. Bishop, "that she believed any woman would rather be a little uncomfortable and look nice than to have freedom from restrictions and appear old. I am inclined to consider this true, so that in order to secure an artistic form of dress which will allow unrestrained self-expression we must seek it along the pathway of beauty.

"Women have tried dress reform without regarding beauty as an essential feature and have failed. There was Mrs. Miller, daughter of Gerrit Smith, who invented the bloomer costume which Mrs. Bloomer, a friend of hers, afterward adopted. Mrs. Miller writes: 'For seven years I enjoyed perfect freedom, and then went back to long skirts, a victim to my love of the beautiful.'"

Mrs. Bishop believes that the study of three things is necessary in order to secure a style of dress which shall conform to a certain extent to the dictates of fashion, be artistic and becoming. These three essentials are form, color and fabric. "A woman who has an elegant figure must make the most of it. This applies to others as well. Every woman must study what style of dress will bring out her good points and cover up the defects."

In colors red was named as aggressive, or full of life and spirit, blue as distant and cold, and yellow as sympathetic primarily. Different hues were displayed to show the varied effects of graded tints. Mrs. Bishop did not have one good word to say for black as a color suitable for a gown.

"It is harsh; it brings out all the lines and wrinkles. It is not economical, because it cannot be worn when once it becomes rusty. It catches the dust and lint. Rough bopsacking, in the mixed colors which are so much worn, is much more economical for general utility gowns." Black satin was especially condemned.

"Do not be unhappy if you chance to have a black satin gown," continued Mrs. Bishop. "Just put some lace or chiffon around the neck to relieve the dreadful effect of the black against the face."

Mrs. Bishop advised stout women to avoid rough, heavy fabrics. These were to be left to the tall, angular women, while those who are petite may revel in light diaphanous materials, with plenty of laces and ribbons.

"Every woman should put on a bright, pretty gown at least once every day. It will make her happier, and I believe it will make her better. Let her take off her street dress when she comes home and don a becoming house dress, which need not be expensive. Some women say 'We do that when we have company and when we are invited out, but it is not worth while for those at home.' I think it is worth while for the family more than for others.

"Another thing, a neat print dress, nicely made, is far preferable for morning wear to an old dress, with hanging trail, however expensive it may once have been."

The artistic dress was described as modelled after the Greek gown. Mrs. Bishop wore a costume illustrative of that style. She also displayed a great many pieces of dress goods, showing to what age and type of women such materials were most suitable. Instead of black she chose a dainty white India silk, with pale blue flowers, as just designed for "a dear grandmother's" house dress.

Mrs. Bishop deplored very strongly the tendency to rush after new styles. "I hope by and by to have costumes for different occasions which just suit me. These I will copy over and over, with a few slight modifications. This will leave much time and strength for other things."

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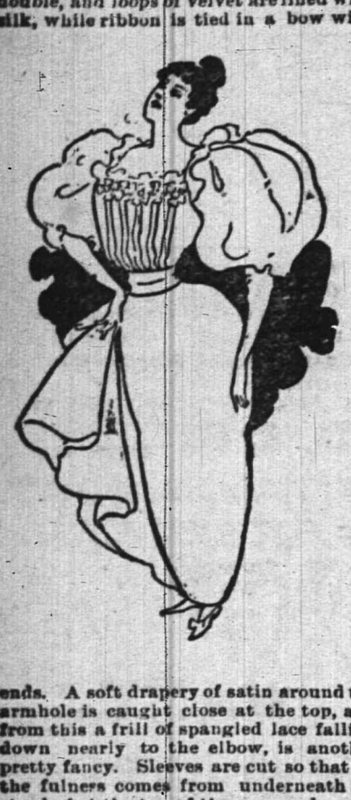
THE SUN'S FASHIONS.

THEY ARE VERY SHOWY AND ARE ALSO VERY EXTRAVAGANT.

The Sleeve Remains the Sensation, and It Continues to Take New Shapes. Velvet Blouses are popular. Plain Skirts are also Fashionable.

Fashions in midwinter are not remarkable for new ideas or suggestive indications of the coming modes, but there is a spirit of unrest about them which brings many contradictions as to the changes we may expect. One authority asserts that the prospective skirts are to be made entirely without the haircloth lining and popular godet plaits, and that the sleeves are to be visibly reduced in size, while another positively assures us that the skirts are to be much fuller, stiffened and plaited to stand out well from the waist with the effect of a bustle, and sleeves more balloon-like than ever. But whatever may be in prospect, there is no question as to the immediate condition of fulness, and we may continue to model our gowns after the approved style of the day.

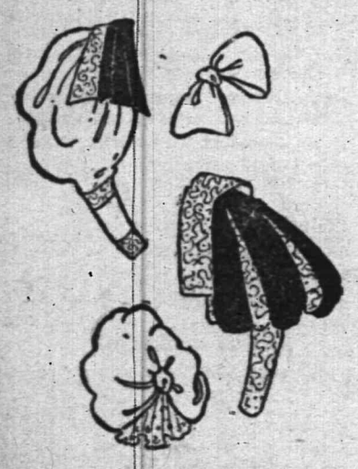
The skirts still vary in width between five and eight yards around at the bottom and the sleeve is constantly developing a new variety. The latest evening sleeve is simply a large bow of satin, velvet or ribbon about six inches wide, arranged high on the shoulder, with one large loop falling each way, and a knot or rosette in the middle. Satin loops are made double, and loops of velvet are lined with silk, while ribbon is tied in a bow with



ends. A soft drapery of satin around the armhole is caught close at the top, and from this a frill of spangled lace falling down nearly to the elbow, is another pretty fancy. Sleeves are cut so that all the fulness comes from underneath instead of at the top of the arm, and again, to show the outline of the arm, at the inside, with the fulness falling at the back. The broad, sloping effect is given to the shoulders by wide, plain epaulets and fan plaitings of satin or velvet, edged with lace, as shown.

Blouses of velvet in a different color from the skirt are a very popular style in Paris. They are made quite plain, and worn with crepon, smooth cloth and silk skirts.

There is no disputing the fact that this is an extravagant period of dress, but there is such an endless variety in materials and ideas for using them that the fashions in vogue are compatible with small expense as well as large. Plain skirts are quite as fashionable as those which are trimmed elaborately with fur and jet, and at the moment nothing is more popular for dress trimming than black satin ribbon, which is not wildly extravagant even if many yards are required. A pretty idea for a colored crepon or plain woolen goods is to arrange bows of black satin ribbon five inches wide, with steel buckles in the centre, at



intervals all around the bottom of the skirt. The bodice should be of silk, the same shade as the skirt, studded all over with irridescent jet, and across the front in the form of a yoke two bands of narrower ribbon. The belt, of black, must have a bow and long ends at either side of the front. Rose color, in all its shades, is still popular, and a new tone resembles the damask rose, with a shadow of black about it which makes it very rich, especially in velvet.

It is said that the tailor gowns of the early spring are to be quite lavishly and expensively trimmed with bands of the cloth stitched on in scroll patterns, with braiding, or with narrow bias bands of black satin, which is the latest fancy. These bands outline the seams of the waist and skirt.

Sashes are very popular again, particularly when they are of the new chine ribbons. A plain blue taffeta silk, made up plain for a young girl, has a sash of blue and pink chine ribbons. It is tied in a large bow in the back, and the ends fall on either side of the plaits in the skirt. Pale green silk makes a very pretty evening dress, with chine ribbon for a twist around the neck, butterfly bows on the shoulder as a substitute for sleeves, and a belt and sash at the back. Blue or pink crepons make useful dresses, and trimmed with lace insertion, two rows around the skirt, and striped on the front of the full waist, they are exceedingly pretty. Bands of satin ribbon to match the crepon go over the shoulders and terminate in rosettes and long ends on each side of the front.—N. Y. Sun.

ON KEEPING ACCOUNTS.

The Uninitiated Taught How to Keep Track of Their Money.

The woman whose price is above rubies, whose husband rises up and calls her blessed is she who knows "where her money goes." She keeps an account book.

Most women, by the way, keep account books. They have Russian leather volumes three inches by two and a half, gilt-edged and bearing in gilt letters the legend "Accounts." They usually receive these little gifts at Christmas, and for the next three weeks they make sundry unintelligible jottings in them. But that is not the sort of account book the prudent business woman or the thrifty housewife keeps.

The regulation account book makes no boast of beauty. It has stiff board covers, is about ten inches long by eight inches broad, and is provided with ruled pages. These pages are not only ruled across, but at each side they have two vertical lines ruled, making two one-inch spaces at each edge of each page. In these spaces dates and dollars and cents may be kept neatly.

The left hand page is devoted to income, and the right to expenditures. The date on which a sum of money is received, the person or source from which it is received and the amount are entered in a straight line on the left-hand side. On the opposite side the date of any expenditure, the thing for which money has been expended and the amount spent are entered. At stated times the income and the outgo are balanced. Once a week or once a month is a convenient time.

Here is a specimen page from the account book of an ordinary woman—Miss Mary A. Smith:

Jan., 1895.	Credit.	Jan., 1895.	Debit.
Car'd from p 1. .	$54.37	Car'd from p 2. .	$37.12
13—P. O. Smith .	15.00	13—Coat....	17.50
17—MrsPOSmith	5.00	13—Gloves.....	2.00
		13—Theatre tck's	3.00
		14—Car fare.....	15
		14—Luncheon.....	65
		15—Hairdressing	1.00
		18—Flowers.....	85
		19—Singing lis'ns.	8.00
Total.....	$74.37	Total.....	$70.27
Carry to page 5...	4.10		

Miss Smith will begin next week with a blank page for expenditures and $4.10, representing her assets. As she gains more from Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Smith or any other source, she will duly set them down, and on the page opposite her manner of disposing of her wealth. The account book will serve as a record, a reminder and often as a warning. In fact it is as a warning that the account book is particularly valuable.

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Recently Senator McPherson indorsed Harrison's papers for reappointment as postmaster. It is understood that this was merely a formal act, as the President would have appointed him anyway. At any rate, a man who can hold a postoffice for one term, get a present from the President and then be chosen again for a Federal position must be regarded as rather generously blessed with good fortune.—Washington Post.

GOWNS FOR SUMMER DAYS.

Dainty Dimities and Flowered Organdies Will be Popular.

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exquisitely colored clusters of flowers. Occasionally the pattern is one large single blossom. The organdies are made up over silk or sateen. They are trimmed with lace or Dresden ribbons matching in design and color the flower of the organdie.

A quaint and charming way of making a summer gown is shown in the illustration. The material is white organdie flowered with pansy blossoms. The gown is made over white sateen, though a much better effect is attained if the foundation is violet silk. Valenciennes lace is used as the trimming and the quaint kerchief is of white mousseline de soie, edged with a narrow frill of lace.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

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PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 15, 9 54, A. M., 12 45, 3 05, 5 14, 8 20, 9 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 20 A. M., 3 05, 6 05 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A. M., 12 52, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 5 40, 7 20, P. M

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Manch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m., for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Manch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Hazleton, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 05 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Manch Chunk.

5 05 P. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Manch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 20 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 38 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 20 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

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For Perth Amboy, 9 27, 6 28, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 6 54, 8 54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 05, a. m., 3 20 p. m.

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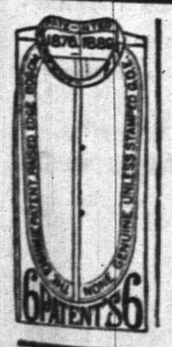

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RUSSEL SAGE SCORED.

Joseph Choate Turns the Shafts of Satire Upon the Modern Shylock.

Mr. Choate was not in his usual humor when he began to sum up the case of William G. Laidlaw against Russel Sage for $50,000 damages for injuries sustained by the explosion of dynamite in Sage's office three years ago, when Norcross dropped a bomb upon being refused a satchel full of money by the astute old Wall street sharp.

Mr. Choate said: The counsel for the defense has admitted that Laidlaw honestly believed in his narration of what occurred in connection with the explosion. I won't give Mr. Sage the benefit of any such admission on my part. Mr. Sage has been engaged for years in a calling which hardens the heart and blunts the moral sense. He is a money lender, a note shaver, a stock gambler. He says to this man "go," and he goeth; to this broker "come," and he cometh, and to this banker "shell out," and he shelleth. It is an honest man on one side and a dishonest man on the other—confessedly so.

Sage sat looking at Choate without a wince. Choate went over near him and talked down at him as he shook his hand almost in the face of Sage, and said:

"On the witness stand he was shuffling, evading, prevaricating, skulking, dodging, and sneaking."

There was not a twitch of a feature of Sage at this or when Choate fell back, and still pointing at him said:

"Oh, he knows he owes his life to Laidlaw. He spoke the truth in the drug store. Every one knows it who has heard the testimony in the case. Sage was the only one who was not seriously injured by the explosion. Why, he was shaving himself at the end of the fourth day, and beginning to shave others again at the end of ten days! Look at him! Seventy-eight years old, and keener than the average man on this jury. He wasn't hurt at all. I appeal to these immortal trousers and the debris of the coat tails which were mixed up with the debris of the table on which Sage gently subsided."

Mr. Choate then swung the trousers which Sage had worn that day. He said it was not possible to account for the want of injury to Sage except on the supposition that the missiles which would have gone to him had struck Laidlaw. Mr. Choate turned and said: "This trial is not between Sage and this poor man Laidlaw. It has become a trial between Sage and the Judges and courts of this State. I have been often asked how I can afford to spend my time on this case in behalf of this penniless man when the compensation is so little commensurate with the labor. They are trying to tire him out by appeal. I'll stand by him if it takes twenty trials before this man Sage is brought to the bar of justice."

There was applause, but Justice Patterson said he would punish any person for contempt who applauded.

"Thank God," said Mr. Choate when running over the evidence, "there are some members of the bar that this man of millions has not got under his control. People are afraid of this man of millions. Witnesses are afraid to come into court against him."

Mr. Choate said that the action would die with the death of either Laidlaw or Sage, and that Sage "would spend many thousands of his ill-gotten millions" to win the case. He had retained an astute lawyer, who had loaded the case down with exceptions for another appeal.

TROTTING TRACK FOR A PONY.

The Unusual Conceit of a Wealthy Man in Brooklyn.

A wealthy Brooklyn man recently built a handsome residence in a densely populated part of the city. His action created considerable surprise among his friends, as the structure he erected would have been an ornament to the most fashionable neighborhood in the city.

It adjoined a coal yard, while directly opposite it are a number of ramshackled frame buildings, each one of which provides homes for half a dozen families. The man's next move was to purchase and then tear down one of these houses and erect a fine red brick stable in its place. His last action, however, has stamped him as a really eccentric character.

He purchased the coal yard behind his house, tore down the fences, and then had the place levelled off. Then he had a small trotting track laid out. The remainder of the ground he had sodded with the finest grass obtainable, and then an iron fence was erected, through which the whole of the interior is visible. The trotting track is a most diminutive affair, but amply large for the purpose for which it was laid out, which is the amusement of the man's nine-year-old son.

This lad owns a pretty little Shetland pony, which he rides like an expert, and any fine afternoon he may be seen tearing around the track at a great rate. The other children in the neighborhood gather around the fence and watch him enviously.

Occasionally he invites one of them in and gives him a ride around the track on his pony. He is a manly little fellow, and makes a pretty figure with his brown leather leggins as he urges on his pony. It is a strange sight in what is recognized as one of the poorer sections of the city, and sometimes as many as two hundred people may be seen watching him through the fence.

A Question of Balances.

The French-Canadians are not without a considerable sense of humor, and they highly appreciate the following story, told of a prosperous baker in a town not far from Quebec.

The baker was in the habit of buying his butter in pound balls or rolls, from a farmer with whom he did a great deal of business. Noticing that these butter balls looked rather small, he weighed them, and found that they were all under a pound in weight.

Thereupon he had the farmer brought before the magistrate and accused of dishonest practices.

"These butter balls," said the judge to the farmer, "certainly weigh less than a pound. Have you any scales?"

"I have," answered the farmer.

"And have you weights?"

"No, no weights."

"Then how can you weigh your butter balls?"

"That's very simple," said the farmer; "while I've been selling the baker butter, I've been buying pound loaves of bread from him, and I used them for weights on my scales!"

A Virtue of It.

Pertly—There is one thing I have to say in favor of the wind when it whistles.

Dullhead—What's that?

Pertly—It never whistles popular airs.—Harper's Bazar.

BORN JOURNALIST.

The city editor opened the door and peered impatiently through the clouds of smoke rolling up over the long centre table in the reporters' room.

"Did you get that story, Carlton?" he asked.

"Carlton not in yet, Mr. Howard," one of the men replied. "He——"

But the door shut with a bang to open a minute later, when the same worried voice inquired:

"Where's Bud? No. I suppose he isn't to be found either! Did anybody know him to be on hand when he was wanted. Here, Bud," as the grimy-faced galley and general-utility boy in question came in with his proofs, "go down to the foot of F street and find Carlton. There's a wreck off the point, but it won't do us any good unless he gets here with that copy pretty soon. We go to press at 3 o'clock—in just two hours. Bud——"

He stopped with a half-smile, for the boy was already part way down stairs on his way to the street.

None knew exactly why he gave the weird, shriveled specimen of boyhood the name of Bud. Possibly it was because of the certainty we felt that he would become a blossom. He was a thin-shouldered, shrunken-chested little fellow, small even for his twelve years, with a sharp-featured, unchildish face, and the suggestion of eternal croup in his voice. He had drifted into the office one stormy night about a year before the time of which I write, and although his request for a place had been promptly refused, he had calmly stayed on and became a fixture.

He was not communicative about himself, and we were not particularly curious. One of the women proofreaders discovered before long that the gray rat under her desk was not a more constant habitude of the office than was Bud. He spent the hours between the time the paper went to press and the arrival of the day men at 11 o'clock sleeping on a pile of empty mailsacks in dark corner of the engine room, but from that time on he was alert and ready for business.

As understudy for Frank, the regular galley boy, he was fast picking up a knowledge of printing, and had occasionally displayed a surprising amount of information regarding the general make-up of a newspaper, strongly imbued with the idea that all things were secondary in importance and must be subservient to its requirements.

Nothing pleased him so much as an errand of the kind just given him by the city editor, and we all knew he would return on time if he was alive.

Carlton was a new man on the paper, a little green in the business, but with a "nose for news," and a sense of honor and the eternal fitness of things, coupled with reliability of statement. Mr. Howard had looked over his staff that night before giving his assignment.

"Go to that wreck, Carlton," he said. "You are the only man here that can write it up without having the waves roll mountain high."

And the new reporter had torn a thick section from the block of copy paper and hurried away. Bud found no difficulty in locating the wreck, although he could see its dark spars outlined against the sky much better by running along the water front as far as H street. The storm which had been raging for three days and had finally caused the disaster, had subsided a little, and from his distance the great black hulk seemed resting easily upon the waves.

On account of the hour there were but few spectators—only the hurring life crews, the patrolmen and the inevitable group of wharf-rats. Bud observed, with delight, that not another paper had a reporter on the scene. He looked around for Carlton, and some one told him that the "chap" that had been writing there for a long time, sitting on an overturned small boat, had at last righted the small craft and set off for the half-submerged ship.

"He hadn't oughter, either," the man continued. "This water ain't as peaceful as it looks. We had a hard pull gettin' in the last trip with the passengers, and the wind is rising higher every minute."

It was true that the clouds had begun to roll again, while the lightning threw even sharper and more jagged fangs across the sky. The crew on shore made hasty preparations to put out. There were still many people aboard the wreck—a number of them women and children. Bud was the first one in the boat.

"Come out of that, youngster," said a sailor. "Be quick with you!"

"I'm going," cried the boy. "I've got to see Carlton—I've got to—I tell you!"

The sailor's hand was on his collar, but Bud clung to the seat with desperation, the muscles in his little hands standing out like a gladiator's.

"I've got to get something for the paper!" and his voice rose to a shrill scream.

The man lifted him out, sat him not ungently down on the wet sand, and pushed off the boat. With a fierce cry the boy was after him, clinging like a monkey to its side. The sailor loosened the boy's hands and he dropped backward into the water. He scrambled to the shore, and stood choking with impotent rage, strange oaths pouring from his lips and his frail hands beating the air.

The wind increased in violence. The thunder was terrific, and the heavens were cut with broad, white blades. The night grew ever blacker, but he could see by the flashes that the lifeboat rolled heavily and seemed in distress. He sank down and dug his hands deep into the sand. All at once a peal of thunder shook the solid earth; a flash of lightning leaped down and seemed to lap up the sea and ships. Bud uncovered his eyes, and in a moment his shrill voice was added to the chorus of agony sent up from among the flames of the fatal steamer. Lightning had struck her, and the boy had heard the sailors say that she carried a consignment of coal oil.

The light was bright enough now, and the watchers could see a small dark object leave her luminous side and head towards shore. It was the small boat. Bud screamed in ecstasy as he saw a man, Carlton, work at the oars. The time seemed an eternity, and the boat, overcrowded as it was with women and children, seemed to make no progress. It was in danger of swamping. How long before the explosion must occur? The boy threw himself face downward upon the beach again and waited. Presently he lifted his eyes, and saw the man in the boat rise and gently put back the hands that were extended towards him, as if in entreaty, and then with a long leap spring into the ocean. Bud saw him strike out with strong, confident strokes, while the boat, relieved of its weight, made a leap forward. Then there was a sudden darkening of the sky, as the flames swirled downward, followed by a long, reverberating shock and roar; a glare that turned the heavens into fire, while the waves hissed around the scene, with the foam at their lips stained red.

There was a hurrying back and forth along the shore; the whirling of long ropes, lasso-like, over the waters, and, after awhile, a few charred, blackened shapes upon the beach.

Bud opened the office door at half-past two o'clock.

"This is a nice time for you to to turn up," growled the city editor. "Where's Carlton? Did you get that copy?"

Bud approached the table slowly, and fumbled in his coat with trembling hands.

"I've brought the copy," he said, his lips drawn and ashen. "It's a little wet 'cause 'twas in his pocket, an'"—the boy put his hand up to his throat and sobbed hoarsely—"You see, he—got drowned."

JAPAN'S GREAT RESOURCES.

Money, Arms and Men Supplied at the Call of the Mikado.

The special correspondent of the London Times with the Japanese forces, writing on board the transport, Masayoshi-Maru, says:

"The Japanese Government is in the most matter-of-fact way preparing for the moment when China shall no longer assert her authority, maintain order, and protect life and property in the North. Already many of the European residents are clearing out, but the Japanese Government is preparing and will undertake the whole responsibility of administering the government and maintaing order for the time being.

"Nor will the Europeans, with their commercial interests, be at the tender mercies of Japanese military officers, for a large staff of experienced men from the Civil Service, Foreign Office and other departments are under orders, and some are already with the army. It is even hinted that the Parliament, now temporarily located at Hiroshima, may have to go across the water; there is nothing in the constitution to prevent the Japanese Government being entirely located in Pekin.

"In reference to the supposed exhaution of the country by the war it should be noted the money already voted—say £20,000,000 sterling—will mostly not go out of the country at all, but will only circulate the more; and as prices are so cheap these £20,000,000 will go much further than they would in England toward paying the bill. The only item of any importance that Japan has still to get from Europe is the heavier work for big ships and big guns—sixty-five tons and so on. Of these she has enough in stock to refit her navy if the Chinese made that necessary.

"Japan makes all her own rifles and cartridges at Osaka; the Murata magazine rifle is pronounced by European experts a splendid weapon, and is the sole invention of a Japanese, Count Murata. The ammunition in stock, according to official reports early in the year, was sufficient to give 240,000 men ten rounds a day for three years, without making any more. China has undoubtedly been importing arms and ammunition in breach of the Neutrality law; but the Japanese simply laugh, and call it so much more booty for the victors; they cannot import courage."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE HOME.

Dedication of the "First Church of Christ, Scientist."

Christian Scientists from various parts of the United States were present at the dedication of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston.

The dedication was simple. It included an organ voluntary, singing of hymns two of which were written by the "Mother Rev," Mary Baker Eddy; the reading of the Scriptures, with extracts from "Science and Health, the Key to the Scriptures." Mrs. Henrietta Clarke Bemis of Allston, read the sermon written by the mother pastor.

Mrs. Eddy is regarded as the sole discoverer of Christian Science. It has grown to the extent of representation in every State and in every city of importance in the Union and in Canada, and it has extended its influence as far north as Norway and as far south as Greece and Australia. The local church in Boston is estimated to have not less than 3,000 members. Two hundred thousand followers are said to hold services in the branch churches of the denomination, and half a million persons, the Scientists assert, stand ready to testify of marvellous healing through the understanding of Christian Science.

In testimonial of their gratitude to its founder, the followers of Mrs. Eddy have contributed to the building of the commodious church which was dedicated recently. The ground, edifice, and its equipment are valued at $250,000.

Decidedly the most novel feature of the church is the second story of the tower, devoted to the Mother's room. A wide vestibule and a flight of three steps lead to it from the auditorium. The room is decorated in white, pale green, and gold, with a rich mosaic floor, a pale green onyx fireplace and mantel. It is the gift of several thousand little children known as the "Busy Bees," who have been taught in Christian Science. Above the door on a marble tablet, is the word love. A lamp two hundred years old which came from Athens, will be kept burning night and day.

ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.

Thin-legged, thin-chested, slight unspeakably,
Neat-footed and weak-fingered: in his face
Lean, large-boned, curved of beak, and touched with race.
Bold-lipped, rich-tinted, mutable as the sea,
The brown eyes radiant with vivacity,
There shone a brilliant and romantic grace,
A spirit intense and rare, with trace on trace
Of passion, impudence and energy.
Valiant in velvet, light in ragged luck,
Most vain, most generous, sternly critical,
Buffoon and poet, lover and sensualist;
A deal of Ariel, just a streak of Puck,
Much Antony, of Hamlet most of all,
And something of the Shorter-Catechist.

—Robert Henley.

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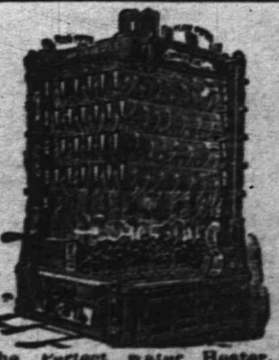

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CHAPTER IV.

FRANK AMES' DISCOVERY.

In the afternoon of the following day the body of Charlotte Warren was committed to the tomb.

Detective Mulligan—whose total lack of Irish characteristics suggested that he could find another name for himself by looking in his family Bible—held what he called a conference, after the funeral. Nobody else was present. He opened the discussion by remarking to himself that Charlotte beat any woman he ever knew for keeping a secret.

"Never did I see a corpse that had less to say," he remarked. "She walked a considerable distance through the snow, and got her dress and her shoes wet, and then she partially dried them before a hot fire (her dress is scorched a bit) and that's all I know about what she did in this town."

The fire he surmised to have been that which had burned in the room where Ned Ames' body, or at least his coffin, had lain on Thursday night. But that was guesswork. He had failed to find any trace of the girl's presence in or about the Ames house. If she had approached the house in the usual way, her footprints had been obliterated by those of the crowd that had attended the funeral. If she had approached in any other way, he could not find out what it was.

There was also the puzzle of the weapon which had made such a peculiar wound. He had searched the Ames house twice openly and once secretly and had failed to find anything in it which would answer the requirements of the case.

By careful questioning of Horace Riddle he had located the spot in the woods where the boy had seen Ned Ames—or thought that he had seen him—but the detective had not succeeded in getting a clew at that point which would guide him a single inch in the direction which the hunted criminal had taken.

It must be remembered that the capture of Ned Ames was desired for a double reason. Mulligan had been pursuing him for weeks as one of the shrewdest active operators in a league of high-grade thieves which had given the Boston police no end of trouble. Even if innocent of the murder, the young man's liberty was forfeit to the law. In view of these facts Mulligan decided to try it again in the woods, on a somewhat different "lay."

Rev. Mr. Warren had formed a very high opinion of Mulligan's abilities, and he believed that big, hearty, pleasant-faced man, so different from the detective of romance, concealed the spirit of the bloodhound in his heart, and would yet track the criminal down. The clergyman grew impatient whenever Mulligan was out of his sight. He wished to know every new fact the instant it was brought to light. Only by concentrating his mind upon the problem of detection could he keep his grief within bounds. Blessed is he who has work to do at such a time. Early in the evening Frank Ames called upon Mr. Warren, whom he found pacing his study in eager expectation of a visit from the detective. Frank brought painful news. His mother had not rallied from the shock of the terrible scene at the grave. On the contrary, her endurance had been so seriously overtaxed that, at her time of life, the gravest results were to be feared. She lay ill, and had relapsed into a merciful unconsciousness of her sorrow. In Dr. Maxwell's absence there was no competent physician in Williston, and it had been necessary to telegraph for one who lived in the Junction. He had not then arrived. There never is any lack of good nursing in a New England town, however, and Samuel Ames had found abundant help for the bedside of his wife.

On hearing this news, the clergyman thought it his duty to go at once to Mr. Ames' house. Frank remained with Anna Warren.

At such a time, when the whole village fairly throbbed with excitement, it may not be a matter for wonder that Frank Ames displayed agitation. Yet Anna, who was at tremendous nervous tension herself, could not help remarking upon the condition of her companion. The pallor of his face was heightened by his heavy brows and black mustache. His hands trembled. He paced the little parlor in the manner of one tortured by the most harrowing thoughts.

"The sight of you," said Anna, "makes me regard myself as a marvel of self-control."

He wheeled about suddenly, and faced her.

"And the sight of you," he said, "makes me lose what little self-control I had before."

His tone frightened her. She asked him with a trembling voice what he meant by that.

"Anna," he said, approaching her, "we have been friends a good many years. I remember you almost from the day when you were born, and I have watched you grow year by year into the beautiful woman that you are to-night. How have you regarded me?"

"As a friend, certainly," said Anna. "Have you ever had cause to think otherwise?"

"I'm afraid not," he replied, while his lips quivered.

"Upon my word I do not understand you," cried the girl.

"If you could see my heart—but there, I frighten you. Yet I can't help it. I have that to say to you to-night which demands that both of us should be stronger than human flesh and blood can be. Something has happened; something that you do not suspect—any more than I did a few hours ago. I believe that it gives me an opportunity such as a thousand lives, if I might live them one after another on this earth, would not bring—the opportunity of serving you in an emergency involving awful risks and the most harrowing difficulty."

He spoke wildly, yet with such evident, deep purpose that the girl was startled into calmness. There is such a possibility, though few there be who are ever called upon to know it by actual experience.

"Tell me exactly what you mean," she said, and the steadiness of her tone amazed him.

"You love Robert Maxwell?"

"How can you ask me that? I am to be his wife."

"I know that, but in this modern life it means little. Do you love him enough to do him any service that one human being can do another? Do you love him as I love you? Stop! This is no time to evade and disguise the truth. Hear me out. When I tell you what I propose to do for you my disclosure will have to be made. You will know that no motive of human conduct save love alone is strong enough to account for it. I have said it, and there is an end. And now for him. Does your love answer the test?"

"I believe," said the girl firmly, "that there is nothing he could ask of me that I would not do."

"He cannot ask it. You must do it without the asking. You must serve him at your own cost, and at your own risk, and at once."

"What does he require of me?"

"Surely you must suspect."

"I cannot guess your meaning."

"Where is he now?"

"You know well enough. He is in Boston doing his best to solve the mystery of my sister's death."

"Can you believe it? Do you not see that his sudden departure is a flight? Not a word! You must hear me. Who resisted to the utmost the opening of that coffin? Who has been most diligent in casting suspicion upon my brother? Who, at the disclosure of the secret of that grave which so nearly closed over the most horrible of crimes, was the first to leave this place? Already the detective suspects him, but it has been reserved for me to find the absolute proof of his guilt."

He spoke with such appalling conviction, that his words froze the heart of the girl. Yet she found strength to say:

"I do not believe it."

"Let us not waste time. Supposing I convinced even you; supposing that you could not longer doubt; would you deliver him up to justice or would you save him?"

"You cannot do it—. Stay! I will answer your question. I would save him."

"At what cost?"

"At any cost."

They faced each other with such intensity of deadly earnestness, that each felt the other's thought as if it had been a magnetic force throbbing in the air between them.

"At the cost of yourself?" he demanded.

Again that awful calmness settled upon her.

"I know now what you mean," she said. "You have discovered strong evidence of Robert's guilt—enough, doubtless, to satisfy you. In connection with the old slander that joined his name with my sister's ruin, and, supported by the strange fatality of his conduct, you think that conviction would follow. You have doubtless discovered what I know, namely, that his whereabouts on Thursday night cannot be proven, because he was driving alone on the road that leads toward Lincoln. So the case stands, and you propose to me that you will hide the evidence which you possess if I will promise to marry you, as the price of it."

He bowed his head.

"What is your evidence?"

"If it is conclusive, have I your promise?"

"If it is conclusive to whom?"

"To you."

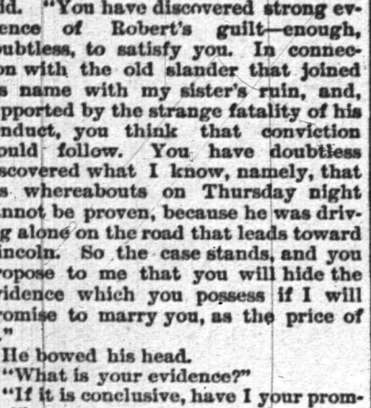
"I am to be judge and jury—to convict him and sentence myself?"

He winced, but recovering himself instantly, answered firmly:

"Yes; I trust wholly in your word."

"You have it. Now for your evidence. I have no fear of it."

"Wait till you have heard. You know that I suspected him from the first. Besides that, I believed that my brother had really died and that his



"COME," SHE SAID, "I MUST SEE IT."

body was in the coffin that I brought here with me. I think there is no doubt that these facts will be established on investigation. You must know I had some evidence of his death before I left Boston. Against it is only Horace Riddle's story, which you know to be worth nothing.

"The case stood thus with me, and I was confronted by the problem of the disappearance of my brother's body. I believe—in fact, I now know—that it was taken from the coffin and your sister's substituted. Her full story I cannot pretend to read, but the detective will do that. My attempt was to find my brother's body, and I have succeeded!"

To say that Anna Warren heard this statement with calmness would be to pass the bounds of reason. Her heart seemed to stop. Even a woman may doubt, though ordinarily she is spared that misery by the absence of logic.

This disclosure removed Edward Ames from the field of conjecture. The man whom she had believed to be guilty had proven an alibi measurable only by the distance between this world and the next. Having been mistaken in what she held to be practically certain, her faith in all things was shaken—which is the way with women at such exceptional moments. But faith reasserted itself. As yet she had had no proof. The mere finding of the body could not convict her lover.

Yet she shuddered at the question which she must ask next, and her lips moved almost without sound.

"Where was it?"

"In the old Maxwell house on High street," he replied. "It is there now."

Her face was like a mask of white marble. She put her hand on his arm.

"Come," she said; "I must see it with my own eyes."

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It is not only a hygienic, but an art improvement, according to the Boston Board, to do away with slant writing. They find that the vertical writing of experts and of school children of all ages is more legible than the slant, and this fact commends it to business men as well as to printers.—Washington Post.

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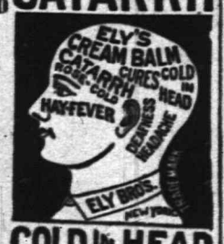

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